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LIBERALS STAGGERING UNDER SERIES OF SERIOUS DEFEATS

Possibility of Another Immediate Election in England Because of Recent Unexpected Reverses in Rural Districts—Asquith May Refuse to Form Ministry—List of Latest Returns.

London, Jan. 21.—The results of county polls, so far as have been declared, has, according to a prominent Liberal, "staggered us." It is not denied that the results are very serious. If the Conservatives should win another thirty seats the balance of power will be in the hands of the Irish Nationalists and some Liberals do not deny that the position of affairs in that case would be one of the greatest difficulty and gravity.

Reasons for the Disaster.

Liberals attribute their defeat in the counties, first, to landlords who informed their employees that if the Liberals were returned they would be dismissed, and, second, that the ministers have been doing all they possibly could to prevent a settlement of the educational question of national lines.

Liberal disasters were explained in part by the theory that the quiet Unionist tariff reform campaign in the counties was even more effective than the noisy tariff reform campaign in the boroughs.

Want Majority of Forty.

In an official announcement issued from their headquarters today, the Liberal leaders declare that unless, they, in combination with the Laborites and without the aid of the Irish Nationalists, are given a majority of at least forty members in the parliamentary elections now in progress, they will not accept the responsibilities of ministerial control.

The announcement created much excitement, as present indications are that the Liberals will not be given the majority they demand. If the results in the constituencies yet to vote maintain the present ratio, the Liberals will have a majority of but eleven members.

In the event of the Liberals refusing to accept the control of the ministry, another election probably would be held almost immediately.

Unionists Cannot Accept Control.

The Conservatives could not accept control because of the opposition furnished by a Liberal majority, no matter how small.

If the Liberals made good their threat and refuse to accept control, it is probable that parliament will sit only one week. In this event Asquith would retain the premiership.

Following are yesterday's belated returns:

ENGLAND.

London, London University—
Sir P. Magnus (U) 2625
Hon. Sir West Ridgeway (L) ..1928
No change.

Devonshire Totnes—
F. B. Mildmay (U) 5505
I. Foot (L) 3578
No change.

Hampshire, Basingstoke—
Sir A. C. Salter (U) 7500
J. E. Wallis (L) 3821
No change.

Somerset, Bridgewater—
R. A. Sanders (U) 5374
H .Hicks (L) 3898
Unionist gain.

Derbyshire, Chesterfield—
J. Haslam (Lab) 8234
G. W. Radford (U) 5693
No change.

Herefordshire, Leominster—
Sir J. Rankin (U) 4822
E. Lamb (L) 3991
Unionist gain.

Pontefract—
Sir W. Nasy (L) 1924
Col. J. R. Shaw (U) 1515
No change.

Westmoreland, Kendal—
Lieut.-Col. J. F. Bagot (U) 3278
D. Steakert-Smith (L) 2726

Appleby—
L. Sanderson, K.C. (U) 3335
Leif Child S. Jones (L) 2868
Two Unionist gains.

Yorkshire East, Holderness —
Major Stanley Wilson (U) 5046
Commander Bethell, R.N. (L) ...4661
No change.

Yorkshire West, Holmfirth—
H. J. Wilson (L) re-elected 6339
R. Geoffrey Ellis (U) 3043
W. Pickles (L) 1643

Hallamsh—
J. Wadsworth (L) 10,192
S. Timmis (U) 6185
No change.

Yorkshire, North Riding, Whitby
Hon. W. G. Bickett (U) 5161
W. Jardine (L) 4562
No change.

Yorkshire, West riding, Doncaster—
C. N. Nicholson (L) 10,654
C. W. Whitworth (L) 7085
No change.

Rotherham—
Sir William Holland (L) 12,225
J. H. Dransfield (U) 4867
No change.

Barnsley—
J. Walton (L) 12,325
A. W. Grose (U) 5104
No change.

Colne Valley—
Rev. Charles Leach (L) 4741
Captain A. B. Carpenter (U) ..3750
A. Victor Grayson (Lab) 4149
A Liberal gain, Grayson, the former member, being one of the leaders of the Socialist party.

Lincolnshire, Sleaford—
E. Royds (U) 5265
A. Lupton (L) 4123
Unionist gain.

Louth—
S. L. Brackenbury (U) 4432
Timothy Davies (L) 4275
Unionist gain.

Staffordshire, Leek—
Col. A. H. Heath (U) 5463
R. Pearce (L) 5453
Unionist gain.

Essex, Saffron Walden—
Col. D. J. Proby (U) 4283
Hon. Joseph A. Pease (L) 4011
A Unionist gain. Mr. Pease was patronage secretary to the treasury in the Asquith government.

Rutland—
J. Gretton (U) 2235
J. N. Emery (L) 1531
No change.

Harwich—
H. K. Newton (U) 6757
A. Levy Lever (L) 5608
Unionist gain.

Norfolk, Thetford—
R. Winfrey (L) 4239
Sir T. L. Hare (U) 4000
No change.

Surrey, Epsom—
W. Keswick (U) 7919
Sir A. Rollit (L) 5232
No change.

Kent, Ashford—
L. Hardy (U) 7966
R. Farrar (L) 4422
No change.

Lancashire North—
N. W. Helme (L) 7132
E. Russell Taylor (U) 6048
No change.

Grantham—
A. Priestley (L) re-elected 1848
Capt. G. H. Smythe (U) 1703
No change.

Huntingdonshire, Huntingdon—
J. Cator (U) 2466
Hon. O. Brett (L) 2099
Unionist gain.

Lancashire Southeast, Westhoughton—
W. T. Wilson (Lab) re-elected 10,141
H. Morgan Byrne (U) 7709
No change.

Lancashire Southwest, Newton—
J. A. Soddon (Lab) re-elected ..7256
Lord Wolmer (U) 6504

Middlesex, Brentford—
Lord A. Compton (U) 10,675
Dr. V. H. Rutherford (L) 6819
Unionist gain.

WALES.

Brecknockshire—
S. Robinson (L) 6335
Hon. R. C. Devereaux (U) 3865
No change.

Carmarthenshire East—
A. Thomas (L) 7619
Mervyn L. Peel (U) 2451
No change.

Glamorganshire, Gower—
J. Williams (Lab) 9312
P. Simner (U) 2502
No change.

SCOTLAND.

Kirkcaldy Burghs—
Sir J. H. Dalziel (L) re-elected .5035
Mr. Baumann (U) 1659
No change.

Montrose Burghs—
R. V. Harcourt (L) re-elected ..3606
J. J. Burgess (Lab) 1888
W. Low (U) 1592
No change.

Perthshire West—
Lord Tullibardine (U) 3864
T. B. Morrison (L) 3566
Unionist gain.

Dumfriesshire—
P. A. Molteno (L) 4868
W. Murray (U) 4091
No change.

Peebles and Selkirk—
W. Younger (L) 1941
S. Steel (U) 1735
No change.

West Aberdeenshire—
J. M. Henderson (L) 5901
G. M. Smith (U) 1194
No change.

Berwickshire—
H. J. Tennant (L) 2992
Sir H. Seton Ker (U) 2060
No change.

IRELAND.

Belfast, North Division—
J. Thompson (U) 6275
Robert Gagely (Lab) 3951
No change.

