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EARTHQUAKE NEWS IS STILL CONFLICTING

Estimates of Killed Vary Widely—Damage Said to Be Confined to Kingston.

New York, Jan. 17.—When the first great shock came Monday afternoon, many of the buildings all over the town collapsed, burying hundreds of persons in the debris. Of these many were killed, but the greater part were injured only and most of them were rescued. The shock was followed by lighter tremors and then fire started in the ruins along the water front. The flames spread rapidly, as the water pipes had been broken and there was nothing with which to fight the flames. A strong wind was blowing and this helped to spread the flames.

Estimates of the number of dead vary from 100 to 1,200.

Holland Bay, Jamaica, Jan. 17.—Advices received from various parts of the island show that Kingston was the only place damaged by the recent earthquaks. All the other towns of Jamaica are in good condition. No further earthquake shocks have been felt in Jamaica.

Besides Sir Jas. Ferguson, the most conspicuous white men killed were Captains Constantine and Young, of the Royal Mail Service. Other whites killed include Major Hardeman, Dr. Gibbs Varley, Dr. Mencer Robertson, and wife, Miss Lockett B. Varley, J. W. M. Bradley and four members of a family named Livingstone.

London, Jan. 17—That there is a general state of unrest in the earth, of which the Jamaica disturbance was only one instance, is the belief of Prof. Belar, the famous seismographist and astronomer at the Daibach Observatory. His instruments registered the Jamaican disturbance, give other proofs of terrestial phenomena in the shape of shocks elsewhere, hailstorms and rock falls.

Reports from Austria and Switzerland show that seismic disturbances occurred there on Monday at about the same time as in Jamaica, indicating widespread unrest.

Cantania, Sicily, Jan. 17.—The earthquake at Kingston, Jamaica, was coincident with increased activity of Mount Etna and slight earthquakes in the Midonian Mountains. The Volcano is throwing out ashes and subterranean detonations are heard.

Naples, Jan. 17.—Prof. Matteucci, director of the observatory at Mount Vesuvius, reports increased agitation of this volcano coincident with the Kingston earthquake.

St. Andrew's is Prosperous.

The annual meeting of the St. Andrew's church, held last evening, disclosed a flourishing condition, both financially and from the membership point of view. The meeting was largely attended, and after the regular business had been transacted, a social time was spent by all present. The salary of the pastor, Rev J. S. Henderson, was raised from $1,200 to $1,300 a year,as a recognition of his good work. The total amount raised last year by the church was in the neighborhood of $4,000, while 35 new members were added to the congregation, bringing the present membership up to 191. The different auxiliary societies connected with the church were all reported to be in a flourishing condition, and the year was closed free of debt, with the exception of a mortgage which still has four years to run. The different accounts presented by the different societies will have to be audited before they can be given out to the public.

Fever in Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Scarlet fever is epidemic in Evanston, well nigh so in Oak Park, a menace in several north shore towns, and a source of concern to the Chicago health authorities. Chicago's total of 107 contagious diseases reported yesterday—sixty-five of them scarlet fever—is the largest for one day for several years. At present there are several thousand cases in the city and environs.

WANT TO AMEND THE BANKING LAWS

Washington Legislature Ask to Make Radical Change in Statute.

Olympia, Jan. 17.—The prepared by the state bankers will not be put through the legislature without the most serious kind of a fight.

There is a strong faction in the legislature that does not believe the banking act is strong enough. This faction demands that the bill be amended so as to give it teeth, and it is likely an entirely new bill will be proposed for that purpose.

Governor Mead was consulted by George Burk, who is the legislative representative of the bankers, and the executive suggested a number of minor changes that were made in the bill before Senator Williams gave it to the Senate.

This class of changing is not satisfactory to the radical wing that wants a strong bank bill. Whether the new act, when drafted, will be satisfactory to any of the state bankers, is questioned, but it will be strongly urged anyway.

A new provision in the bank act that is proposed will require each bank to remit one-tenth of 1 per cent. of net earnings to the state treasurer to be deposited in a state bank fund. It is proposed in the bill to require that this fund be held intact to guarantee the solidity of the banks operated under the state law. In event of a bank failure the depositors would be paid in full out of this fund, if the assets of the bank, when realized upon, are insufficient to meet the indebtedness of the bank. It is claimed by the advocates of this provision that the state banks would gain enough by the guarantee this fund would provide to offset the slight tax that the one tenth of one per cent. imposes. It is argued that a state guarantee would attract money enough now in hiding into the banks to offset the state fee.

Under the banking act that the state association proposes, the capital of a new bank is not required to be paid up in full immediately. The bill that is now being drawn up by a radical wing requires that every cent of the capitalization be turned in before the state examiner grants a permit to open a new bank.

A provision forbidding the loaning of any money to a salaried officer of a state bank is to be offered. In addition to this plan of requiring that all directors who may borrow money from the bank shall obtain the written consent of the remainder of the directors before the loan is made.

No Danger of Shortage.

There was a rumor afloat in the city recently that there was a shortage of hay and that the horse and cattle population would very soon be reduced to hunger on account of the closing of river navigation. An investigation of the situation, however, reveals the fact that there is no danger of the animals going hungry as about two car loads of hay per day are coming in, which establishes an equilibrium between demand and supply. There is absolutely no danger of a shortage so long as the G. N. railway is running. The hay is loaded direct on the cars and is brought into the city in the course of a few hours. There is lots of hay in sight, but the straw supply is scarce.

Richmond Candidates.

Things are looking very well in the constituency of Richmond, where Mr. Weart, the Liberal candidate is meeting with a fine reception from the voters. He is a Richmond man, and the people have suffered so much from the neglect of their "carpet bag" representative, that they naturally turn to Mr. Weartfl whose interests are theirs, and who has the force and ability to look after those interests in the Legislature.

POINTERS

Suppose you did want to vote Conservative, would the Sardonic Smiler allow you?

The police arrested him for carrying a concealed weapon, but a search showed that the supposed weapon was nothing more lethal than one of those appointments to the vacant Wardenship.

The Conservative meeting, Monday night, is to be addressed by Thos. Gifford and "OTHER prominent speakers."

In Council—"Who is to be appointed Jail Warden at New Westminster?" asked the A. G.

"— and — and — and —," answered the P—.

"But 4 into 1 won't go," said "Figgers."

"O, yes it will," said the P—; "until after the election."

MISSION CITY, Jan. 17.—Things are working fine up here. I have not met a man of any side who says that McBride will beat Jardine.

Still the McBride organs keep harping away at their personal insinuations. When will they come to politics?

When is the Columbian going to explain why Mr. McBride—speaking to his friends in Cunningham Hall, here—said he could not accept a resolution for which he had voted in the conference at Ottawa?

SIXTY-THREE DAYS FOR COCAINE FIEND

Proper Sentence for Drug Doper Who Induced Boys Into Commencing Narcotic Habit.

Seattle, Jan. 17.—Police Judge Gordon today assessed the limit of the law on "Curly" Conley, manager of the Hurry Messenger company for selling and giving cocaine to small boys in his employ and for teaching them to use the dangerous narcotic. Through Conley's practices, the police say six or eight boys have become drug fiends. Some of them are now kept confined so that they can get no chance to procure the drug while they are taking treatment for the habit.

