

MOKE OBSCURES SKY IN THE EAST

Business Greatly Interfered
With by Bush Fires —
Worst in Years.

Sept. 18. — Business and shipping is completely obscured today owing to dense smoke from bush fires. Shipping men have not for the past 25 years seen such a condition. Inward and outward traffic is well as the inland waterway, are held up until the smoke clears.

Sept. 18. — Not for twenty years have mariners had such weather. The harbor is full of vessels and Montreal steamship company has tied up its craft, owing to the dangerous condition of the river, due to fog and smoke. Captains of big steamers say it is the worst time on the trip from Duluth to Fort William the decks were covered with ash. Big grain vessels at Fort William are at Nine Mile, unable to get into the harbor.

Sept. 18. — The smoke which came over the capital has stopped practice at the school musketry range. The targets are black.

Political Intelligence

Postponed Elections.
Sept. 18. — There are six elections which will be held later than scheduled. These are: Chas. Sweeney and Gaspe, in Quebec; Adams, Kootenay and Yale in British Columbia, and the election in the last mentioned territory. The election will not take place until before December, much time is required to post the notices and prepare the papers. In the other elections the date is left in the hands of the electors.

Returning Officers.
Sept. 18. — The following have been appointed returning officers for the coming election: Vancouver, Thomas Mackay; Coquitlam, James L. Brown; Nanaimo, John H. Birrell; New Westminster, James L. Brown; Victoria, James L. Brown; and Yale, Carlisle, Dr. Campaign Sheets.

Sept. 18. — Hon. I. D. Scott, Minister of the Interior, has started a Conservative campaign sheet. He has the election, no matter how close, as one of the existing Liberal who he has discontinued.

Borden, Enemy of Halifax.
Sept. 18. — At a large meeting last night William Roche and John D. Campbell were unanimously elected as standard bearers for the Liberal party. In his speech of acceptance he said that he was a Liberal. He had opposed the Transcontinental railway day after day, and as it will be a great help to Halifax, he said he considered it the worst enemy of Halifax. He has been in parliament since 1880.

Sifton vs. Daly.
Sept. 18. — Hon. T. M. Sifton, Minister of the Interior, has been named by the Conservative government, to oppose Hon. Clifford Sifton in the election.

Frank, Attorney, at Crystal City.
Sept. 18. — The main body of chosen last evening for the Liberal candidate for the constituency of Lisgar.

C. McDonald, Vernon.
Sept. 18. — Nominated in Chateaugay.

St. Martin, Sept. 18. — Chateaugay.
Sept. 18. — Nominated today James Borden for the Commons.

Fish is Candidate.
Sept. 18. — Dufferin Liberal yesterday nominated J. M. Fish for the Commons.

Borden is Nominated.
Sept. 18. — Mr. Frederick Borden was nominated by the King's party yesterday.

J. C. Palmer Dead.
Sept. 18. — John C. Palmer, Minister of the Interior, one of the best known men in Ontario, died this morning, aged 74.

BOWLING TEAM WON BY THREE PIN MAJORITY

City Bowlers Captured Victory Over
Vancouver Visitors by Narrow
Margin of Three Pins.

The closest bowling tournament ever pulled off in this province resulted in a victory for Westminister at the Bowling alleys yesterday evening, when the Vancouver team was defeated by a majority of only three pins in a possible score of 4500 pins. Vancouver captured the first game, lost the second and won the third, Westminister's majority in the middle game being sufficient to win the victory.

Following is the tabulated result of the bowling:

Vancouver—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
Steers	168	142	129
Sharples	168	122	121
South	184	124	184
Scott	152	190	152
Hodge	138	148	167
Total	810	726	753
Grand total	2299		

Westminister—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.
A. E. Hale	111	170	150
A. F. Hale	202	211	131
Willette	145	136	128
C. P. Latham	137	165	153
Emery	146	141	166
Total	741	823	728
Grand total	2292		

Majority for New Westminister, 3

REDS RECOGNIZE THE ESPERANTO ADVANTAGES

Anarchists Use Common Language in
Communications with Members of
Different Races Abroad.

Prague, Sept. 18. — Anarchists are now using Esperanto as the language of communication with comrades in foreign lands.

This was discovered accidentally in Bohemia, where the authorities unearthed an anarchist society masquerading as a miners' labor association, with ramifications extending from Spain and Portugal in the south to North America in the west.

A large quantity of books, documents and letters of a highly incriminating character was discovered by the police. The bulk of this correspondence with anarchists abroad was carried on in Esperanto, in which all the parties seemed to have obtained a fair degree of proficiency. "Czeska Federace" as the society was called, also had its secret cipher, which the police have not yet been able to unravel.

MARK TWAIN PRESENTED WITH CARVED MANTEL-PIECE

Honolulu, T. H., Sept. 18. — By the next American-Hawaiian steamer to the coast will go a beautifully carved mantel-piece addressed to Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain), Danbury, Connecticut, a gift to the celebrated writer from the Hawaii promotion committee. The mantel is made of curly goa, or Hawaiian mahogany, and is one of the finest examples of the cabinet-makers' art ever produced in the territory. It was designed and carved by F. N. O'Brien, a wood carver of exceptional skill, who has been engaged on the work for the past four months.