Tyrone South—
A. L. Horner (U) 3054
T. W. Russell (L) 2770
Unionist gain.

Londonderry City—
Marquis of Hamilton (U) 2435
Leslie (N) 2378
No change.

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DIRECTORS OF FAIR REVISE PRIZE LISTS

Agitation for New Grand Stand and Horse Pavilion for Exhibition Grounds.

The question of a new horse show building for the provincial exhibition occupied a large part of the time of the meeting of directors of the R. A. and I. society held last night in the city hall. President T. J. Trapp reported that he and Secretary W. H. Keary, with Thomas Gifford, M.L.A., had called upon the premier in reference to the granting of $10,000 towards the erection of such a building. The premier had asked them to write to Mr. Bowser and give him the full particulars of the request. A similar request had been made last year for $5,000.

The president remarked that the society could not finance the scheme itself for, although it had assets it could not hypothecate them as security on account of the fact that they were on property owned by the city. However if the government granted $5,000 this year, and promised another similar sum for next year he felt sure that the finances could be arranged.

If good accommodation could be given to horsemen here the fair would undoubtedly attract many competitors from Seattle and Vancouver, as New Westminster was a sort of a neutral ground for these two cities and they would be assured that no favoritism would be shown in the judging.

Government Should Help.

One of the speakers on the subject remarked that the public had heard a great deal lately about the millions of dollars that were lying in the Bank of Commerce in Victoria at the credit of the province, and he thought that the government might do worse than hand over about $10,000 of this to the provincial exhibition for the erection of a suitable horse pavilion. His remarks met with the hearty approval of the meeting

It was finally decided that President Trapp and Secretary Keary again interview the premier and urge the granting of the required amount.

New Grand Stand.

The subject of a new grand stand for the exhibition grounds was called to the attention of the meeting by the president. The grand stand in use at present was inadequate and a new one could be built at a cost of $5,000. He thought that the lacrosse club might contribute a couple of thousand dollars towards the erection of the new stand, and the city might be induced to spend a similar amount. All the city directors of the exhibition, acting with the officials of the lacrosse club, will wait upon the city council soon and ask for the required aid.

Two Divisions for Fruit.

Maxwell Smith brought in a resolution to have the division of the fruit district, which divides the province into east and west at North Bend, dispensed with, and that all competitions in fruit be thrown open to the whole province. He remarked that the mere fact that such a division was made was a tacit admission that the fruit on the coast could not compete with that grown in the interior. Such a supposition was not founded on fact, for in some classes the coast could equal and excel that grown in other parts of the province. With some other classes conditions were reversed, but he thought that competition in all classes should be open and the district that could produce the best varieties should reap the distinction of that supremacy. Secretary Keary opposed the motion, and remarked that the division was made on the recommendation of the western fruit growers. The resolution was lost on a close vote.

A letter from the livestock commissioner asking the society to send a delegate to a conference to be held in Victoria on January 31, about the arranging of dates and the appointing of judges for the different fairs, was read. The secretary reported that the dates for the New Westminster exhibition had been set at the annual meeting held last fall. With reference to the commissioner's wish that the government supply judges, Mr. Keary explained that it had always been the policy of the provincial exhibition to secure judges who were not present at any other of the exhibitions held in the province. Sometimes the same stuff was shown at many fairs in the province, and if the same judges passed upon them, the same people would always get the prizes. There was always room for a difference of opinion, and he thought that the policy of the society in securing the services of outside judges was a very good one and should not be abandoned.

The meeting agreed with the remarks of the secretary but thought that a delegate ought to be sent to the conference, as the invitation was sent with the best of intetnions.

Manager Keary to Attend Conference.

Honorary President Captain R. G. Tatlow, who was present, said that he would be sorry to see the letter from the department ignored as it was doing its best to raise the standard of stock judging in the province. It was finally decided to send Secretary W. H. Keary to the conference to explain the position of New Westminster.

Prize List Revision.

The main purpose of the meeting was the revision of the prize list, but few changes from the prizes of last year were made. Several suggestions were made regarding changes in the prize list for horses, Dr. Buchanan making a strong speech in favor of making the horses the feature of the fair, and adding several more classes to the list. He also suggested that a horse show be held in the evening in the new building which the directors hope to secure from the government.

The meeting seemed to be in accord with Dr. Buchanan, but the matter was left in the hands of a special committee, which will look into the proposed changes in the horse section.

Prizes for Mechanics.

Chairman J. H. Vidal of the committee on poultry suggested that several special classes in poultry be added and that the directors take steps to secure expert judges for that department. In the industrial department it was decided to offer prizes for the best work done by mechanics and appentices.

One of the members from Surrey wished the society to adopt stricter rules in regard to the competition between the different districts for the Dewar trophy. He stated that some of the districts last year were not too particular as to whether all the produce they exhibited came from their own districts, and he wanted such a condition guarded against. The secretary announced that the matter was receiving the attention of the managers.

COAST ELEVATOR GETS A SETBACK

United Farmers' Convention Does Not Support Move for Western Elevator.

Edmonton, Jan. 21.—A reduction of straight government ownership of elevators, both terminal and internal, and a call upon the provincial government to take over and operate the internal elevators, was passed by the United Farmers' convention here yesterday.

This precludes any possibility of the association favorably considering the proposition of T. H. Worsnop of Vancouver for a government guarantee of an independent terminal elevator at the coast.

Although the convention gave Mr. Worsnop's proposition a cordial reception, the tone of the meeting was strongly for the government ownership, and their stand was strengthened by the announcement in an afternoon newspaper that the Manitoba government had granted the request of the grain growers of that province and decided to operate the internal elevators.

Whether the government will grant the demands of the resolution is doubtful. The feeling of the provincial cabinet is against such a move on the ground that the successful establishment of the western grain route would remedy the problem, so far as Alberta elevators are concerned. Whether the government will yield to the voice of the association is a question.

BIG SUCCESS

Handel's "Messiah" Delights Big Audience at Queen's Avenue Church.

An appreciative audience filled the Queen's avenue Methodist church yesterday evening when Handel's "Messiah" was rendered under the skilful leadership of T. R. Pearson, who showed himself at home in the difficult task.

H. D. Mackness opened with a skilful rendering on the organ of "Oh, The Coast." In the opening chorus "And the Glory of the Lord" the choir showed a clear understanding of harmony, which was also noticeable in the subsequent choruses. To the soloists, Mrs. Harry Briggs, soprano, Mrs. Gideon Hicks, contralto, and Gideon Hicks, bass, too much praise cannot be given. Altogether, the "Messiah" must be classed as a thorough success.

ALBERTA EXHIBITION WILL BE HELD IN CALGARY

Calgary, Jan. 21.—President Vanwart and Manager Richardson of the Exhibition company, have returned to the city from Edmonton where they interviewed the provincial government upon the question of the next provincial exhibition. They obtained the consent of the government to hold this exhibition in Calgary in 1910. Thus for three years in succession Calgary will be the centre in which the greatest fair of the middle west has been held. In 1908 the Dominion government held an exhibition here and now the provincial government practically admits that Calgary at the present time is the most suitable location for the holding of exhibitions showing the resources of the province.

Vancouver will have two senior lacrosse teams in the running for the British Columbia championship this year, the Vancouvers and the Maple Leafs. Newsy Lalonde and Johnny Howard will join the Vancouvers.