Conley's sentence was a fine of $100 and thirty days on the city chain gang He has no money to pay the fine and will, therefore, have to serve sixty-three days. The court announced that he regretted he was unable to make the punishment more severe.

Another Investigation.

Olympia, Jan. 17.—State Senator W. H. Paulhamus today began work on his resolution calling for a legislative inquiry into the coal shortage, lack of cars and other transportation matters. An appropriation of $10,000, power to subpoena witnesses, select a special attorney and to make a searching investigation will be asked. Paulhamus is preparing a list of witnesses he deems essential to the hearing.

The Insurance Question.

London, Jan. 17.—The fire insurance policies in Jamaica effected through British Companies are said to aggregate about $7,500,000. All the policies, however, are safeguarded by an earthquake clause and a leading manager who was seen yesterday said that the companies would not recognize any liability for damages caused by earthquake.

New Primate.

Toronto, Jan. 17—Bishops of the Anglican Church in Canada met at St. Alban's Cathedral yesterday and elected Bishop Sweatman metropolitan of the ecclesiastical province of Canada and Primate of all Canada.

The Socialist party has gained a number of adherents in New Westminster of late, if street talk can be taken as a fair indication of the sympathies of the masses. Happily for the peace of mind of the three candidates runing for office, the majority of these would-be Hawthornthwaitites have no vote in this constituency.

SMELTERS CLOSE FOR LACK OF COAL

B. C. Mines Accused of Shipping Fuel To Montana, While Neglecting Home Industries.

Nelson, B. C., Jan. 17.—A shortage of coal and coke has caused the smelters to close here. The Trail smelter will also shut down. It is charged that coal mines, notably the Black Eagle at Crows Nest, are shipping 100 tons to 150 tons daily to Montana points, over the Great Northern, while the British Columbia Smelters have to close for lack of fuel. There is talk as to a possible forfeiture of Canadian Pacific Railroad's agreement, by which the Canadian Pacific Railroad's coal lands at Crows Nest will not be opened until December 18, 1908.

Fatal Collision.

Bellingham, Jan. 17.—A serious accident befell the Owl train from Vancouver at 2:25 o'clock this morning. Driving over a misplaced switch, the train plunged headlong into the Great Northern roundhouse, killed a wiper who was working on an engine which stood in the way, and in the smash Engineer Scott was so badly scalded and injured internally that he will probably die before night.

No passengers were badly injured. Several were severely jolted, notably Mr. Paul Stevens, a police officer of New Westmineter, who was thrown through a window and half way across a street.

Assistant Superintendent Chapman, of the Seattle Division arrived at 9 o'clock this morning with a wrecking outfit. He stated that a vigorous effort will be made to locate responsibility for the wreck, and the officials of the company will assist the coroner in every possible way. The flagman attached to the engine and train on the side track is alleged to be to blame for the open switch.

The combination baggage and mail car were telescoped and partially burned, but the mail sacks were not damaged.

Volcano Still Active.

Honolulu Jan. 17.—The second flow of lava from the volcano of Mauna Loa on the Island of Hawaii is now only two miles from the sea and is half a mile wide. It is moving at the rate of thirty feet an hour.

The temperature rose a good many degrees during the night, and at three o'clock this morning there were indications that Jack Frost had lost his grip. About three inches of snow had fallen.

VISITOR DESCRIBES SEATTLE'S DISTRESS

Mr. Schaake Gives Graphic Word Word Picture of State, From Frost, of Sound City.

H. Schaake, manager of the Schaake Machine works, has returned from Seattle, where he was detained for a few days on account of having developed a particularly interesting attack of la grippe. He states that matters are very serious in Seattle and a great many of the citizens, where they are financially able to do so, are closing up their homes and boarding at the hotels, on account of their inability to secure coal. The poorer citizens are the greatest sufferers, as they cannot afford to pay hotel rates, and owing to the severe cold, a large proportion of the manufactories and foundries are closed down, and the workers, many of whom live from hand to mouth, have no money coming in to pay current expenses. Outside the coal yards, Mr. Schaake said, the delivery rigs were strung out for about half a mile, each waiting its turn to get a share of the black diamonds which are being dispensed in almost as niggardly a manner as though they were indeed diamonds. The consumer of the coal is compelled to pay at the rate of seventy-five cents an hour for the time the delivery man is compelled to wait for his turn to get coal in addition to the price of the coal.

A friend of Mr. Schaake's made a raise of a couple of tons of coal, and undertook to share it up with a friend who lived up on the hill. The teamster with the coal got safely to the top of the hill when he was stopped by a mob of poor people. One acted as spokesman, and asked where the coal was going. On being told, he said that he knew the man and that he was well able to afford to take his family to the hotel and keep them there; but he couldn't, neither could the rest of the people, and they proposed having the coal. The driver surrendered at discretion, and men, women and children, armed with sacks, pails and other receptacles, raided the load and cleaned up all but a very few hunks.

The electric street car company has helped the poorer citizens on the outskirts very materially by allowing them to take two or three sacks of coal home on the front end of the streett cars on which they were passengers, thus saving them the cost of draying.

Sports on the Ice.

A large number of Hindus and other Orientals are attracted daily by the skating and ice games at the North Arm, and appear to be deeply interested in the mystery of balancing on two thin blades of steel. One venturesome Sikh tried to travel on skates yesterday afternoon, but retired after a few ineffectual attempts. The bad boys who disport themselves on the ice have fallen into the habit of swooping down on a crowd of Hindus at a rapid gait, and throwing them off their balance. Some of the turbanned onlookers object very strenuously to this practise, but the majority accept the attentions of the white men in a spirit of fun, and brace themselves when they see a crowd coming their way. Their joy is unconcealed when they are able to throw their opponents without coming in contact with the glassy surface themselves.

Coal Stock Sufficient.

The back of the coal situation has been broken and the danger of bumping into a coal famine in this city has been reduced to a minimum. Messrs. Gilley Bros., have made a raise of a hundred tons of coal, in addition to their own supply, which will soon be added to by a supply by rail. The Western Fuel company still has a nice little pile of coal in the shed and on Saturday will have four more car loads in from Nanaimo, by way of Vancouver. The mines there are running full time and the managers have notified the manager here that he can get all the coal he wants.

THIRTY FAMILIES ARE WITHOUT WATER

Superintendent Stott Carrying Out Instructions to the letter—Wasters Pay the Penalty.

Within the past three days, the water supply has been cut off from over thirty residences and business places, on accountof the consumers failing to take heed of the official warning issued by the Mayor. Three of the waterworks officials have been on the watch for householders who allowed their taps to run all the time, and summary punishment has been meted out in every case. The vigilance of the civic watchmen has not been confined to any one part of the city; they have patrolled the residential district as well as the business section, and they have found offenders on nearly every street visited.

Superintendent of Waterworks Stott stated yesterday evening tha the alarming decrease in the reservoir had ceased, and that there was now no danger of any shortage. The water in the reservoir is ample for any fire-fighting purposes, but the watchmen will keep on going their rounds until the present cold snap is over, this being the only way in which the supply of water can be preserved.

Quite a number of offenders were found in Chinatown, and the Celestials were far from pleased when they found out that they would be deprived of water for some days to come. None of them made any resistance, but the amount of talk which the action of the water officials occasioned was only equalled by the blank looks of dismay when the Chinamen discovered the predicament into which their reckless waste had lead them.