The entire islands were scoured in securing wood of the finest possible grain, and a vast amount of labor was expended in carving in high relief on the capitals of the polished columns on either side, representation of the various Hawaiian flowers. On the splendid central panel the comprehensive word of greeting or regard, Aloha—appears in carved letters.

The gift is designed for the birthday of Mr. Clemens' new home in Danbury, and was tendered as a token of appreciation of the many kind things which he has said in his writings, of the Paradise of the Pacific.

G. T. P. Passenger Agent.
Montreal, Sept. 18. — A. E. Duff has been appointed district passenger agent on lines west of Lake Superior for the G. T. P., with offices at Winnipeg.

LIEUT.-GOVERNOR DUNSMUIR TO OPEN EXHIBITION THIS YEAR

Premier McBride Accepts Invitation to Unveil Simon
Fraser Monument on Scottish Day—Capitals to
Play Three Games, Two With Champions
—Good Program Children's Day.

The program for the Exhibition post, would take part in the ceremony. The program for the Exhibition matches, amusements and engagements was finally drafted last evening at a meeting of the city directors, and a brief resume of the attractions, exclusive of the Fire Chiefs' convention, Sept. 24-26, appears below. Sheriff Armstrong presided, and the principal matters arranged were the Children's Day attractions, and the lacrosse matches. In view of the Capitals' tour all the previous fixtures had to be added, as lacrosse naturally is the best drawing card for a crowd. The Capitals, who have accepted the society's conditions not to play at any other town in British Columbia, will meet Westminister on Tuesday, Vancouver on Thursday, and the champions again on Saturday. The intermediate game between Westminister and the V. A. C. will be withdrawn. Nels Nelson, chairman of the lacrosse committee, voicing the sentiments of the meeting at the club's action in withdrawing with good grace.

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GROUND GETTING INTO SHAPE FOR EXHIBITION

Chain Gang Busy Putting Queen's
Park in Order—Electric Fountain
Ready—Entries Close Today.

The manager of the R. A. & L. society, W. H. Keary, is already busy in his office at the Administration building, and the clerks are receiving entries directly. Entries close today, but all the exhibitors' forms will not reach the secretary's office for two or three days, so that it will not be known probably before Wednesday the total number of entries in the many classes.

The loan collection of the Ontario Society of Artists has arrived, and will be arranged next week under the direction of H. De Forrest, of Vancouver, the well-known artist. The collection of pictures which has been promised from B. C. owners will prove an attractive feature. Inside the buildings some of the stall holders are getting things into shape, and a few of the exhibits of manufactured articles are in place. Next week the buildings will become hives of industry.

Good work is being done on the grounds by a chain gang from the Provincial jail, who are clearing the paths, and gardeners are at work on the flower beds and lawns. Men are busy building the wall at the outer bank of the new reservoir, and the fountain in the centre will be electrically lit at night from tomorrow onwards. P. T. Bowler, city electrician, having completed the arrangements.

**Chinese Start Cruel
Story to Get Cash**

Credulous Celestials Induced to Part
With Many Yen on Being Told
That Devils Were Abroad.

Amoy, China, Sept. 18. — The reports emanating from Shanghai and published in the United States that there had been three thousand deaths from cholera here during the month of August and that the supply of coffins had become exhausted, and many bodies were lying unburied in the streets, is greatly exaggerated. Julian H. Arnold, the American consul, said to the Associated Press representative today: "There have been about forty deaths from cholera on the island of Kulangsu, the international settlement on the western side of the harbor, since August 1, and I have reported officially that there have been but few deaths from cholera during the past week. I wrote to Manila yesterday that the heavy rains had reduced the cholera to such an extent that it soon would be entirely eradicated."

The statement published in the United States that there had been three thousand cholera deaths here in August finds its origin in a local story started by Chinese interested in getting cash from their credulous countrymen. The men desired to induce sacrificial contributions to the ghosts of departed ancestors, and on August 15 they started the report that four devils had been seen in the city. One of these devils cursed the people of the city for their laxity in observing "ghost sacrifices" during the seventh moon, saying that in punishment death would be sent to the people of Amoy, and that their bodies would rot unburied in the streets. The next day there were eighty-seven deaths in the city, and while this was only a slight increase from the normal, it threw the people into a state of terror. They recalled the threats of the angry devils, and estimated that with a proportionate increase the total of deaths for the seventh moon would easily exceed 3000.

The first case of cholera in Amoy was reported August 3.

For the thirty-four days from August 10 to September 15, inclusive, but excluding August 29, 30, 31, and September 1, there were 1581 deaths from all causes in Amoy.

It is customary in all Chinese cities for the very poor to carry their dead in coffins to the public burying places, trusting to the charity of kindly men to pay funeral expenses. This custom undoubtedly gave rise to the untrue statement from Shanghai that bodies were lying unburied in the streets of the city.

Postman Sentenced.
Ottawa, Sept. 18. — In the police court this morning, J. D. Morin, a letter carrier, was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary for stealing letters containing money.

Miners' Strike Ended.
Butte, Mont., Sept. 18. — The strike of the United Mine Workers of Wyoming ended today. Seven thousand men who walked out ten days ago returned to work today.

TRADES COUNCIL AND POLITICS OF LABOR

President Disallows Motion
Inviting Party Candidates
to Discuss Their Policies.