THIRTY DAY MEAT FAST IS ENTERED UPON BY THOUSANDS

Beef Boycott Spreads Suddenly Over the States in Attempt to Force Trust to Lower Prices---All Classes Support Movement Started by Idle Jest---May Quit Eating Eggs.

Chicago, Jan. 21.—A move to combat the high prices of meat by abstaining therefrom spread rapidly today and began to assume a national character. Coincidentally came announcements from Milwaukee and Cleveland that the price of meat had dropped.

Dispatches from Baltimore, Kansas City, Omaha, Memphis, Pittsburg and other cities told of the rapid growth of the meat fast.

Scheme Started in Cleveland.

Cleveland, credited with being the originator of the scheme, has now 30,000 names enrolled, while Kansas City reports 80,000. The heads of the leading packing houses in Kansas City and Chicago refused to discuss the effect of the movement on their business.

Started by a Jest.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 21.—From an idle jest in the lunch room of a big manufactury here last week, the Cleveland strike against the eating of meat has grown into huge proportions.

One hundred thousand people in Cleveland have now pledged themselves to abstain from eating meat for thirty days.

The Ohio legislature is the only state body so far to take up the question.

Practically every district in Ohio has taken part in the movement. Loraine, New Philadelphia and Bellefontaine were added to the numbr today.

Egg Fast is Next.

Ten thousand householders are reported to have signed the petitions against the eating of eggs until the price has dropped from forty-eight cents a dozen to twenty-five cents.

Retail butchers have been compelled to cut down their working force from one-third to one-half, and several have retired from business.

Unions Take No Part.

Toledo and Minneapolis report that it is unlikely that the Cleveland idea will find favor here. Union men, it is said, fear that the fast would cut both ways and many are not in favor of the movement.

Will Institute Proceedings.

Washington, Jan. 21.—Proceedings will soon be instituted by the department of justice against the so-called beef trust, with headquarters at Chicago. Complaints of alleged operations of the trust in restraint of trade have been investigated by the department. The suit will be brought under the Sherman anti-trust law.

Strike in Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Jan. 21.—A meat strike has been organized in Greater Pittsburg today. Street car employees by the hundreds are signing pledges to abstain from meat for thirty days, beginning next Tuesday.

Thousands of affiliated members of the Iron City Trades Council are waiting for their leaders to act before putting into effect a meat boycott resolution adopted by the council last night.

Thirty Days Without Meat.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 21.—A call has been issued by Central Labor Council for meetings of all local labor unions for the purpose of uniting with labor unions in other cities in excluding meats for a period. The unions are urged to eat no meat for at least thirty days, unless prices are materially reduced.

Business Men in Line.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 21.—Buttons bearing the inscription "I don't buy meat. Do you?" appeared on the streets here in large numbers today, following the action of the local Federation of Labor which adopted a resolution calling upon all labor unionsists and their sympathisers to abstain from eating meat for a period of one month as a protest against the high price of that article of food.

Thousands of these buttons have been ordered. The demand for them, it was declared, was not confined to laboring men, more than half the requests coming from business men and clerks.

SONS OF SCOTLAND HAVE FINE CONCERT PROGRAM

Eighteen High Class Numbers Will Be Rendered at Concert on Robbie Burns' Anniversary.

The Sons of Scotland have made all arrangements for a grand Scotch concert on January 26, the anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns. A long program has been arranged, including selections on the bagpipes, dancing and singing. An address on "The Immortal Memory," by Judge Howay will be one of the features of the evening. The program is as follows:

Chairman—Rev. A. E. Vert.
Bagpipe selection .....Piper Begg
Song, "Scots Wha' Hae." Mr. W. G. Williams.
Song, "Scotland." Miss Munn.
Song, "The Reason Why I Wear a Kilt." Mr. Christie.
Juvenile Highland dancing reel, The Misses Urquhart and Masters Linn and Adams
Song, Selected Mrs. Gray.
Song, "My Ain Folk." G. Leslie Gray.
Address, "The Immortal Memory," Judge Howay.
Song, "The Star o' Robbie Burns," Miss Laird.
Song, "The Sons o' Bonnie Scotland" W. Gillespie.
Orchestral selection, "March 1863" The Mackness orchestra.
Song, "Burns and Scotland Yet," W. G. Williams.
Song, "I Love a Lassie," Mr. Christie.
Song, "The Auld Scotch Songs," Miss Munn.
Juvenile Highland dancing, Sailors' Hornpipe, Master Croll.
Song, "Comin' thro' the Rye," Miss M. Le Mesurier.
Song, "Scotland Yet," G. Leslie Gray.
Song, Selected, Mrs. Routley. "Auld Lang Syne'.'
Accompanist—Miss Vass.

No Wage Raise for Trainmen.

New York, Jan. 21.—Announcement was made by the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad this afternoon that the road had rejected the demands of the trainmen and conductors for increased wages.

Comet Visible in Ontario.

Tache, Ont., Jan. 21.—Halley's comet was visible in the western Heavens at six o'clock here tonight.

LONE HOMESTEADER BURNED TO A CRISP

Cremated Body of Martin Rach Found Among Smouldering Remains of Shack Near Moose Jaw.

Moose Jaw, Jan. 21.—Word has just reached the city of the horrible death of Martin Rach, who was burned to a crisp in a homesteader's shack south of Moose Jaw, in the district known as "The Gap."

Rach was in the city a few days ago on legal business. His brother came to town today and reported that he had gone over to Martin's homestead and found the shack burned to the ground and only the charred remains of his brother left. He can give no information as to how the fire was started.

The police will investigate the case. There is at present no suspicion of foul play.

NEW BOAT.

Vessel Built For Local Firm Can Stand Sea Voyages.

Butterfield, Mackie & Co. have just had a new boat built for use in the fishing trade. The Fish Maid is the name of the vessel, which has just been completed by a firm of boat builders in Steveston. The boat is 50 feet long and will be propelled by a 30 h.p. Fairbanks-Morse gasoline engine. She was brought up to the company's wharf yesterday and is having the finishing touches put on. She is built to stand sea voyages and has a gasoline storage capacity of over 300 gallons. It is the intention of the company to use her to collect fish from the fishermen down the river and she may make trips to Nanaimo and up the coast. The Fish Maid will be ready for use as soon as the fishing season starts again in a month or two.

WILL FACE CHARGES

Macedonian Ready to Meet Men Who Accuse Him of Fraud.

Toronto, Jan. 21.—Rev. George Atlas, the interpreter who was alleged to have got money from several of his Macedonian countrymen by various means, and who went to Macedonia and brought back witnesses to testify in the case of the Macedonian hanged in Toronto recently, walked into the police court this morning and said he was ready to face all the charges any one had against him.

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SHOT THROUGH HEART AT INDIAN POTLATCH

Celebration Suddenly Cut Short at Kyuquot By Tragic Killing of Siwash Brave.

Victoria, Jan. 20.—A tragic beginning of a big potlach at Kyuquot took place a day or two ago when the steamer Tees was on the west coast. About one hundred Indians from Clayoquot and Nootka had been invited by the Kyuquots to attend a big winter celebration at their village. They took passage on the steamer Tees and arrived safely in Kyuquot harbor. Debarking on the opposite side of the harbor from the Indian village, they approached their destination in canoes. They were met on the beach by their hosts, and there was great shouting and firing of guns, the cartridges in which were supposed to be blank.