CHEAPER GRADES ARE SHOVED UP IN PRICE

Lumberman's Association Decide to Charge 50c a Thousand more for Lumber.

Nelson, B. C. Jan 17.—Cheaper grades of lumber will be 50 cents a a thousand higher, in accordance with a resolution adopted yesterday by the Mountain Lumberman's Association. It was agreed that no more changes in prices will be made for some time.

Sixty delegates attended the opening session of the association in Nelson yesterday. These included lumbermen from Seattle, Spokane, Vancouver, Kootenay and Alberta. T. Lund was elected president of the association.

Discussion of the labor problem brought out speeches in favor of importing labor from the East and from Europe; also for advertising the province in Europe.

The Hoo Hoo convention was held last night, 125 members attending. The proceedings were concluded with a big banquet at the Strathcona hotel.

Thanks For Gifts.

The following letter has been received by the Victoria Council of Women. The writer is Mrs. Paterson, who recently distinguished herself on the occasion of the Coloma wreck:—

"Dear Madam:—Please accept my sincere thanks for the valuable gifts you sent me. I find it most difficult to express to you my true feelings of appreciation for the honor you have bestowed on me. I think I have had more praise than I deserve, as any true woman would gladly do what I have done. Your beautiful address and kind words of praise will always be most valued possessions in our family.

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Notice to Contractors

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, marked on the envelope "Tender for Construction," will be received at the office of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, at Ottawa, until twelve o'clock noon of the 14th day of February, 1907, for the work required for the construction, in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications of the Commisssioners, for the following sections of the Transcontinental Railway, viz.:—

(1) District "A."—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners at or near the City of Moncton, in the Province of New Brunswick and Quebec, a distance of about 50 miles.

(2) District "A."—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners, at or near the town of Grand Falls, in the Province of New Brunswick, westerly to the boundary between the Provinces of New Brunswick an Quebec, a distance of about 62 miles.

(3) District "B."—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners, at or near the Quebec Bridge easterly for a distance of about 150 miles.

(4) District "B."—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners about 150 miles west of the Quebec Bridge westerly to a point known as Weymontachene, a distance of about 45 miles.

(5) Districts "C" and "D."—From a point designated on the plans of the Commissioners about eight miles west of the Abitibi River crossing easterly for a distance of about 150 miles.

Plans, profiles and specifications may be seen in the office of the Chief Engineer of the Commissioners at Ottawa; also in the offices of the District Engineers concerned, viz.:—Guy C. Dunn, St. John, N. B.,; A. E. Doucet, Quebec P. Q.; and S. R. Poulin, North Bay, Ont.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made in duplicate, and on the printed forms supplied by the Commissioners.

A separate tender must be submitted for each section.

Tenderers shall not be in any way entitled to rely upon the classification or any other information given by any person on behalf of the Commissioners, and before submitting any tender, bidders should make a careful examination of the plans, profiles, drawings and specifications, and read the forms to be executed, and fully inform themselves as to the quantity and quality of materials, and character of workmanship required; and are understood to accept and agree to be bound by the terms and conditions contained in the form of contract, specifications, etc., annexed to the form of tender.

Each tender must be signed and sealed by all the parties to the tender, and witnessed, and be accompanied by an accepted checque on a chartered bank of the Dominion Bank of Canada payable to the order of the Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway, as follows:

For Section No. 1, District "A," $75,000.

For Section No. 2, Dictrict "A." $90,000.

For Section No. 3, District "B," $225,000.

For Section No. 4, District "B," $75,000.

For Section No. 5, Districts "C" and "D," $225,000.

Any person whose tender is accepted shall, within ten days after the acceptance thereof, furnish such additional approved security as may be required by the Commissioners; sign the contract, specifications and other documents required to be signed by the said Commissioners; and, in any case of refusal or failure on the part of the party whose tender is accepted to complete and execute a contract with the said Commisssioners, and to furnish the additional approved security within ten days after the acceptance of the tender, the said checque shall be forfeited to the Commissioners as liquidated damages for such refusal or failure, and all contract rights acquired by the acceptance of the tender shall be forfeited. The cheques deposited by parties whose tenders are accepted will be deposited to the credit of the Receiver General of Canada as part of the security for the due and faithful performance of the contract according to its terms. Cheques deposited by parties whose tenders are rejected will be returned within ten days after the signing of the contract.

Attention is called to the following clauses in the form of contract:

"All mechanics, labourers or other persons who perform labor for the purposes of the construction of the works hereby contracted for shall be paid such wages as are generally accepted as current for competent workmen in the district in which the work is being performed, and if there is no current rate in such district, then a fair and reasonable rate; and, in the event of a dispute arising as to what is the current or fair and reasonable rate, it shall be determined by the Commissioners, whose decisions shall be final."

"This agreement is subject to the regulations now in force, or which may at any time hereafter be in force during the construction of the works hereby contracted for, made under the authority of the Department of Labour, and which are or shall be applicable to such works." (The schedule of Minimum wages determined upon by said department will form part of the contract.)

"The contractor shall, in connection with the whole of the said work, as far as as practicable, use only material, machinery, plant, supplies and rolling stock manufactured or produced in Canada, provided the same can be obtained as cheaply and upon as good terms in Canada as elsewhere, having regard to quality and price."

The contractor shall conform to the fire regulations adopted by the Commissioners; and also to the laws and regulations respecting fires in the different Provinces wherein the work is being performed.

The right is reserved to reject any or all tenders.

By order,
P. E. RYAN,
Secretary.

The Commissioners of the Transcontinental Railway.
Ottawa, Jan. 5th, 1907.

Newspapers inserting this advertisement without authority from the King's Printer will not be paid for it.

PLAIN EVIDENCE IS FURNISHED

Of C.P.R.-McBride Combination by Railway Assistance to Premier On Stumping Tour.

Fernie, B. C., Jan. 17.—Any doubt as to the real character of the relation existing between the present government and the C. P. R. company will be set at rest in view of recent developments. Transportation troubles, delayed trains, and schedules generally are as airy as nothings to McBride, who, in company with Bowser, is stumping the Kootenay country. They have special trains, with the superintendent's private car; and every aid to comfort at the command of the mighty corporation, has been freely placed at the disposal of the premier and as freely used. And yet in spite of the resourceful and indomitable McInnes, the opposition meeting had to be postponed at Nelson, owing to train delays, while BcBride and Bowser were being rushed from F nie to Cranbrook in a C. P. R. special, to which was attached the superintendent's private car. The westbound train was actually held until this private car could be cut in to carry the government "free from all C. P. R. entanglements," with a rush to Kootenay landing.

Matsqui Council.

The council met on Saturday Jan. 12, at 11 a.m., in the municipal hall, with the reeve and councillors Jackman, Merryfield and Benson in attendance. Communications were dealt with as follows:—From G. O. Hougen in reply to Mr. Beasley's letter, re private crossing at Hallert road. Mr. Hougen stated that the settlers were willing to do the necessary grading, but did not wish in any way to commit themselves to have this maintained as a private crossing for all time, and on motion the clerk was directed to write the superintendent of the B. C. E. R. Co. to this effect.