At the monthly meeting of the Trades and Labor council last evening, J. J. Randolph, president, in the chair, a discussion took place on the position of the council to labor as a political movement. The matter came up on a suggestion from C. Feeney (Street Railwaymen), that, as they did not propose to run a labor man at the coming elections, they should invite both candidates to give their views to the workmen of the city, and show how they stood to the leading questions of the day, and particularly to those which affected them as working men.

The president advised them as a council not to meddle with politics, but the proposer said they were not meddling in politics to call such a meeting. They were out for information.

D. Rogers (barbers) said labor had to fight for what it wanted, and he did not see why the suggestion should not be carried out.

V. Johndro (carpenters) remarked that a party of labor men outside that council had views of which they would hear soon.

The chairman ruled the discussion out of order, on the ground that their constitution, section 13, said "All political discussions shall be prohibited except such as have a direct bearing on the interests of labor."

Mr. Rogers then gave notice of motion that he would move at the next meeting to amend that clause.

Labor Day Next Year.
C. Feeney initiated a discussion which led to a resolution being passed to take up at the January meeting the question of celebrating Labor Day next year, and it is expected Vancouver Trades and Labor council will take part in a monster celebration here.

The reports from the unions showed that work was fair throughout the city.

Discussing the use of the board of trade room at the City hall, T. Turnbull contended that it was not right for the city to hand over the control of one of its public rooms in the civic building to a private corporation of citizens like the board of trade. No action was taken. H. Schofield acted as secretary.

OLYMPIC TEAM TAKES TWO OF THE CHAMPIONS

Alec Turnbull, and George Rennie
Leave on Tuesday to Sail for
England on October 2.

Manager C. A. Welsh, of the Westminister Lacrosse club, received a message yesterday asking him to go to Vancouver to see Assistant General Passenger Agent W. Foster, of the C. P. R., and arrange for the transportation of Alexander Turnbull and George Rennie, who leave on the morning train on Tuesday for the east, to join the Olympic team for England.

No doubt there will be a good send-off for the men who are to represent the champions of the world, especially as only one other team in Canada has the privilege of sending two members. Mr. Welsh will go over today in connection with the Vancouver-Westminister match, and hopes to arrange for transportation then.

Lake Navigation Is Resumed.

Port Arthur, Sept. 18. — Wind and rain last night has cleared the lake of smoke and for the first time in several days navigation in this end of Lake Superior is unimpeded. The forest fire situation was improved today by a light fall of rain and danger appears now to be over.

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL.

Spokane 2
Vancouver 5

This Is My 50th Birthday

Sir Henry Norman.

Sir Henry Norman, author, traveller, newspaper writer and, since 1900, member of the British parliament, was born at Leicester, England, on Sept. 19, 1858. He received a cosmopolitan education, first in England, later in Paris, then in the United States, where he graduated from Harvard university, and finally in Germany, where he was for two years a student at Leipzig university. He became first known after his graduation from Harvard, when he inaugurated the public agitation for the national preservation of Niagara Falls, which resulted in their subsequent purchase by the state of New York. He began his newspaper career on the Pall Mall Gazette. When he inherited a fortune four years later he began to travel extensively. He visited many foreign countries and wrote interesting descriptive and numerous travel stories and critical articles to various newspapers. In 1895 he became assistant editor of the London Chronicle and in 1902 he founded "The World's Work." He is the author of a number of excellent books and was knighted last year.

LAURIER'S SPEECH AT SOREL APPRECIATED BY EVERYONE

(By E. W. Thomson, of the Boston Transcript.)

Montreal, Sept. 7.—On Saturday Sir Wilfrid Laurier opened his re-election campaign at Sorel, the pretty ship-building and repairing town about three hours by boat down the St. Lawrence river. There he "started in" for the winning fight of 1903.

For pleasure and instruction combined, a man of political tastes might reasonably travel far to participate in such an excursion with the Canadian premier and his adherents. The steamer Beupre was crammed with enthusiasts, all highly appreciative of the significance of the two termini of the trip. On starting they cheered the great harbor works, which Montreal owes so largely to Laurier. On landing they equally applauded the immense improvements which he has brought about at Sorel. Many accompanying yachts and launches tooled continuous rejoicing. Special trains, all over-crammed, poured the faithful in to roar for the chief. Flags everywhere. Twice as many Union Jacks as were shown in 1904. Perhaps fewer tricolors. More copies of the beautiful banner of the Sacred Heart. An abiding sense of Uncle Sam's friendship was haunting from no insignificant number of "Old Glories." Good will to all—that is the feeling with which the Canadian premier has indoctrinated his compatriots. Never was a statesman more truly Patrie. Prosperity has followed his way. The races and creeds never before so seemed to dwell together in the unity of a common patriotism. To this consummation all the efforts of his forty political years have been devoted. Even his steepest opponents confess to love and admiration for the great orator who has never yet spoken a heart-wounding sentence.