Suddenly one of the young siwashes dropped, and his neighbor thought he had been stricken with paralysis or heart disease brought on by the intense excitement. In a short time, however, a red mark began to form on the outside of his garments, and examination proved that he had been shot through the heart with buckshot. He was quite dead when picked up.

The potlach had to be delayed until after the funeral.

Father Maurice, the Roman Catholic priest who ministers to the spiritual needs of the Indians, was just going out for the purpose of photographing them when the accident happened. Had he been doing this at the time the Indians might have connected the sad event with the camera and probably have smashed it to pieces.

The holy father is congratulating himself that he was rather late in arriving, as the Indians are very superstitious in this regard.

WIFE OF NOVELIST IN DIVORCE RUMOR

New York, Jan. 20.—When asked as to the truth of the reports that Mrs. Richard Harding Davis, wife of the novelist, was taking legal counsel for the adjustment of marital differences, former District Attorney Jerome declined to discuss the matter. Friends of the couple had heard that Mrs. Davis had retained the law firm of Jermeo and Rand, of which the former prosecutor is a senior member. Davis could not be located, but his attorneys today declared they had no knowledge of the matter.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of Frederick Thrussell, late of the City of New Westminster, in the Province of British Columbia, deceased:

Notice is hereby given that all persons having any claims or demands against the late Frederick Thrussell, who died on or about the 30th day of November, 1909, at the City of New Westminster, in the Province of British Columbia aforesaid, are required to send by post prepaid, or deliver to the undersigned solicitors herein for Harriett Ann Thrussell, executrix of the last will of the said Frederick Thrussell, their names and addresses and full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their accounts, verified by statutory declaration, and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them.

And take notice that, after the 28th day of February, 1910, the said Harriett Ann Thrussell will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she shall then have had notice, and that the said Harriett Ann Thrussell will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof to any person of whose claim she shall not then have received notice.

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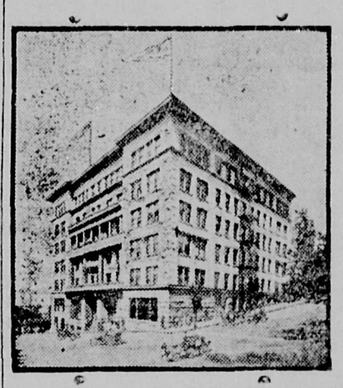

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18.00 SUITS FOR.... 9.00	12.00 SUITS FOR.... 6.00
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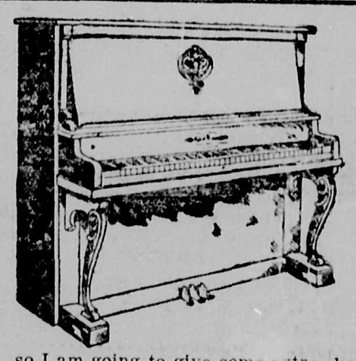

Here is One of Our Christmas Pianos That Arrived Too Late for the Xmas Trade

so I am going to give some extra bargains, as I have too large a stock to carry and I need the money—YOU NEED THE PIANO. $254.00 CASH WILL TAKE ONE. Others at $275.00 cash; $300.00 cash.

One second-hand piano was $500, will sell for $175. CASH WILL TALK WITH US FOR THE NEXT TEN DAYS.

Come and let us show you what surprises we have in store for you when I advertise BARGAINS. That is what they are, and you will say so when you see them.

J. H Todd's Music House

419 Columbia St., New Westminster, B. C.

The Old Country Boot Store

The aftermath of Christmas and New Year trade has left us with a lot of lines we want to clear out before stocktaking; you should see them displayed on our bargain counter.

—Ladies' and Gents' Slippers from 75c; regular $1.25.
—Ladies' Fine Dongola Bals, patent tip, from $2.25; regular $3.00
—Misses' Fine Box Calf Bluchers for $1.75; regular $2.25.
—A line of Dick's Waterproof Boots for $3.75; regular $4.50.
—A line of Gents' Welted Shoes, Blucher cut in several varieties regular value $4.50 and $5.00; for $3.50.

There are quite a variety of other lines all laid out in lots at prices sure to clear them out in short order.

The Old Country Boot Store

J. STEWART, Proprietor.

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Not tomorrow, that will be too late.

TODAY

Make it your business to see us. Are you a home seker? Well, we are home builders. Come in and see us and we will help you to realize your ambition to have a home of your own.

If you reside in Westminster you must know that business is moving. We say to you then

Act Quickly

and consult us, we have lots of propositions which we cannot advertise.

Here are just a few which we ask you to consider:

A double corner on 6th & Regina Streets, 2 full sized lots with five-room house, **$2,100, $500 cash**

6 roomed house and 3 full sized lots on Harvey street, Sapperton, all cleared and planted in fruit, **$2,200, $500 cash**

Five acre blocks just across the river in Surrey at **$150 per acre,** which will double in less than a year.

Suburban block 12, one block from car line, **4 Lots, $425 each**

66 foot lot near corner of 5th avenue and 10th street, **$550 on easy terms.**

Sapperton---Triple corner on Buchanan and Sherbrook streets, **$1,300,** one third cash, balance on easy terms.

A business block, large enough for four good store buildings on one of the main streets for **$10,000.** This property in 5 years will be worth $50,000.

135 acres of water front close in, good deep water, **for $500 per acre.**

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CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday, January 23.

HOLY TRINITY—Rev. A. Shildrick, rector. Celebration of Holy Communion 8 a. m.; Matins, 11 a. m.; Sunday-school, 2:30 p. m.; evensong and sermon 7 p m.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. J. S. Henderson, pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath school and Bible class 2:30 p.m. Morning, "The Divine Call for Service;" evening, "Meeting Your Opportunity."

ST. STEPHEN'S PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. T. Wardlaw Taylor, M.A., Ph. D., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p m. Morning, "The Image of God;" evening, "Religion and National Righteousness."

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,—Rev. E. G. Thompson, M. A., pastor. Public worship: Morning, 11 a.m.; evening, 7 p.m. Bible class and Sabbath school 2:30 p.m., Y.P.S.C.E., Tuesday, 8p.m.; prayer meeting, Wednesday 8 p.m. Morning subject, "God's Dwelling Place." A service of song will be held in the evening, when the following pieces will be rendered by the choir, assisted by Messrs. Greenlee and Buchanan, of Vancouver: Anthem, "The Radiant Morn;" duet, Messrs. Greenlee and Buchanan; quartette, "Just As I Am;" anthem, "I Am the Way;" quartette, "Rock of Ages;" solo, Mrs. Reid; duet, Messrs. Greenlee and Buchnan; solo, Mr. Williams; closing anthem. A short address will be given on "The Song of Triumph.

QUEEN'S AVENUE METHODIST—Rev. C. W. Brown, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Morning, memorial service for the late Mrs. Jos. Wintemute; evening, "The Messiah." Special music from Handel's "Messiah."

ST. PAUL'S REFORMED EPISCOPAL—Rev. A. deB. Owen, rector. Service at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Holy Communion first Sunday in the month after morning service. Prayer meeting on Thursday at 7:30 p.m. Morning subject, "Two Noble Women in Old Testament History;" evening, "The Spirit's Birth."