From E. L. Webber, auditor, stating that he had made an audit of the books of the municipality and certifying to have found them correct. Received and filed.

Councillor Jackman reported on a bad hole in the road near Aberdeen school house; Councillor Merryfield reported on the bad state of two bridges on McKay road, which he had ordered to be repaired; Councillor Benson reported on the need of a culvert to be placed near Smith's ranch.

A number of small accounts were ordered paid.

The names of all resident householders, qualified to vote for school trustees on the Abbotsford townsite, was added as a supplementary to the voters' list and certified correct by the Reeve.

The final council of the year will be held on Monday January 21.

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Modern house on 7th street, below Queen's Ave. Price **$2200.**

Two lots and three room house in Sapperton, **$500.**

Dwelling on Columbia street, Sapperton; easy terms, **$700.**

Two storey 6-room house 9th street near Third Ave., **$1400.**

Several lots on Third Ave. between Tenth and Eleventh streets. Reasonable price.

Comfortable house on Queen's Ave. near Ninth street, 7-room, pantry, bath, etc.; full sized lot; magnificent view of the city and river. **$2000.**

Two storey, 8 rooms, on nice lot Eleventh street, above Queen's Ave.; modern; only **$2300.**

Two houses on one lot corner 9th street and 3rd avenue. **$1000** each.

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South-east corner 4th avenue and 8th street; cleared. .**$650.**

Double corner and well built house of 7 rooms on 6th avenue west. The house is modern and there is some fruit; also stable. .**$2200.**

Large residence and two lots on 3rd street and 5th avenue; eight rooms; modern. **$3500.**

One hundred lots in the west end, all well situated with a good view. These range in price **$75 to $125.** Snap these up.

Eight lots at **$125** each fronting on 5th street.

Double corner 6th avenue and 6th street. **$800.** $500 cash, balance six and twelve months at 7 per cent.

Sixth avenue and First street, four acres. .**$2000.**

Six lots facing Moody Square. Price **$200** each.

Four lots on corner 8th street and 7th avenue; a goood buy at **$1200.**

Eleven acres, cleared, on 8th avenue **$5000.**

Five lots on 10th avenue, suitable for chicken raising. .**$500.**

$2700 will buy two houses on south side of Columbia street, between Brunette and Keary, Sapperton; about ¾ acre of land.

House on Keary street, west side; a good house. .**$1100.**

Twelve lots at Sapperton, lying north west of Columbia street, only **$50 each.**

Four lots on Richmond street, Sapprton; cleared and fenced; will make a good chicken ranch. **$250.**

One and a half storey dwelling on Queen's avenue between 4th avenue and 6th street; 7 rooms; modern. **$3000.**

Two cottages on 7th street, near Queen's avenue; larg lot; 5 rooms. **$2000.**

Building site on Queen's avenue west; splendid view; some fruit. **$600.**

Large 10-room dwelling on 3rd avenue between 3rd and 4th streets; modern; practically new; easiest of terms. .**$2200.**

Cottage on 3rd street, near 3rd avenue. **$1100.**

South east corner of 3rd avenue and 3rd street; a good building site. **$600.**

Lot 75x115 on 10th street; 3-roomed house on property; good locality. **$500.**

Two storey dwelling on west side of 3rd street, above Queen's avenue. **$1300.**

Two lots on 3rd avenue between 13th and 14th streets, only **$300** each.

North-west corner 5th avenue and 11th street; size 132x132 feet. **$850.**

Three lots on 8th avenue near 12th street and the Vancouver car line. **$700.**

House and two lots on 8th avenue, near the car line. Only **$600.**

A suburban home on 8th avenue near 2nd street; small house; lot cleared. Only **$400.**

Five lots on 8th street, between 7th and 8th avenues. .**$125** each.

Three lots corner 5th street and 6th avenue, on corner. **$1,000.**

Splendid lot on north side of 6th avenue at the upper end of 3rd street. Only **$200.** See about this.

Six lots on 2nd street; partly cleared. .**$750.**

Eleven acres lying north of Queen's Park on 6th avenue. .**$2500.**

New 7-roomed Bungalow on 6th St. modern; full sized lot. .**$1800.**

Splendid lot on Carnarvon street, near Sixth street; size 66x132, facing south. **$1,250.**

Lot on Columbia street; south side; size 66x66; a splendid site for a block. **$10,000.**

A good property on Carnarvon St., near tenth street; suitable for warehouse property; 66x 132 feet; income $15.00 per month. Only **$3,000.**

Full sized lot on Columbia street west of Burr block and two lots on Clarkson street, with building. Price **$14,500.**

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A nice residence within five minutes walk of the Post Office. On Carnarvon street near Merrivale; 7 rooms bath, electric light, up-to-date plumbing, etc. **$3,500.**

Four full sized lots on Royal avenue between Bushby and Leopold; House on corner lot and another house on same property. A good buy at **$3,000.**

$3,500 for the S. W. corner of Agnes and 6th streets. A good house on this property. This is close in. Look into it.

A good sized house facing Agnes St. and another facing lane at the back, near 6th street. **$2,700.**

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Van. and Burnaby	3.30 p.m.	8.00 p.m.
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HOW WARRIORS DIED.

Grant, who time and again stood untouched amid a hail of bullets, finally died of cancer.

William the Silent survived numerous conflicts and campaigns, only to be assassinated after he was victorious.

Napoleon, apparently bullet proof and believed by his followers to bear a charmed life, died almost alone of a cancer.

Cortes, the conqueror of Mexico, after half a lifetime of desperate fighting, died in Spain of typhoid fever, neglected and despised by those whom he had benefited.

Washington survived the perils of the wilderness, the dangers of Indian warfare, all the bullets and balls of a score of Revolutionary battles and the hardships of a seven years' campaign to be bled to death by his doctors.

Lord Clive, the English conqueror of India, a bold, active warrior, exposed to death in scores of desperate battles and by several plots, fell a victim after his return to England to the opium habit and committed suicide.

Are We a Courteous People?

Are we as Americans as courteous in all our relations of life as well disposed visitors occasionally think us? Are we as courteous as mixed blood, equitable laws and a prevailing sentiment of self respect might be reasonably expected to make us? Do we not sometimes confound issues, confuse disinterestedness with politeness and believe that because good breeding comes from the heart all good hearted people are consequently well bred? Yet there are men and women who stand ever ready to help their fellow creatures and who are seldom or ever polite to them. Dr. Johnson was one of the kindest of men, but of that courtesy which respects the feelings as well as the rights of others he had never the faintest perception. "Now, what harm does it do a man to contradict him?" he used to say, and contradiction was the guiding principle of his talk. It is a guiding principle with people of much less intelligence today, and it gives to conversation a rough acerbity, destructive alike of pleasure and persuasiveness. It is supposed to be a masculine prerogative, but, like other masculine prerogatives, has been usurped by an advance guard of women.—Delineator.

Absentminded.

La Fontaine, the famous fable poet, was a most absentminded man. Meeting one day in a saloon a young man, he was so favorably impressed by his conversation that he expressed his admiration for him in the most flattering terms. "But he is your own son!" exclaimed a guest in astonishment. "Is it so?" replied the poet. "Then I am the more delighted to make his acquaintance."

A Remedy.