Just to see him with his people?—It makes no difference whether they be old or young, French, English, Scotch, Irish, German—all are his friends who come under those kindly, magnetic grey eyes. There is no make-believe in his attention to each and every one who comes up to get a good word, a hand shake, the smile of his unfailing power to cheer. He gives everyone the sense of having either been remembered personally, or, which is perhaps even more delightful, some certainty of one's father, grandfather, uncle, aunt, or native village being singularly impressed on the great man's memory. It is a marvellous one. Sir Wilfrid turns from man to man quickly, yet none feel dismissed curtly. He gets through his day-long reception as if he liked it. Really that is the secret of his charm. He loves his fellow man. He is a good "mixer" because he likes to mix. The people repay him a million fold. Quite apart from consideration of his singularly persuasive oratory, of which "the style is the man," it is not strictly conceivable that he can ever be beaten in any contest where personal affection guides votes.

In receiving the people Sir Wilfrid never has to unlearn, for the excellent reason that he was never stiff. He is never undignified, and yet there would be a certain inaccuracy in describing him as dignified, though no man is more so. His dignity is worn as a grace. He is as simple, direct, homely, manful in his deportment as Father Abraham Lincoln—of whom, by the way, the Canadian premier is so steadfast an admirer that he reads everything published about the great president. On effect of personal contact with Laurier has been mentioned by many people. "He made me feel better," they say. Try to get at what they mean by "better," and you discover that they mean just better. Not

elated, rather warmed, kinder, more good.

Well, there was nothing new said at the Sorel meeting. Nothing new was needed. Reminders were enough. Yet Laurier, as usual, presented the "central truth" of the political situation in a few words. He said he felt sure of winning, because there was no reason for turning his government out. That is just what the people feel. Allegations of "scandal," mostly slanderous, are not reasons for defeating a competent, energetic, progressive ministry.

The meeting was an occasion for ascertaining whether the heart of Quebec had turned one iota from her foremost son—the man who has caused his race to be properly valued, esteemed, praised by the whole world of the English-speaking empire. The response of Quebec was emphatically "We love and trust him more than ever." That implies victory all along the line in the electoral campaign, since a main hope of the opposition has lately been founded on assertions that Quebec has "soured" on Laurier.

It has been a curious campaign, so far. Nearly all the public talking has been left to the opposition leaders, and all the loud writing of the opposition press. Allegations of "scandal" have been the one burden of their pourings. As if easy conscience, the ministry and their press maintained a silence that seemed an amused one to some spectators, a sullen one to others. Be that as it may, it is very certain that Laurier's opponents have run over and over again the entire gamut of their charges. Now all the scandal talk has become familiar, dull, wearisome. Just when the people are turning from it fast when they are in a humor to hear fresh and sensible discourse, Laurier begins. This is but a sample of his patient strategy. He is an opportunist—one who waits for the right time. Though he said nothing quite novel at Sorel, he there prepared the general mind of Canada for what he will say ten days later at Niagara, and thereafter in Ontario for a fortnight of public meetings. The so-called English province is to be a main battleground in this fight. It will be surprising if, at last, that community shall not do him the justice which, though fairly earned, it has long denied.

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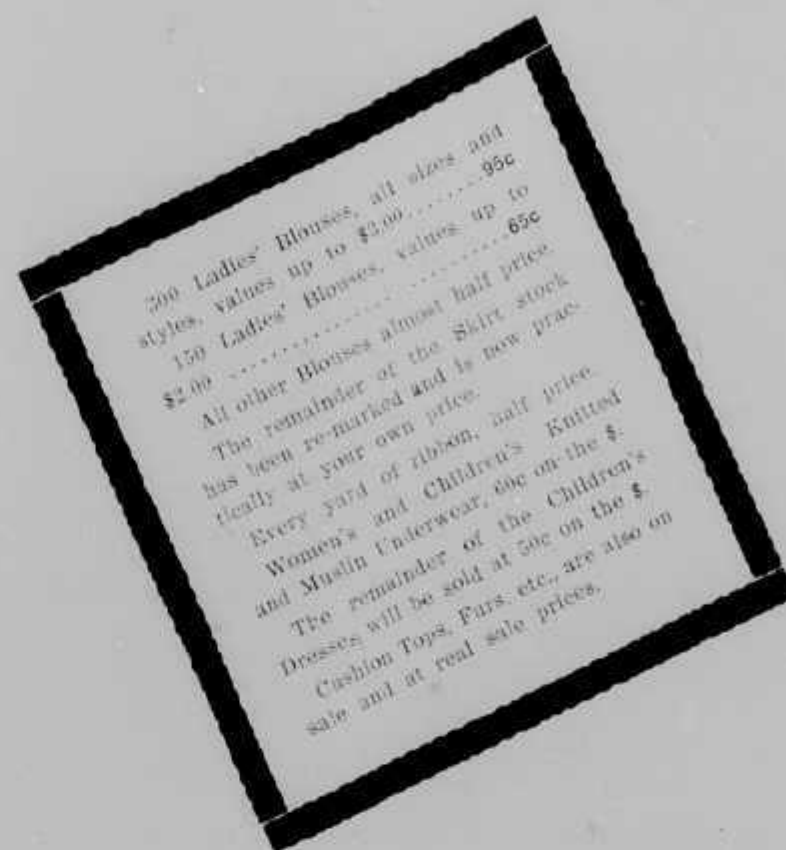
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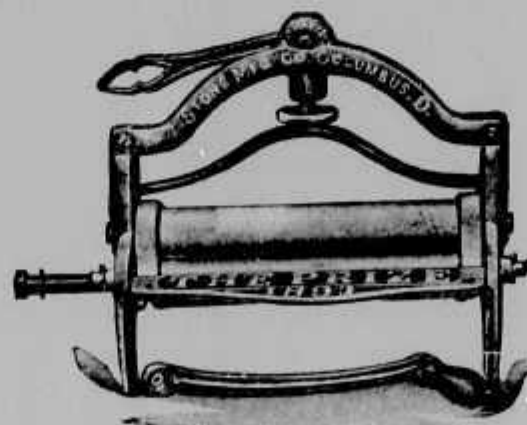
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A. O. U. W.—FRASER LODGE No. 3.—Meetings the first and third Tuesday in each month. Visiting brethren cordially invited to attend. Lodge room, A. O. U. W. hall, Oddfellows' block, Clarkson street.