OLIVET BAPTIST—Rev. A. F. Baker, pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sunday school at 2:30 p.m. Midweek prayer meeting on Wednesday at 8 o'clock. Morning subject: "The Great Transition;" evening, Evangelistic meeting, opening with a service of song; subject, "A Startling Statement."

GOSPEL HALL, corner of Sixth avenue and Ninth street. Evangelist J. J. Rouse will preach at 7 p.m. Subject, "Two Testaments or Wills in Which People Are Interested."

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NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C. BRANCH

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the matter of the North West quarter Section 25, Township 13, E. C. M, District of New Westminster and Province of British Columbia, and in the matter of the Estate of John Scott Macdonnell, deceased.

By order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Morrison dated the 7th day of January, 1910, tenders will be received up to January 21, 1910, by the undersigned for the purchase of all the Estate and interest of John Scott Macdonnell and his heirs in and to all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises above mentioned.

J. J. CAMBRIDGE,
District Registrar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

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TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION LABEL NEW WESTMINSTER

SATURDAY, JANUARY 22, 1910.

A DISLOYAL PROPOSAL.

It would be interesting to know the source whence Secretary Wade derived his inspiration to set afoot an agitation to destroy the beautiful and characteristic and time-honored name of the city of New Westminster.

The first intimation of such a move was a star paragraph which appeared in the Vancouver Province of Thursday, in which it was stated that "there is a great deal of feeling in the city that it would be advisable to change the name, and the time now seems opportune, as the Royal City is dropping its old charter and will now come under the Municipal Clauses act."

We assert unhesitatingly that this announcement is entirely misleading and utterly groundless. We have never heard one single citizen of New Westminster so much as hint at such a thing, and we very much doubt whether the alleged feeling agitated half a dozen people in the entire community, or indeed whether it ever existed in any other mind that that of Secretary Wade himself.

To suggest such a change was nothing less than an act of disloyalty, an insult to the memory of the noble Queen whose name is revered throughout the world. For, as everyone knows, this city owes its glorious name to the choice and desire of Queen Victoria, graciously expressed in her letter to Sir E. Bulwer Lytton, her Secretary of State, in 1868. And to the same regal courtesy is due New Westminster's honorable designation as the Royal City.

The proposal was as absurd as it was ill-timed and disrespectful. We are delighted to see—and we are sure every true citizen will be also—that while the Native Sons promptly passed a strong resolution protesting against any change in the name of our city and sent a special messenger with this to the Board of Trade, the latter body at once and effectually nipped the idea in the bud by decisively turning the proposal down.

We regard the whole idea as a piece of presumption on the part of Secretary Wade, whose residence here has not been lengthy enough to enable him to appreciate the feelings of the people or the real importance of New Westminster's designation.

Liberals Staggering Under Series of Defeats

(Continued from Page One.)

Belfast West—
J. Devlin (N) 4651
Carpenter (U) 4064
Magee (Ind. N) 73
No change.

Belfast South—
J. Chambers (U) 5772
T. H. Sloan (Ind. U) 3552
Sloan was the former member.

Longford South—
J. Phillips (N) unopposed.
No change.

Queen's County, Ossory—
Delaney (N) unopposed. No change.

Galway County, East—
Roch (N) unopposed. No change.

Louth, North—
T. M. Healey (Ind. N) 2432
Hazelton (N) 2338
No change.

Saturday's Pollings.

According to "The Times" pollings tomorrow will be:

Carnarvon district; Carmorthenshire West; Crewe (Cheshire); Launceston (Cornwall); High Peak (Derbyshire); Torquay (Devonshire); Romford (Essex); Flintshire; Radcliffe-Cum-Farnworth (Lancashire); Merionethshire; Norfolk, North, West and South; Somerset North; Handsworth (Staffordshire).

England and Wales.

Pudsey, Spen Valley, Shipley and Sowerby (Yorkshire, West riding); Dumfries Burghs; St. Andrew's Burghs; Renfrewshire; Forfarshire and Kincardineshire (Scotland).

Down, East, and Kerry, East (Ireland).

Society

Mrs. Harold G. Barnet is the guest of Mrs. Hugo McDonald.

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Miss Davidson is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Davidson.

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One of the notable afternoon gatherings of this week was the very charming tea given Thursday by Mrs. H. R. Davidson, one of the most gracious hostesses of her circle, in honor of her guest, Miss Davidson. The decorations of yellow and white which were used throughout the house gave a bright dash of color to the rooms. Mrs. Davidson wore a handsome gown of black voile. In charge of the tea table, which was brightened with daffodils, were Mrs. Gordon E. Corbould and Mrs. C. Charleson, who had assisting them Miss Freize, Miss Briggs, Miss Lewis, Miss Corbould, Miss Lillooet Armstrong and Miss Cotton. The ices were looked after by Mrs. Bruce Corbould and Mrs. Henry Doyle.

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The Navajo club held a poverty ball in St. George's hall on Wednesday, which was most enjoyable. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Arkle, Mr. and Mrs. William Gifford, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gifford, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. D. Shiles, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Muir, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Welsh, Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Tait, Mr. and Mrs. Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Todd, Miss M. Johnston, Miss Florence McLeod, Miss Alice McLeod, Miss Bilodeau, Miss Bowell, Miss Coutts, Miss Sullivan, Miss Turnbull, Miss Digby ,Miss Fisher, Miss Howay, Miss Latham, Miss Burr, Miss Pride, Miss Rushton, Miss Tidy, Miss Wise, Mr. G. N. Rae, Mr. Mahoney, Mr. Tidy, Mr. W. Burr, Mr. Galbraith, Mr. Bowell, Mr. M. Digby, Mr. Fisher, Mr. R. Pearson, Mr. Leslie Pearson, Mr. Goulet, Mr. O. Latham, Mr. McDonald, Mr. F. Reichenbach, Mr. Rennie, Mr. Sinclair and others.

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Another bright and enjoyable evening was spent by a large number of young people at the dance on Friday in St. George's hall, given in aid of the funds of the boys' gymnasium. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. Bruce Corbould, Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Edmonds, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Diamond, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. Cromwell, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Latham, Mr. and Mrs. A. Allan Mercer, Mrs. C. F. Cotton, Mrs. Farquhar Macrae, Miss Pyne, Miss Burnett, Miss Annandale, Miss Eastman, Miss Cotton, Miss Muriel Cotton, Miss Corbould, Miss Vera Corbould, Miss Lewis, Miss Alma Lewis, Miss Lillooet Armstrong, Miss Nora Armstrog, Miss Doris Clute, Miss Eleanor Brown, Miss Gertrude Brown, Miss Mowbray, Miss Leamy, Miss Alma Leamy, Miss Veda Leamy, Miss MacGowan, Miss Briggs, Miss Peele, Miss Josephine Martin, Miss Rickman, Mr. W. Rickman, Mr. W. Martin, Mr. F. Hill, Mr. Ewing, Mr. Albert Beatty, Mr. Robert Beatty, Mr. Andrews, Mr. Walter Brown, Mr. Roy Pearson, Mr. Leslie Pearson, Mr. L. Johnston, Mr. E. N. Sutherland, Mr. D. Tuck, Mr. Nigel O'Brien, Mr. W. Keary, Mr. Ramsay, Mr. H. Burnett, Mr. O Peele, Mr. H. Leamy, Mr. C. Leamy, Mr. Rashleigh, Mr. F. Major, Mr. Douglas Wright, Mr. Sperry, Mr. Sholto McColl, Mr. Adams, Mr. Russell, Mr. Lindsay, Mr. Walter Cotton, Mr. Keith MacGowan, Mr. Ballock and a few others.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Grand Trunk Pacific Branch Lines Company will apply to the Parliament of Canada, at its present session for an Act further amending the Act incorporating the Company, chapter 99 of the Statutes of 1906, as amended by Statute 86 of the Statutes of 1909 by authorizing the construction of the following additional lines of railway:—