"For some time past I've been buying a dozen eggs every week at this store, and I invariably find two bad ones in every dozen. Something's got to be done about it," said an irate housekeeper.

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It Lasts.

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To live long it is necessary to live slowly.—Cicero.

The Same Thing.

Pa Twaddles—Well, what's the matter now? Tommy Twaddles—Ma says I mustn't never say a word while she's in the room. Ma Twaddles—Why, no, I didn't, dear. I said you mustn't interrupt while I'm talking. Tommy—What's the difference? — Cleveland Leader.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

Owing to the lack of patronage, the British Columbia Electric Railway Co., Ltd., has decided to discontinue the service on the Old Line (between Westminster City Limits and Burnaby Junction) after January 12th, 1907.

The car will then have been on the line for a complete month. It is evident, however, from the amount of business done that there is no justification for a permanent service on that line. 3d-9

Notice to Water Consumers.

Owing to excessive use and waste of water since the frost set in, the Reservoir is getting lower and the supply for fire purposes is endangered. Consumers are requested to be careful in the use of water and not to allow their taps to run, but use stop and waste cocks where they are on the service.

Any service found running water to waste after this notice will have the water cut off. By order,

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

City Hall, Jan. 7, 1907.

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.

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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 Robert McKamey, conveyance in fee.

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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.

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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.

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Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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Day Office A22

Night Office B22

FRIDAY, JAN. 18, 1907.

THE LATEST DODGE.

Referring to the article copied by McBride papers from the London, (Eng.) Financial News, the World says: "We wonder if the News-Advertiser takes its readers for a pack of fools? In yesterday's issue it tried to deceive them by a device that was worn out in Eastern Canada years ago, and has been repeated here over and over again, generally unsuccessfully, on the eve of an election. The scheme is to get an article inserted in one or more of the purchasable financial newspapers of London deploring a change of government here lest financial conditions be disturbed and the public credit injured. Mr. Turner, when confronted with one of these prepared, purchased, and lying articles, nine years ago, told his audience that he could get anarticle inserted in any London paper for money."

We fail to see how it could be anticipated, by those who took trouble and spent money to procure the insertion of the article, that it could do the McBride government any good. In our view, it is more likely to turn votes against them than in their favor. We of the West want no dictation from London as to how we shall manage our own affairs, and certainly we do want dictation from an organ of corporations and exploiters. We know already that the men who regard British Columbia simply as a place out of which big dividends can be had, are in favor of the McBride Government or any government of that stamp. A government which will look after the interests of the Province—which believes in promoting the prosperity of the average man, and requiring the dividend-hunters to pay a proper quid pro quo for the concessions and privileges they obtain, is the very last thing such papers as the Financial News wants to see.

"HONEST JOHN."

The Delta Times, with admirable neatness and dispatch, winds up the "Smart Alex." of the Vancouver Province this way:

"The Vancouver Province is inclined to be witty at the expense of John Oliver, his old yellow grip and the red mitts which the bright reporter saw sticking out of his overcoat pocket. Well, John does wear red mitts and a close observer might detect a few stray hay seeds about his clothes, but after all the farmers of Delta are not voting on a man's personal appearance, they are not influenced by the particular brand of hair oil he uses or the perfume on his handkerchief, they look beneath the surface and a law-abiding and conscientious farmer will head the poll in Delta on election day even though city bred youths may find something to laugh at in his rustic appearance."

ON THE SPOT.

The Delta Times, which probably knows quite as much as to the feeling of the people who support it as the city editors know, and, quite possibly, a little more, says:

"McKenzie, in his oration, says that "you must touch the people's pockets in order to make them interested in anything." The farmers of Delta certainly have had their pockets touched and are interested considerably. Their interest will not lead them to vote for Mr. McKenzie but rather to vote to establish a government at Victoria that will not touch their pockets quits so often or go down so deep into them."

The death of the late Hon. W. Hanley, Collector of Customs at New Westminster and afterwards at Victoria, who was superannuated years ago and has since lived a retired life, removes another of the men who were well known and prominent in the early days.

Let us hope that the Kingston disaster is not so terrible as the later telegrams say. In such a scene of confusion it must be a very difficult matter to get at the facts, and the tendency is generally to exaggerate. Unfortunately, the average news-gatherer appears to think that there is a market for "sensations," and the more horrible the better. That a fearful calamity has befallen is beyond doubt, but it will probably be found, when the whole truth comes to be told, that the horror has been painted in more lurid colors than the facts justify.

The touch of Winnipeg winter has been enjoyed by many people, and here in New Westminster, very few have suffered serious inconvenience. Fuel shortage, trouble with water pipes, and other incidents of the rare visitations of severe weather in places which are unprepared for such weather conditions have affected neighboring cities on both sides of the line, much more than they have affected New Westminster.

There are to be two Jardines in the next legislature. John Jardine, a well known champion of progressive Liberalism on Vancouver Island, has received the unanimous nomination from both Liberal and Labor parties in Esquimalt. In 1903, although he had several disadvantages to contend with, he came within a few votes of carrying the seat, and this time his success appears as certain as anything in an election can be. Although a namesake, he is not in any way related to R. Jardine, but there is the resemblance between them, that both are vigorous and fearless campaigners, and both have the reputation of saying what they mean and meaning what they say and staying with it. R. Jardine is going up against the Premier, and J. Jardine has Mr. Speaker for an opponent.

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Any form of recreation which trains the muscles of the arm and exercises the chest and lungs would seem likely to be beneficial to health, but if that is not enough there is the unequaled training which rifle shooting gives to the eye and to the hand working with the eye. The writer remembers hearing a musketry instructor boast that he had lengthened not only his own sight, but the sight of scores of boys whom he had taught how to use their eyes in aiming at a target, by two or three hundred yards, simply by continued practice at long distance shooting. It is astonishing what results can be obtained in this way by placing a rifle on a sand bag raised on a tripod and making the pupil aim as accurately as he can at any distant object. The eye can be trained, of course, equally well, though the sight will not necessarily be lengthened, by aiming at objects close at hand.—London Spectator.

CHILDREN'S CRIMES.

Arson, Theft and Train Wrecking Common, Forgery Rare.

Children's crimes are recognized by criminologists as a large and important branch of criminology. The commonest of children's crimes are arson, stealing and train wrecking, and the rarest is forgery.

Arson, in the country especially, is frequently a crime of childhood. Country children set fire to haystacks and sheds in order to see the great bright flames leap skyward. Children commit arson, in a word, out of a love of fireworks.

Children often wreck trains. Sometimes they do this from reading about romantic train wreckers. More often they do it out of curiosity. They pile obstructions on the track to see what will happen. They have no idea that anything very serious will happen.

Children, of course, steal a good deal. The best of men and women, looking back on their childhood, can recall many a theft. Stealing is natural.

Children now and then murder. Their motive is always jealousy. Thus in Vienna a boy of ten, jealous of his brother and sister, who seemed to be more petted than himself, killed both of them and then took his own life.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

The Way In Turkey.