COURT BRUNETTE, No. 4099, I.O.F.—Meets the fourth Friday in the month at 8 o'clock in the small hall, Oddfellows' block.

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

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

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

I. O. O. F.—Royal City Lodge, No. 3.—Meets in Oddfellows' hall, Columbia street, every Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Visiting brethren will be made welcome. G. E. Gilbey, N. G.; C. E. Osborne, P. G., recording secretary.

ROSE OF COLUMBIA LODGE No. 115, SONS OF ENGLAND, B. C.—Red Rose Degree meets Second and Fourth Wednesday of each month in K. of P. hall, Columbia St., at 8 p. m. White Rose Degree, Fourth Wednesday in each month, same time and place.

OTHER FRATERNAL SOCIETIES, include the Union Lodge, No. 9, A. F. and A. M.; King Solomon Lodge, No. 17, A. F. and A. M.; L. O. L. No. 1159; L. O. L. No. 1593; Court Sapperton, No. 4683, I. O. F.; C. O. F., Court Westminster, No. 339; Brotherhood of Owls, Nest No. 29.

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Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situated. Entry in proxy may, however, be made on certain conditions by the father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister of an intending homesteader.

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

(1) At least six months residence upon and cultivation of the land 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 requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing on the father or mother.

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

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

COAL—Coal mining rights may be leased for a period of twenty-one years at an annual rental of \$1 per acre. Not more than 2560 acres shall be leased to one individual or company. A royalty at the rate of five cents per ton shall be collected on the marketable coal mined.

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"Indeed, Jose is even greater than that. He can sing songs that were dead years ago for any man but Jose, and sing them straight into your heart."

"O, fastidious ones of modernity, think of weeping at this time of day over 'Silver Threads Among the Gold' yet they wept yesterday as Jose sang that old song—ladies, old and stout and young and slim, and men, fat and lean and sedentary. And then martial tones beat time when Jose exhorted 'Dolly Gray.' That made soldiers of us all. And when he soared a whole octave and sang in his matchless contra tenor, 'Tramp! Tramp! Tramp! the Boys are Marching!' as counterpoint against the orchestra's 'Dolly Gray,' then the applause was to the nature of artillery."

Jose will sing popular ballads at the opera house on Monday between the acts of 'Don't Tell My Wife,' a new farce-comedy, which will then be presented for the first time in this city.

This Date in History

SEPTEMBER 19.

- 1841—The Federal forces were victorious in the battle of Oquana, Va.
- 1871—Lincoln's body was removed to the final resting place at Springfield, Ill.
- 1881—James A. Garfield, twentieth president of United States, died at Long Branch, N. J. Born in Cuyahoga county, Ohio, Nov. 19, 1831.
- 1884—Earthquake shocks were felt in Michigan, Ohio and Indiana.
- 1883—Sir Alexander Galt, prominent Canadian statesman, died. Born Sept. 6, 1817.
- 1901—The funeral of President McKinley was held at Canton, Ohio.
- 1902—Marie Henriette, queen of the Belgians, died, aged 66 years.
- 1907—The new treaty between France and Canada was signed at Paris.

APPLES TO ADVERTISE WEALTH OF PROVINCE

Fruit Being Shipped From
Lytton to England For
Exhibition Purposes.

Lytton, Sept. 18.—T. G. Earl, of Lytton, one of the pioneer fruit-growers of British Columbia, and an authority on fruit culture, is in the city. He brought to town samples of Cravenstein apples grown to the honors of his district—about ten miles east of his ranch.

"The apples I have brought, grown by the natives," said Mr. Earl, "are of the very best I have ever seen. It seems to me that they are entitled to special credit for the success they have attained."

Mr. Earl has just received an order for his ranch from the federal government for 400 boxes of his prize fruit which is everywhere admitted to be the finest grown in the country. The shipment is for exhibition purposes in Great Britain. Another order for fifty boxes of apples is just being filled for the provincial government also for exhibition purposes.

CREW OF BRITISH

STEAMER AEON SAFE

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 18.—Word comes from Bamfield cable station that the captain of the missing British steamer Aeon has arrived at Fanning Island and reports all his crew safe at Christmas Island. The Aeon and her crew had been given up as lost. She sailed from San Francisco several months ago.

Fighting in Slave Centre.

Paris, Sept. 17.—Despatches to the government from the governor-general of the French Congo state that a force of 600 French troops under Capt. Jallied, has routed the Ouadi tribe whose territory is the centre of trade in slaves and contraband arms. The tribesmen's losses numbered about a thousand.

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DO NOT FORGET.

Do not forget that liberty and equality are the foundations upon which Liberalism has become such a mighty force.