(1) From a point on the Western Division of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway between the east limit of of Range 12 and the West limit of Range 17, west of the third meridian thence in a southwesterly and westerly direction to a point in the vicinity of Calgary, or to a point on the line which the Company is authorized under paragraph 14 of clause 11 of said chapter 99 to construct to Calgary:

(2) From a point on the proposed line mentioned in paragraph (1) between the east limit of Range 20 and the west limit of Range 28, west of the third meridian, thence in an easterly and southeasterly direction to Regina or to appoint in the vicinity thereof.

(3) From a point on the proposed line mentioned in paragraph (2) between the east limit of Range 24 and the west limit of Range 27, west of the second meridian to Moose Jaw, of to a point in the vicinity thereof;

(4) From a point on the westerly Division of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway between Artland and Wainwright, thence in an easterly and southeasterly direction to a point on the line which the company is authorized by paragraph 13 of clause 11 of said chapter 99, to be constructed to Battleford.

(5) From Regina or a point in the vicinity thereof, thence in a southwesertly and westerly direction to Lethbridge or to a point in the vicinity of Lethbridge on the line which the Company is, under paragraph 14 of clause 11 of said chapter 99, authorized to construct from Calgary to the southern boundary of the province of Alberta at or near Coutts.

(6) From a point on the main line of the Western Division between Moose Lake and Tete Jaune Cache, thence through the drainage of the Clearwater River, Bonaparte River, Seton and Anderson Lakes and the Lillooet River or the Squamish River or between the last two rivers to Vancouver, British Columbia authorizing an issue of bonds to the extent of $30,,000 a mile of the said lines of railway, numbered (1) to (5) inclusive and comprising the said lines within what are defined by the said Act as the "Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta Extensions"; authorizing an issue of bonds to the extent of $50,000 a mile of the said line of railway numbered (6) and comprising the said line within what is defined by the said Act as the "British Columbia Extensions;" and also amending paragraph 11 of clause 11 of the said Act, as regards the southern terminus of the line thereby authorized, to be constructed from Regina to the international boundary at or near North Portal.

Dated at Montreal this 29th day of November, 1909.

W. H. BIGGAR,
Solicitor for Applicants.

A SNAP!

Ten lots in Burnaby on Third Avenue, $175 each; one-third cash, balance six and twelve months.

McADAM & IRWIN

552 Columbia Street, New Westminster.

TEACHER WANTED.

For school on Lulu Island, within city limits. Applications will be received until noon on Friday, January 28.

ROBERT LENNIE,
School Board Secretary.

NOTICE.

Tenders called for B. C. Quarantine supplies receivable up to January 15, 1910, will be received up to midday, January 31, 1910. Newspapers copying this advertisement without authority from the department will not be paid.

A. D. JARVIS,
Ass't Deputy Minister and Secretary of Agriculture.
Ottawa, January 11, 1910.

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ARE YOU

in need of any plates? If so, you are interested in our Special Today.

BREAKFAST PLATES 75c PER DOZEN

The Fair

646 Columbia Street.

We buy for cash and sell for the same

Lee's JANUARY CLEARING SALE

A handsome Ladies' Combination Secretary and Bookcase, made of hard maple wood in surface oak finish nicely carved, with writing bed 19x26 inches. The inside is fitted neatly with divisions for papers, etc; regular value $8.00; January Sale

$6.45

LEE'S Furniture Emporium
Lee's Block, Columbia Street,
Phone 73. NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.

High Quality and Low Prices

are the two leading features of this popular clearance. If you are not making the most of it you are missing the greatest sale of its kind ever held in New Westminster. It is not too late to pay a visit now, bargains are here throughout the sale, not in a few odd lines only, but wherever you turn in the store, you will find a good supply of attractive merchandise at astonishingly low prices. You can well afford to spend an hour or two in our Whitewear Department. Such values as are offered here will tempt you to lay in a full stock.

Buy All You Can and Buy it NOW

A LAST WORD IN COATS

A chance to secure a smart coat at an extremely low figure. Stylish garments cut to the lowest possible price in an effort to clear out the balance of our stock.

5 Coats only, brown, navy, oxford grey and greens. All this season's garments; regular values to $19.50 for $7.50

Seven only up-to-date Coats, including black, green and brown, velvet and silk trimmed; regular values to $22.50 for.....$10.50

CHILDREN'S COATS AT $2.50

Coats in plain colors, tweeds and dark mixtures to go in the last effort. We have a good assortment of sizes in this offer, but we want to clear them out to make room for Spring goods.

Regular values to $6.50 for..... $2.50
Regular values to $9.50 for.....$4.50

GENTS' UMBRELLAS 75c

Five dozen Gents' Umbrellas, stout cotton covers, strong frame, full size, splendid assortment of handles. A snap at $1.00; sale price 75c

$35 OPERA CLOAKS FOR $15

Five only Opera Cloaks, made from plain broadcloth in dainty pastel and darker shades. A rare opportunity for thrifty buyers; regular values to $35 now for.....$15

38-INCH MOIRETTE 15c PER YARD

Turquoise blue, rose and dark helio only. A big snap while it lasts. Get here early or it will be gone; regular 35c, now for, per yard 15c

SILK CREPE DE CHINE 49c PER YARD

Black, white and cream only 22 and 28 inches wide, a rich fabric for waists or dresses. All pure silk; regular 85c per yard, for, per yard....49c

50c DRESS GOODS FOR 25c

All wool nuns' veiling, in pink, rose and grey, also wool crepe de chine in pale blue; regular values to 50c; sale price, per yard.....25c

One piece each pale green and rose Nuns' veiling to be cleared Only a limited quantity; regular 25c per yard, now for, per yard.....15c

LESS THAN WHOLESALE PRICES ON FURS

We are determined to clear the balance of our Fur stock. Not many left, but a few Marmot and Sable Stoles we are offering at far less than manufacturers' prices. Inspect them.

$2.00 LADIES' UMBRELLAS FOR $1.35

Four dozen Ladies' Umbrellas 25-inch silk and linen gloria covers, reliable frame, large selection of stylish handles; regular $2.00; sale price $1.35

T H. SMITH

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LADIES' READY-TO-WEAR

GORDON'S
Big Dry Goods House

January Sale of Table Damasks

Eighty-inch bleached table linen with handsome border; regular price $1.75 per yard; sale price, per yard $1.35

Seventy-two-inch bleached table linen, pretty floral designs; regular price $1.65 per yard; sale price, per yard $1.20

Seventy-two-inch bleached table linen, pretty floral patterns; regular price $1.35 per yard; sale price, per yard 90c

Sixty-eight-inch bleached table linen, assortment of patterns; regular price $1.00 per yard; sale price, per yard 65c

Sixty-eight-inch bleached table linen; regular price 75c per yard; sale price, per yard.....50c

Table napkins, 5-8 and 3-4 sizes; price from, per dozen..85c to $5.00

IT WILL PAY YOU TO INSPECT THESE VALUES AND REPLENISH YOUR STOCK AT THESE PRICES.