In the days when M. Paul Cambon represented the interests of the French republic at Constantinople Mme. Sarah Bernhardt, who had been touring in eastern Europe, was desirous of giving a dramatic representation at Yildiz kiosk. The sultan was willing, and the terms were duly arranged with the keeper of the wardrobe, the worthy pasha who has the control of all entertainments at Yildiz. But the pasha held out his hand for more backsheesh than La Belle Sarah felt inclined to give, and so the long looked for representation did not take place. Sarah Bernhardt lost by it £1,000 and the coveted order of the Chefekat. Hermann, the conjurer, knowing the ropes better than the French actress, squared the keeper of the wardrobe, gave his show and got his thousand pounds.—

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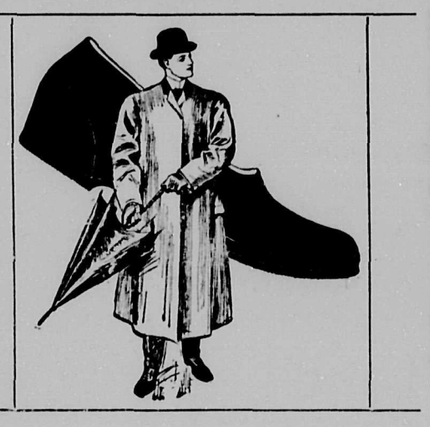
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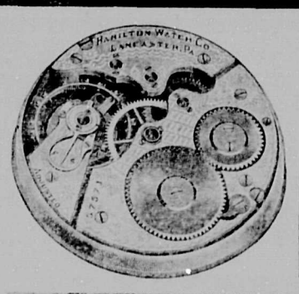
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OUR GREATEST JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

In a very short time the new goods will be here. Then away go the winter ones. To-day bargains brighten every corner of the store. To-morrow bargains will still abound,—but don't leave it till next week.

The goods mentioned below are but a few of the many whose prices are cut in half--- which we positively don't intend to carry over till spring.

Tweed Skirts for women, grey with red and blue overchecks, cheviot habit cloth skirts with silk strappings and navy blue hopsacking skirts. Worth 3.50, 4.50 and 6.25. January sale **$1.95**

Ready-to-wear Hats for women and girls, in popular shapes and popular colors, trimmed in popular styles. These were 2.50, 3.50 and 4.00. January sale **95c**

Colored Flannelette Embroideries, pink, blue and red, with white stitching; also with self color stitching of silk, 200 yards. Worth 7c, 10c and 12 1-2c. January sale, per yard **5c**

Colored Wrapperettes for blouses, kimonas and wrappers; the prettiest we have ever had; 400 yards. Worth 12 1-2c, 15c and 20c. January sale, per yd **10c**

Colored Taffeta Silks, in Nile green, sky blue, pink and yellow; Tender Wrap Taffetas. Cheap at 50c per yd. January sale, 74 yds., per yd **25c**

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The Daily Details

A heavy snow storm was raging all day yesterday at Nanaimo.

Try some of Reichenbach's tasty fresh sauerkraut. It will give you an appetite. 6c per pound.

The Dauntless is now berthed on the east side of Gilley Bros. wharf. The owners have decided to leave it there and wait till the ice rolls by.

Luncheon Parties, etc.,—Ladies desiring assistance in the serving of Luncheons, Dinners, etc., should communicate with Mrs W. J. Norfolk, Post Office, New Westminster. 7d-7

Tickets for the performance of "Cupin in Posterland," to be given on 24th and 25th, may be obtained at Ryall's Drug Store, Dyke Evans and Callaghan's, or from any of the performers.

While playing hockey on the North Arm yesterday afternoon, J. H. Smith, captain of the New Westminster baseball team, received a nasty cut across the face, and was obliged to retire from the game. The injury is more painful than serious.

There were no cases to occupy the attention of the police magistrate yesterday morning, the second-hand heater recently installed in the station corridor having failed to prove as great a drawing card as Chief McIntosh had inticipated.

It took five Hindus exactly two days to saw one cord of wood for a local man, they having undertaken to do the work at a fixed price for the sawing and their rations while on duty. Apparently the Hindus have become adept grafters since their coming into this province.

The Polamtier Sisters, who were to have played in St. Patrick's hall yesterday evening, were unable to reach the city on accaunt of a train accident east of Kamloops. An effort is to be made to have the company appear here next Monday evening, on their return from Vancouver Island, where they are to give a couple of concerts.

A few people from Manitoba who have been spending a few weeks in New Westminster in order to be rid of the "cold weather" which uniformly prevails in the Northwest, are quietly returning home with a careful record of the weather on the Pacific coast for the last ten days, and propose to have the newspapers of Winnipeg exploit the facts in order to prevent further emigration to this province.

A floating dock composed of square cut timbers is being constructed at the G. N. R. wharf for the purpose of protecting the piles from contact with the moving ice. The timbers are so arranged that they will rise and fall with the tide, and are efficient protection. The usual plan to have boom logs alongside the wharves has been discarded in this case, as the officials believe their new plan wil be more efficient.

It has been suggested that it would be an excellent plan for all the boys who go to skate on the North Arm to-day, to arm theemselves with brooms. The ice will be covered with the beautiful, and unless skaters take the matter seriously and all go prepared to do their share towards making skating a pleasant pastime, the burden of the work will fall upon a few industrious ones. The ice is public property and unless there is a sweeping bee, there will not be a fair distribution of labor in the matter.

Mr. Cotton, C. E., has arrived in the city from Ottawa to act as supervisor of the work of construction going on in the district in the interests of the V. V. and E. railway. Mr. Cotton is at the head of his profession although a young man, and has filled a number of positions of trust along the line of his own work. He will remain in the district until the work is completed and will make New Westminister his head quarters. Mrs Cotton will arrive in the city in a short time.

F. W. Pretty, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs F. W. Minthorn for a few weeks, left yesterday on a visit to Victoria, Seattle and other coast cities. He will return to his home at Kamloops in time to take his place in the bonspiel, which starts there on Feb 3. Mr. Pretty is an enthusiastic curler and is connected with one of the star rinks of the upper country. While in this city he invested in $3,000 worth of real estate as he was impressed with the healthy condition of affairs at this point.

George Adams, the grocery man, is like a good many more people and "up ag'in it." His delivery men, all save one, are laid up with la grippe, and the telephone is almost red hot as a result of the frequent messages which come asking why the goods are so late in being delivered. Mr. Adams and his clerks are taking whirls at driving the horses and many and narrow are the escapes of unwary pedestrians as a result. They are doing their best, however, to keep pace with the work and are praying for better times.

One of the local coal dealers has requested the Daily News to contradict the statement made by one of the Vancouver papers to the effect that coal had not been raised in price at the mines. A communication from the mine managers was shown notifying the coal dealers that a raise in the price of that commodity had been made. As an actual fact, since the river closed up, the local coal dealers were, before the recent raise in price, delivering coal at a few cents of a loss, per ton. The extra cost in the commodity being occasioned by the necessity of unloading the coal at Vanconver and reshipping it by rail to this city.

Daily Arrivals.

Guichon—C. E. Merrill, J. Sutherland, G. Thomas and wife, Vancouver; and ten members of the Sergeant Kitty operatic company.

Windsor—W. McGirr, Vancouver; C. Dennison and wife, Alluvia; Miss H. McDonald Victoria; A. Lovett, Denmark; J. Courkey, S. Thompson, Prince Albert, Sask.; and fifteen members of the Sergeant Kitty operatic company.