"Thirty feet to the gulf."

POLITICAL CRIME.

Definitely, both parties condemn political crime. The leader of each host is outspoken in his censure of political corruption. Human nature is prone to err, whether under the Conservative or Liberal banner and until the archangel proclaims that time shall be no more there will be parasites hanging on to and feeding off the political system. The heart-burning, strong as it must be after the exposures of Colchester, cannot change the fact that within the Tory camp there remains that old disease which sapped the party of its strength. The corruption of the old days, when the party took hold of a new and undeveloped country and directed the ship of state not with the compass of political morality, but upon the figure head of an astute old leader, Sir John A. Macdonald. With him laid in honor in the soil of his beloved country, the pack started to snarl and hungrily grab for the feed, and when there was a lull in the struggle at the trough came the recriminations and charges of malfeasance.

With this pace set is it any wonder that what had become general throughout the Dominion under Conservative rule should be sought to be perpetuated under a new administration? The death of the old blues found many of their erstwhile followers ranged upon the side of the new party in control and contracts, etc., said to be uncompleted and undefined under the lax system of the Tories, still left an outlet through which for a while the system of graft continued. No doubt that in the greater volume of business since 1896 the systems in vogue at that time failed to be a sufficient check upon the expenditures of the country and it is painful indeed to find that while the government in power are trying to lift public life out of the mire and the leader of the opposition is calling for clean politics that the hopes of the leaders of the two great parties are dashed to the ground by the revelations of the Colchester enquiry. We are especially sorry for Mr. Borden, because in view of his prayer for a halcyon state of things it seems like treason within his own party to throw him down in the very constituency that was represented to him as the turn of the tide. We hope the day will come when in Canada all right minded citizens will have a high ideal of the sacred privilege of the electorate and endeavor to exercise the franchise so that the old quotation may be true—"Vox populi, vox Dei." We must in honor say that what wrong doing has been done on either side can stretch in no way to the honored leaders of the two parties, and the hope remains that some day their purity of intention may permeate the ranks of their respective parties.

"Thirty feet to the gulf."

BRITISH CREW DESTROYS GUNSLIGHTS FOR REVENGE

London, Sept. 18.—As a mark of disapproval at being called out at night to repeat an evolution which had been improperly performed in the day time, the crew of the cruiser Gibraltar, while on the way to Australia, destroyed all the gunslights on board. As a punishment all the customary privileges of the crew, including smoking and the use of the canteen, have been stopped until the culprits are discovered. The Gibraltar is at present at Albany, West Australia, where she took part in the welcome to the American battleship fleet.

School House for Abbotsford.

Tenders close on Monday next at noon for a two-room frame school house at Abbotsford. Applications for plans, specifications and forms of tender should be made to the government agent here, W. Merryfield, secretary of the school board, Mount Lehman, or to the lands and works department, Victoria.

CRITICS DELIGHT IN SEEING ISLE OF SPICE

Those who desire a couple of hours rest and relaxation from the cares of the busy world; those who enjoy pretty pictures with all the picturesque environment that the delightful Oriental locality of the Japan sea renders possible; and all those to whom beautiful femininity, with sweet voices, handsomely costumed, appeals, are promised a rare treat in that piquant musical mixture, the "Isle of Spice," which H. H. Frazee's musical comedy company will present at the opera house Friday, Sept. 25.

There is a charm about the piece that never fails to win the appreciation of the most critical, and it is said to be a rare individual who, having seen this attraction once, can resist the desire to enjoy a second performance. The music is of that refreshing quality of which one never grows tired, the stage business is new, the ladies who constitute the chorus are young, pretty, and said to be the best singers and dancers on the American stage at the present time.

Lacrosse Match Today.

R. H. Cheyne will be sole referee at the senior lacrosse match at Brockton Point this afternoon between Westminster and Vancouver. The result is already a foregone conclusion, as the local team will be in fine shape for the exercise. Spring and Latham will play instead of W. Turnbull and Wintemute. These are the Vancouver men who will be up against it: Goal, D. Gibbons; point, J. McConaghy; cover point, Waldo Matheson; defence field, Clarkson, Springer, and Ronan; center, George Matheson; home field, S. Cowan, Ernie Murray, D. Longfellow; outside home, Crosby; inside home, H. R. Godfrey.

Many Girls Are Missing.

Chicago, Sept. 18.—So many young girls have been missing during the last few weeks that a special squad of police detectives has been appointed to investigate cases and run down clues. The police believe that an organized band of kidnapers is working in the city. Fifteen girls have disappeared during the last thirty days in this city.

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W. A. DUNCAN,

City Clerk.

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

Tenders

NOTICE TO PLUMBERS.

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

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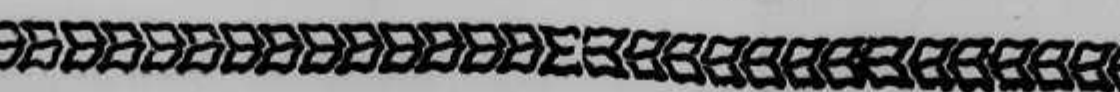


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CITY NEWS

A mild day, but strong on quality. The "Auto"

The Trades brought in twenty-eight tons of general produce from Victoria yesterday.

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The Laying is here again with freight at the C. P. N. wharf. She will return to Vancouver.