The Fashion Centre

NEXT TO CITY HALL.

SPORTING NEWS

APOLOGY IS SENT TO REFEREE'S ASSOCIATION

Naughty Postcard Incident Ends in Rovers Expressing Regret for Reference to Referee.

New Westminster has sent in an apology to the Referees' association for the postcard incident, and although no reply has been received, it is expected that the Rovers' troubles are all over and everything will be lovely from now on. Westham Island will play here this afternoon. When the match was arranged one of the Westham Island players who is a member of the Referees' association, refused to come unless the trouble with the association was settled. That is the immediate reason for the apology.

Although Westham Island is not very high up in the league the team is strong and will give the locals a hard game. Leith, of Vancouver, will referee. Kirby, of the Rovers, may not be able to go on the field today as he has been ill for the past week.

The Rovers' team will be chosen from the following players: Hartley, Bruce, Lang, Shawcross, Sawyers, Locke, Cadyzien, Johnson, Badenoch, Robertson, Gray and Coutts. Game to be called at 2:30 sharp.

Braden's Rink Wins.

Regina, Jan. 21.—Braden's Winnipeg rink finished off its stay in Regina by winning the third largest competition of the bonspiel today.

BOWLING

A team of local bowlers will journey to Harrison Springs today to take a fall out of the Warm Bathers.

The following is the score rolled in a game against Vancouver last night in a Telegraph league game:

	1	2	3	Total
Burden	148	170	177	495
Gilchrist	149	200	161	510
McCall	124	137	142	403
Smith	184	150	153	487
South	204	182	156	542
	809	839	789	2437

Foul line judge—L. O'Connor.
Scorer—H. Wiggins.

The following extra games have been arranged for next week:

The Glaziers of the Royal City mills: J. Mills, F. Sault, H. Carty, captain; Wm. Orr, rooter; vs. The Tallymen: K. Campbell, A. W. Sharpe, P. Harvey, captain; V. Bray, rooter.

Tuesday evening, January 25—All Stars: J. Campbell, P. Roy, R. B. Purdy, J. Smith, Sam South, captain; vs. All Factory: T. Mills, A. Ramsay, J. Driscoll, J. Millman, F. Peterson, captain.

Special match for Thursday evening—Mack's Roustabouts vs. All Factory team. Both teams from the Royal City mills.

Entries are being sent in fast for the "Chamberlin handicap" for two-man teams.

South African Cricket..

Johannesburg, Jan. 21.—In the cricket test match today the South Africans had 89 for four wickets.

Cook Still Holds Degrees.

Copenhagen, Jan. 20.—No immediate steps will be taken to rescind the honorary degree conferred upon Dr. Cook by the University of Copenhagen, as the verdict is merely one of "cause unproved," so far as the decision of the university is concerned. However, Rector Solomonsen and Prof. Stromgen, the chairman of the examining committee, have been delegated to consider further all evidence at t heir disposal, after which final action concerning the explorer's university titles may be taken.

QUICK WORK

Kamloops Man Meets, Courts and Marries Girl in Nine Hours.

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—Western methods of hustle were illustrated here this week when a stalwart and prosperous farmer from British Columbia met, courted, proposed to and married an Ottawa girl all in the space of nine hours. George Finter, of Kamloops, B. C., returned to Ottawa last week after an absence of eight years. On Monday at one o'clock he happened to see in his sister's home the photograph of a young Ottawa lady, Miss Maggie Robinson. He expressed a desire to meet her, and securing her address made an immediate call. Miss Robinson was busy at home, but Finter made an engagement to meet her later in the afternoon. At five o'clock he had made considerable progress in acquaintanceship. With commendable vigor he then got a marriage license and a wedding ring. At ten o'clock the same evening the pair were united. Mr. Finter says that's the way they do things out west.

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GOOD NEWS

The Latest Report from the Fossil Oil Field.

READ:

Messrs. Bernet & Helm,
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Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sirs,—We are down 770 feet, and have had considerable setbacks for the last few days. Last week we lost a whole string of tools for three days, but we got them out all right. Yesterday we lost a part of a bit in the well—It broke off while drilling—we are drilling it up today.

The showings still improve as we go down and it looks as if we would get the well any day. I never saw a case where the good showings were so far above the main body of oil before.

We have had sand rock in the last few days, and it is so hard that we have made not over one (1) inch per hour while working, but I like to see that on top of the oil. It is one of the best indications possible. For the last few days the whole floor of the derrick, where the water runs, has been covered with oil.

I only wish some of you folks would come down and see what we have. I believe it would be a wise thing for you to send somebody down to look it over and so be able to report to the shareholders, and open their eyes. I think we have the biggest proposition ever, and am satisfied we will strike it rich.

Yours truly,

(Signed) S. A. HUBBELL.

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on No. 1, Silicon No. 2, Pitt Fracnal, Silicon Fractional Grouped neral Claims, situated in the New estminster Mining Division of w Westminster District, where cated Pitt Lake:

ke notice that we, Pitt Lake k and Cement Company, Limited, Miner's Certificate No. B30434, nd 60 days from the date hereof pply to the Mining Recorder for rtificate of Improvement for the ose of obtaining a Crown Grant e above claims.

d further take notice that action r section 37 must be commenced re the issuance of such Certifi of Improvements.

ted this 14th day of December, 1909.

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OTICE TO ARCHITECTS.

AL COLUMBIAN HOSPITAL—COMPETITIVE DESIGNS.

e Board of Managers for the l Columbian Hospital invites tects to submit competitive de of a General Hospital, which it oposed to erect at Sapperton, Westminster, B. C.

e designs shall be superscribed: n, Royal Columbian Hospital, addressed to W. H. Keary, Sec y Board of Managers, Royal Colan Hospital, New Westminster, , and will be received up to noon nesday, 16th February, 1910.

e design placed first by the adator will receive a premium of the second a premium of $300; hird a premium of $200.

e Board of Managers is not d to erect the building from any e designs submitted.

nditions governing competition be obtained by bona fide competiupon application to the underd.

W. H. KEARY, Secretary, Board of Managers. Westminster, B. C., January 7, 0.

LAND ACT.

Westminster Land District, District of New Westminster.

e notice that William Garland arrie, of New Westminster, B. cuaption, barrister at law, into apply for permission to pur the following described lands: mencing at a post planted on hore of Welcome Pass at the west corner of Lot 1478, group w Westminster district, thence ly following the south boun of said Lot 1478, 40 chains more s to the westerly boundary of r Limit 38,783, thence south the said westerly boundary of Timber Limit 38,783, 40 chains or less to the southwest corner Timber Limit, thence easterly ng the south boundary of said r Limit 30 chains more or less shore of Halfmoon Bay, thence rly, westerly and northerly the shore of Halfmoon Bay and me Pass to point of commence containing one hundred and six 0 acres more or less.

HN FERDINAND BAGGS, nt for William Garland McQuar

ed, November 23rd, 1909.