Colonial—D. Jones, Nelson; W. Delaney, Seattle; C. Fulton and wife, A. Turner, L. Twick, New York.

LOST—Brown cocker spaniel. Finder please return to F. Reichenbach. tf

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Our $9 Overcoats, dark tweed, with velvet collar, Italian cloth linings, for $7.00

Our $10 Overcoats, dark tweed, self collar, some with velvet collars, good trimmings throughout 7.50

Our $13 Overcoats, dark blue beaver cloth, also dark tweeds with velvet collars, several different lines to choose from 9.75

Our $15 Overcoats, in several different styles and patterns, all new and up-to-date lines, best trimmings throughout 11.50

Our $19 Overcoats, in light and dark tweeds, conforming and plain styles, velvet collars, best trimmings, ... 15.00

A few "Hart, Schaffner & Marx" OVERCOATS, in black and dark grey Melton cloths, with Velvet collars; very stylish coats; reg. $24 . 18.00

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For 10 Days Only

We've got too many Overcoats and we don't believe that you have got enough.

We want to sell ours and here's the way we feel about it:

We would rather sacrifice our profit and part of the cost than carry the Coats over to another season. There's nothing wrong about our proposition.

It's good business for us to do so

The Coats are of this season's make—the best we've had.

They're right in cut, fabric and tailoring, and are the products of the Best Makers.

No "make believes" or "tricks"—just a plain, fair and square offer. If you get a fit you get a prize. Here are a few of our price inducements plainly put:

Our $12 Overcoats we offer for $8.00
Our $15 Overcoats we offer for 10.50
Our $18 Overcoats we offer for 12.50
Our $20 Overcoats we offer for 13.50

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4 cleared Lots in Sapperton ..... for $500
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ADVERTISE IN THE NEWS

THE MEXICAN OCELOT.

A Great Jumper Is This Strange Little Spotted Jungle Cat.

One of the most interesting animals of the new world and yet one of which little seems to be written, even by sportsmen who have spent much time in Mexico and the Central American states, is the ocelot, the strange little spotted cat of the dense jungles of tropical parts of the two Americas.

They are not nearly so heavy as the average lynx of the eastern woods and are infinitely lighter on their feet. They run with the greatest agility up and down the almost perpendicular trunks of trees and follow a crippled bird out on limbs too slender, it would seem, to bear the weight of the parrot, let alone the cat. Parrots are the ocelot's principal food, and their hunting is done almost altogether by day, though, like all the cat tribe, they are thoroughly at home in the blackest night.

The parrots which they hunt frequent the thickest of forests, coming to the ground only in the rare open spaces and along the banks of the many small streams where they drink. In order to follow them it is necessary that the ocelots be great jumpers, and so they are. When I was following the hounds through the southern California hills after wildcats and an occasional mountain lion I was wont to say that the latter was the greatest jumper on earth. The ocelot has any mountain lion that ever walked beaten a block, length for length and weight for weight.—Forest and Stream.

LUNCHEON WAS EXPENSIVE.

Instead of 15 Francs It Really Cost 40,000 Francs.

One day three friends in Paris were taking a walk together.

"I should like to have an exquisite lunch," said one of the three.

"I should be satisfied with a lunch," said the second, "which is a little short of being exquisite."

"And I," remarked the third one, "should be content with any kind of lunch."

Unfortunately none of them was possessed of the necessary money. Presently one of the trio was struck by an idea. He led his friends to a music publisher and made him an offer:

"Buy from us a song. This gentleman wrote the text; that one set it to music, and I shall sing it, as I am the only one of us with a good voice."

"Well, sing it for a trial," replied the publisher.

The young man complied, and the publisher seemed to be satisfied. He paid 15 francs for the song, and the friends hastened joyfully to a restaurant.

The author of the text was Alfred de Musset, the musician was Monpur and the singer Dupre. The song, which was bought and paid for with 15 francs, "The Andalusian Girl," yielded the publisher 40,000 francs.—Harper's Weekly.

Strength of a Bear.

Few people know that a grizzly bear can give points to any other carnivorous animal in point of strength. A grizzly bear weighing just four hundredweight has been watched carrying a heifer of more than two-thirds its own weight for two miles up the most steep and rugged mountain side, and this without pausing one instant for rest. The grizzly bear is the largest and most powerful of all the bear tribe, but his cousin, the cinnamon bear, runs him very close, and the big white polar bear, though not really so dangerous a customer, is capable of performing the most extraordinary feats of strength.

Giving Impressively.

There are diversities of giving as well as of gifts. To give a little with a grand air sometimes seems to make more of an impression than to give much modestly. The world has not changed in this respect. Samuel Pepys wrote in his "Diary" in 1660: "There was a great number of merchants and others of good quality (at a dinner) on purpose to make an offering (to two newly married servants), which, when dinner was done, we did, and I did give 10 shillings and no more, though I believe most of the rest did give more, and did believe that I did so too."

Convicted by Sleep.

A Paris woman who was arrested for picking pockets and who pretended to speak an unknown language betrayed herself in her sleep. When brought before the magistrate she was interrogated by Turkish, Russian, Polish and Hungarian interpreters, but none could understand her, although one believed she spoke a little known dialect of Persia. The magistrate was not convinced and ordered her to be kept in the prison infirmary under strict surveillance. In her sleep the woman talked fluent French, with the true Parisian accent.

Practical Illustration.

"My dear," said the caller, with a winning smile, to the little girl who occupied the study while her father, an eminent literary man, was at his dinner, "I suppose you assist your papa by entertaining the bores?"

"Yes, sir," replied the little girl gravely. "Please be seated."—Washington Journal.

The Wise Man.

"This popular fiction is all rot. In real life the girl's father seldom objects to the man of her choice."

"You're wrong there. He often objects, but he's usually too wise to say anything."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Any time is the proper time for saying what is just.—Greek Proverb.

The Art of Getting Rich

THE TIME HAS COME for New Westminster to forge ahead. As the Province develops so will the City grow. It is essentially a city of manufacturing sites, and the investment now of a few dollars will repay a hundredfold.

DO A BIT OF THINKING!

Size up the situation, and buy now before the snow flies.

13-roomed House, with bath room, pantry, scullery, root house and wood shed attached; electric light; hot and cold water. 181 ft. front, 280 ft. deep (more or less). All kinds of fruit, 5 walnut trees, all bearing small fruit. Price for the whole **$5,500;** terms half cash, bal. 7 per cent. Price of house and land going with it, $4,000. Telephonic communication with house.

2 lots can be bought separately; 50 ft. front, 280 ft. deep, $750 each; good bearing fruit trees; lane on back from 3rd Ave. to 4th Ave.

TO INVESTORS.

86 acres, half mile waterfront, G.N.R. running through. **$9,460,** terms easy. Investigate.

Two storey house between Fourth and Fifth avenue, seven rooms. Rents for $15. **$1,700.**

Six lots, 50x150, outside city limits **$60 each lot.** Fuller particulars on enquiry.

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.

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.

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.

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

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.

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.

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.

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.**

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.

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.

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

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

This is 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.

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.

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

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.**

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 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 **$1,200.** Terms to be arranged.

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

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.

1 1-2 acres, between 5th and 6th avenue and 16th and 14th Sts. **$500** cash.

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.

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.**

Just Look!