Fifty cents return to Vancouver today to see the lacrosse match. B. C. E. R.

The Women's auxiliary of the Royal Columbian hospital meet on Monday at 3 p. m. in the board of trade room.

For first class cut flowers, pot plants or bouquets, telephone Davis & Son, florists. Tel. B288.

Mrs. W. T. Reid announces that her at home day will be every fourth Friday.

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

Good progress is being made with the subscriptions towards the Columbia street lighting fund, for exhibition week, and the following winter months.

The New Testament closes God's revelation to man. So anything in religion of later date than the New Testament is not of Divine origin. Come to the services in tent, Fourth street, near Fourth avenue, each evening at 8.

A baseball game between local teams captained by H. Ryall and T. H. Barbaree will be played at Queen's park this afternoon, commencing at three-thirty o'clock.

Westminster vs. Vancouver lacrosse match at Brockton Point today; fifty cents return. B. C. E. R.

Four Californian visitors arrived at the Russell hotel last evening. Gilbert Winters, of San Francisco; J. Warren Dutton, and Holland Dutton, of Dutton's Landing; and F. W. Holland.

A. Hardman attended the meeting at Elmer's last evening to speak on behalf of W. W. B. Melness, Liberal candidate for Burrard riding. Robert Jardine was among the speakers at the meeting.

The loan and the City of Nanaimo are expected to arrive on Sunday afternoon to convey the special exhibits for Victoria show from Westminster to the Capital, including all upriver exhibits.

The Westminster football club has no fixture today, as Coquitlam was unwilling to accept the invitation to play, but want the Rovers to go to Westminster Junction on Thursday to play at their show. A meeting will be held, probably on Monday, to decide whether to accept, as it will be difficult to make a good team in mid-week.

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

The first street sewer proposal has not been very readily taken up by the frontagers interested, but the necessary number of signatures will be obtained to enable the city council to go ahead with the work as soon as possible.

Fifty cents return fare to Vancouver after twelve o'clock today. B. C. E. R.

A start has at length been made with the building of the Westside school. The negotiations have been long, but the trustees are satisfied that the result will justify many weary hours spent on the plans.

C. C. Fisher, government agent, states that steps are being taken by the Provincial government to light the Westminster bridge more adequately this winter. The news will be welcome to persons using the bridge at night.

A bowling team composed of hardware men, captained by A. V. Emery, will meet a team of real estate men, captained by A. F. Hale, at the Bowling parlors on Tuesday of next week. As the teams are fairly evenly matched, the contest should be close and exciting.

The re-organization of the Junior baseball team at St. Louis college is well under way, and in a few days will be in good shape. The strength of the team promises to be equal, if not superior, to that of last season, which showed itself so well on the field in holding its record.

A start in the banking of money by the school children of the city was made yesterday, a considerable sum of money being banked by the youngsters. Over twenty-eight dollars were received by Principal Coatham, of the Central schools, an almost equal amount being collected in the Girls' school by Miss Rogers. The total amount banked by the children at all the schools was over \$200.

An effort is to be made today to make arrangements with the directors of the Provincial exhibition to pull off one of the scheduled North-western league baseball matches between Spokane and Vancouver in this city on Friday, Oct. 2, the game between the local team and Bellingham being waived to permit this to take place. Manager Dickson, of the Vancouver team, is quite willing to play here, providing the consent of the President Lucas is obtained, and satisfactory financial inducements are offered. The amount of money needed to ensure the game is the greatest obstacle to be overcome in the negotiations.

Hon. Mr. Findlay, minister of agriculture of Alberta, who accompanied the Scottish farm delegates to the coast, returned home last night. Mr. Findlay is an enthusiast about the possibilities of the dairy industry in his province. It is fast assuming large proportions and is fast yielding handsome returns to the farmers. Alberta annually ships \$100,000 worth of butter to British Columbia, besides large quantities to the Orient. Mr. Findlay admitted that all his trade could be captured by the farmers of British Columbia, if the development was seriously encouraged by the establishment of creameries under government auspices.

The Vancouver Athletic baseball team will not be seen over here today, having crawled yesterday afternoon after arrangements had been made for a match with the city team. A lame excuse that some of the mem-

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bers had not paid their membership dues is put forward as sufficient excuse for defaulting the game. It is rather peculiar that the Vancouver club should not discover this glaring carelessness on the part of its members until after arrangements for a ball game in Westminster had been made. Some people will be unkind enough to say that the proposed game brought matters to a focus. While this is uncharitable, it is doubtless true, as Vancouver has been over-anxious to avoid playing baseball in this city all season, probably because Westminster has a fair amateur team that is better than any one club of the Terminal City can produce, and probably equal to a star team composed of members of the different clubs. The trouble is that Vancouver hasn't got the goods in amateur sport circles, either in baseball, lacrosse, basketball or any other game.

A very attractive specialty in "The Pixies" will be a scene from the Japanese opera "The Geisha," by the Misses Annie Ashby, Grace Eastman, Edna Gundy, Lexy Ewen, Laura Lavery, Kate Muir, Gladys Corrigan, Ethel Ward, Mary Livingston, Ethel Smith, Helen, Grace and Edith Drake. These young ladies will be daintily costumed in highly colored kimonos, will sing "The Toy Monkey," and give a pretty Japanese drill. Two hundred and fifty young ladies and children will take part. These have been carefully selected from all parts of the city, and represent the best talent available. Daily rehearsals are being held, and it will be given on Monday and Tuesday nights, September 28 and 29, under the auspices of

the Ladies' auxiliary of Royal Columbian hospital. All rehearsals are in charge of the author, W. A. Milne, of Chicago, who has had fourteen years' experience in this work.

William Harvey Andrews and Jane May McCallum, both of New Westminster, were united in marriage on Wednesday at the manse of the First Presbyterian church, Vancouver, Rev. Dr. Fraser officiating. E. R. McCallum, brother of the bride, acted as best man. The happy pair will reside in this city.

Tender for Church

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

F. J. PEERS,
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Tenders for Feed

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

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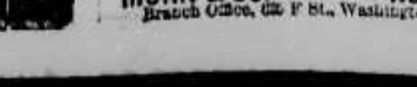


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MARKET REPORT

The weekly market was well attended yesterday, and there was good business done in the rings and in the sale of produce. Naturally at this time of year fruit occupies a large share of attention, but dairy and poultry produce was well represented, birds reaching the market in increasing quantities.

The new market offices at the far end of the building were brought into use for the first market day, having been in occupation by the staff since Monday. It is more convenient to the stall holders and gives the clerk greater privacy and more commodious quarters. The provision of a public telephone is a great convenience. Waiting rooms for both sexes are provided.

Meat and Fish.

There was a good supply of meat and fish. The quantity of beef was larger than for the past summer months, while all mutton and lamb sold readily. Veal was not so plentiful, and there was a good demand for medium stock. Pork is increasing in supply, and the demand holds good. There was a fair supply of fish, salmon especially since the removal of the three weeks' close season.

Eggs, Butter and Poultry

The price of eggs remains high, all offerings selling readily at 35 to 37 cents a dozen wholesale. Butter continues for best qualities at 40 cents, with five cents reduction for poorer offerings. The supply of fowls was satisfactory, and the sales negotiated were encouraging. A large supply of chickens met a ready sale. Demand was equally good for broilers. The call is improving for ducks, and prices hardened.

Fruit and Vegetables.

Fruit and vegetables continue to form a leading feature, with the harvest season at its best. The larger fruits occupy the aisle principally at the present time.

Of apples there was a fair supply, and sales were easily made. The call for pears was limited, but the supply is improving. Plums met a steady demand for firm fruit, but the supply is shortening with the advance of the season. All kinds of vegetables readily sold. Sales were still slow for potatoes, averaging only \$14 a ton.

Official Quotations.

Beef, hindquarters, 8 to 9 1/2c; forequarters, 6 to 6 1/2c; mutton, 12c; lamb, 13c; veal, large, 8 to 9c; veal, medium, 11c; pork, 8 to 8 1/2c; eggs, retail, per dozen, 40c; eggs, wholesale, 35 to 37c; butter, per lb., 15 to 16c; fowl, per dozen, \$7.50 to \$8.00; chickens, \$5.00 to \$6.50; broilers, \$2.50 to \$4.50; ducks, \$7 to \$8; apples, per box, 90c to \$1.10; pears, per box, 75c; potatoes, per ton, \$14.

MAIL CONTRACT

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

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

JOHN R. GREENFIELD,

Post Office Inspector.

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

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WANTED—A fourth-class engineer for night shift. Apply Davis & Son, Box 148, City.

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When the mill is running at full pressure it is expected that between 400 and 500 men will be employed.

SUBSCRIPTIONS COMING IN FOR FRASER CENTENNIAL

The following donations have been received so far towards the dollar subscription collection for the Simon Fraser centennial fund. The News will acknowledge any sent to Exhibition Manager, care of City Hall, and a separate account will be opened at one of the banks. Donations will be welcome at once as the monument is already ordered.

Duke of Norfolk	\$9.00
Miss Fraser (Hamilton)	1.00
R. E. Gosnell	1.00
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G. A. Fraser	1.00
Simon Fraser	1.00
Judge Howay	1.00
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Ald. Johnston	1.00
Mrs. J. J. Johnston	1.00
W. A. Duncan	1.00
T. H. Wilson	1.00

Hays Arrives in Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Sept. 18.—Charles Hays, president of the Grand Trunk Pacific, arrived here today in a special car with officials of the railroad. This marks the opening of the line. The first through train over the 650 miles of track that almost connects Winnipeg with Edmonton, will leave Winnipeg, when that entire stretch of road will have been laid.

Artist's Death Sudden.

Montreal, Sept. 18.—Henri Julien, one of the best known newspaper artists in Canada, dropped dead of heart disease just in front of St. Lawrence hall yesterday afternoon, shortly after five o'clock.

Murderer is Executed.

Kenora, Ont., Sept. 18.—William Paul, murderer of Henri Schelling, was executed here today. The man walked firmly to the scaffold. Yesterday he confessed his crime.

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Important Notice

The plans, profile and estimate of cost of the proposed permanent improvement of Columbia street (including a main, trunk sewer, cement sidewalks and street paving) have been prepared and placed on view in the room lately occupied by the school board, city hall, where they may be inspected during office hours by parties interested in this very necessary local improvement.

N. H. McQUARRIE,
Acting City Clerk

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

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