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.

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.

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UNION LODGE, NO. 9, A. F. & A. M.—The regular meeting of this lodge 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.

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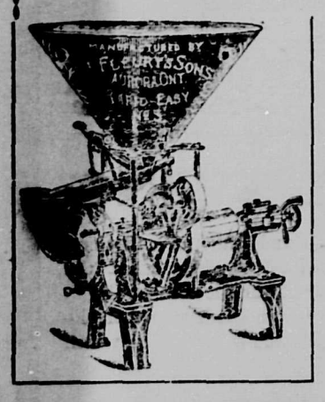

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LAND REGISTRY ACT

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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.

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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. Hammill.

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."

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It Lost For the Empress Eugenie the French Empire.

Even Emile de Girardin, whom Eugenie welcomed as "the gravedigger of dynasties" because he had gone to Louis Philippe on the eve of his flight in 1848 to warn him as he came to warn her now, said to her very seriously that night:

"Should your majesty appear bravely on horseback in the midst of the people your majesty can still count on their enthusiasm and devotion."

Eugenie resolved to show herself on horseback. She ordered that the riding habit be chosen. It must be all black, of the severest simplicity. And she would just pin the red ribbon of the Legion of Honor on her left breast.

Often the slightest causes bring about the gravest results. The tragedy of the empire's last chance, therefore, must be sought along with the black riding skirt and corsage.

By incredible ill luck they could not find it. There had been one, but it had disappeared, "doubtless stolen." Others were at Compiegne and Fontainebleau. They found a riding habit of dark green with heavy gold braid, the costume of the imperial stag hunts.

"It will not do," Eugenie sobbed; "it will not do!"

And so for lack of a black skirt and corsage the empress of the French was forced to flee her capital and lost an empire.—Sterling Heilig in Metropolitan Magazine.

A FLY IN A WEB.

The Way a Tiny Spider Imprisoned His Big Victim.

"One morning when busy in my workshop," says a naturalist, "a large fly, double the size of a bluebottle, was caught in a spider's web in the window close to where I was at work. It was held by two of its legs only, and for some time the spider, which was about the size of the fly's head, proceeded to strengthen its hold by attaching numerous extra lines to the two captive limbs, carefully keeping out of reach of the others, which were letting out in all directions in frantic efforts to escape.

"During a short respite in the captive's struggles the spider cautiously approached and with its hind legs got several turns of its tiny rope round one of the limbs that were free. These tactics were carried on till all the legs were firmly bound. It then injected poison into one of the legs. This soon showed itself, for its deadening effects reduced the victim's struggles in a marked degree. The poison paralyzes, but does not kill.

"Shortly after a second bite resistance ceased, and the victor settled down to suck the juices of its fallen prey. The struggles lasted quite an hour. Next morning the fly was alive, and the spider was still sucking out its lifeblood."—Chicago News.

The Missing Note.

One of the leading tenors in Moscow was called upon to sing an opera in which one note was much too high for him, but he got a man in the orchestra to come in just at the right time and supply the note. In exchange the tenor was to take him to supper. The plan answered well, the applause was loud, but the tenor forgot all about the supper. Next time he sang the opera he went to the front of the stage, put his hand on his heart and opened his mouth as wide as he could. His discomfiture was great when the expectant hush was broken by a voice from the orchestra saying, "Where's my supper?"—From Iskra.

Followed His Pipe.

An old Hungarian countryman had smoked the same pipe for more than fifty years and as a natural consequence had grown to love it as a companion. One day, however, his infant grandson smashed the pipe beyond all hope of repair. The old man was so broken hearted at his loss that he hanged himself on a peg. In his pocket was found a scrap of paper on which was scribbled, "My pipe is done for, and I must go too."

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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."

J. McDonald, the railway contractor who has been seriously ill in the Hospital for several days past, is now reported to be well on the way to recovery.

Stuart McKay, of Vancouver, has been appointed night station agent at the V. W. & Y. depot, succeeding Mr. Welland, who has been transferred to Seattle.

A. E. Rugg, son of Rev. M. L. Rugg, D.D., went back to Summerland to his ranch, yesterday, after having spent a few weeks with his parents.

D. W. Turnbull left yesterday afternoon for Agassiz, to fill a position as bookkeeper for one of the lumber camps in that vicinity.

Ed. Goulet, station agent at the C. P. R., was laid up yesterday with the fashionable la grippe.

The Bridge club met yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Charleson. The members present were Mrs. Holt, Mrs. Graeme, Mrs. Coulthard, Mrs. DeWolf Smith, Mrs. Yeungling, Mrs. Gordon, Mrs Gaynor, Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Cotton, Mrs. J. Stilwell Clute, Miss Mabel Gray and Miss Grace Corbould.

Those Planks.

To the Editor of the Daily News:

Sir:—Referring to the "Pointers" in the Daily News of this morning, in which it is stated that our esteemed citizen and eminent politician, P. Peebles, supplied two planks for the government platform, I should be glad to know if these planks, or either of them, had anything to do with the wardenship of the provincial jail?

Yours, VOTER.

Jan. 17, 1907.

Sergeant Kitty.

"By jove, that was certainly a good show;" this is one of the comments heard last night as the last curtain fell on Helen Byron and her company. It certainly was a very creditable performance, the company carried its own scenery and the costumes were fresh and pretty. Miss Byron herself has a sweet voice and is a dainty and pleasing actress. James McElhern, as Jacques Jonquiniere, is a first class comedian and kept the audience in a roar all the time he was on the stage. Miss Desmond, as "Henri's" wife, and Tom Hadaway, as "Celestin," did very well, and the chorus was good. It is a pity that there was not a larger house to see this, one of the finest musical comedies in the local Opera House for a long time, but the cold snowy night is to blame for that.

Revised List.

Of bookings at the Opera House in January:

22nd, Little Duchess.
24th, Cupid in Posterland.
25th, Cupid in Posterland.
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After being injured by a bull of peculiarly savage temper John Wesson was under a doctor's care for a considerable time and thereby incurred a heavy bill for medical attendance. When he was almost well one of his old friends who had called upon him said he congratulated him on looking so well after such a long illness.

"Looking well!" echoed John. "I should be looking well. There's been $150 spent in repairs on me lately, and I'm not finished yet!"

The Privilege of Peers.

There is a curious case in Fortescue's "reports" relating to the privilege of peers, in which the bailiff who many years ago arrested a lord was forced by the court to kneel down and ask his pardon, though he alleged that he had acted by mistake, for that his lordship had a dirty shirt, a wornout suit of clothes and only sixpence in his pocket, so that he could not believe that he was a peer and arrested him through inadvertence.—Green Bag.

He Died Anyhow.

This was the way a native physician in India filled out a death certificate: "I am of a mind that he died (or lost his life) for want of foodings or on account of starvation. Maybe also for other things for comfortables, and most probably he died by drowning."

The Original "Village Blacksmith?"

Dunchurch, near Rugby, claims that its smithy is the original forge which inspired the famous verses on "The Village Blacksmith." It is a picturesque old place, and the "spreading chestnut tree" still flourishes in front of it.—London Strand.

No Need For a Leader.

The society reporters always speak of a bride being "led to the altar," just as though a bride couldn't find her own way there blindfolded. — Philadelphia Record.

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