NOTICE.

THE MATTER of the "Land try Office"

—AND—

THE MATTER of the title to visions 1, 2 and 3 in Lot 21, Su n Block 13.

rbert Salsbury, Westminster, British Columbia.

KE NOTICE, that unless you proof to my satisfaction within n (15) days from the date of notice that you have complied the terms of the certain agree for sale of the said subdivis 1, 2 and 3 in Lot 21, Suburban 13, made between F. J. Hart & pany and you the 20th day of uary, 1908, I shall proceed to can he registration of the said agree and that henceforth you shall arred of all right, title or interest tsoever in the said lands, and pub on of this notice in a daily news r for fifteen days shall be good sufficient service hereof.

C. S. KEITH, strict Registrar of Titles at New tminster, B. C. ary 7, 1910.

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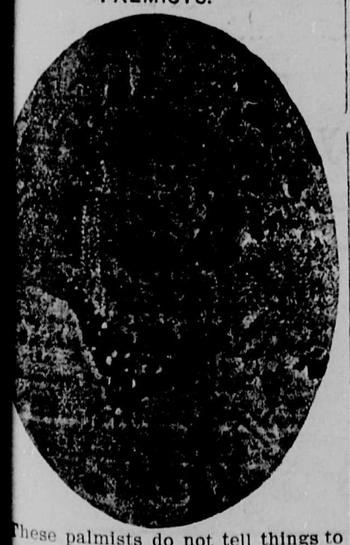

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MARKET REPORT

Yesterday's weekly market drew a fair attendance, and a good day's business was done. The feature of the market was the further decline in the price of eggs, which sold at 35 cents wholesale, and from 40 cents to 45 cents retail. There was a good supply of beef and other meats and all was readily disposed of. There was a good supply and demand for fowl of all kinds, large chickens being especially sought after by the buyers. The few ducks that offered were quickly disposed of to early buyers.

The supply of potatoes was particularly good but the sales were limited. Some apples sold at a drop in price of 25 cents from last week, but the quality of the fruit was not up to the standard.

During the morning a well attended auction sale was held on Lytton Square and many horses and cows, in addition to farm implements, changed hands at good prices.

Official Quotations.

Beef, hindquarters, per lb.	8c to 9c
Beef, forequarters, per lb.	6c to 7c
Mutton	12c
Veal, large	9c to 10c
Veal, medium	11c
Pork	11c
Eggs, wholesale, per doz.	35c
Eggs, retail, per doz.	40c to 45c
Butter, wholesale, per lb	30c
Butter ,retail, per lb.	35c
Fowl, per doz.	$8 to $9
Chickens, per doz.	$6.00 to $8.00
Broilers, per doz.	$4.50 to $6
Geese, each	$1.25 to $1.50
Potatoes, per ton	$18
Apples, per box	$1 to $1.75
Onions, per sack	$1.25
Carrots, per sack	60c
Parsnips	75c
Beets	$1
Turnips, per sack	75c

TENDERS.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until Noon, on Friday, the 18th February, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on proposed contracts for four years, 14 and 30 times per week each way, between the New Westmister Post Office and the Canadian Pacific Railway Station and the Great Northern Railway Station from the 1st April next.

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

Post Office Inspector's Office, Vancouver, B. C., 7th January, 1910.

JOHN R. GREENFIELD, Post Office Inspector.

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Ladies' high-grade gunmetal, vici kid and patent bluchers, manufactured by the Minister-Myles Co., of Toronto, of the very finest materials, stylish and durable, worth $5.00 and $5.50, for $3.75

Ladies' elegant patent leather and vici kid bluchers, will give splendid wear, made by M. B. Steine Co., of Montreal, worth $4.50, for $3.25

Ladies' fine vici kid bluchers and bals, made by the Minister-Myles Co. and M. B. Steine, sold at $3.25 and $3.50, for $2.65

Ladies' vrey fine kid Oxford, black and tan, in a variety of pleasing styles, all good value at $2.75 to $3.00, for $1.95

Ladies' fine strap slippers, neat and stylish, Columbia and M. B. Steine makes, worth $1.75, for $1.35

Men's high-grade box calf and patent leather bluchers, comprising such well known standard makes as the Hanover Manufacturing, Beresford and Ames-Holden, worth $5.00 and $5.50, for $4.35

Men's fine leather-lined calf and vici kid bluchers, never sold for less than $5.00 and $5.50, Columbia and Beresford make... $4.15

Leather lined box kid bluchers, 18 pairs left, a good working shoe of neat appearance, worth $4.00, for $3.15

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CITY NEWS

A Hindu named Bipwoo, who died at his shack near the Walsh Sash and Door factory on Wednesday, was buried yesterday in the Douglas street cemetery.

The "Acme" of perfection in gentlemen's outfitting can be procured at the Acme Clothing Store in Lee's Emporium. ***

The organist and some of the members of St. Alban's (Anglican) church, Burnaby, assisted by outside talent, are preparing for a concert which will be given on Thursday in the Burnaby municipal hall. The coming event bids fair to be a great success.

Take advantage of Bob Stevenson's big shoe sale. ***

From two to half past three o'clock on Sunday morning the electric current will be off in this city and in Burnaby.

We noticed a smart young well-dressed fellow today, you probably saw him too. He got the finishing touch put on at the Acme Store. ***

Commissioner Coombs gave an address before a large audience in the Salvation Army barracks yesterday evening, centering his remarks on the seventeenth verse of the fourteenth chapter of Romans: "No Man Liveth for Himself." During his address he recalled many incidents in his interesting career, which appeared to touch most of the audience.

Walgamutt's orchestra in attendance at The Royal Cafe. **

Mr. and Mrs. A. Allan of Third avenue are rejoicing in the arrival of a boy baby.

For first-class cut flowers and any kind of Floral work, telephone Davies' Greenhouse, R208 **

Bob Stevenson is closing out his shoe business. All goods are marked at low prices to clear. ***

For furniture, carpets, linoleums, etc., try the New Furniture Store. Denny & Galloway, 43 Sixth street. **

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Buy your shoes at Stevenson's closing out sale and save money. ***

The low land on Barnston Island will be reclaimed by a system of dykes which are to be built in the near future. The island lies in the Fraser about fifteen miles above the city. Six miles of dykes will render about 1500 acres of land available for cultivation, and the cost of the work will not be very great, as there are no difficulties in the way of dredging. It is the purpose of the owners to subdivide the property into small farms suitable for market gardens.

W. H. Scott was yesterday evening elected president of the Trades and Labor Council, J. McMurphy, who was nominated at the previous meeting having declined the honor. The other officers elected were: R. E. Monteith, vice president; J. Wood, treasurer; R. A. Stoney, secretary, and M. Sobey, sergeant-at-arms. A considerable amount of business was transacted at the meeting.

The nine Chinese who fell into the hands of Detective Bradshaw and his men on Thursday night appeared in the police court yesterday morning and all pleaded guilty to a charge of gambling. The keeper of the joint was fined $30 and the others contributed $10 each to the cost of the city's upkeep. Detective Bradshaw has the names of several white men who were frequenting the house.

The boiler inspectors of the province are meeting at the provincial court house every day now to discuss the matter of uniform boiler regulations for the Domnion. The rules adopted by the recent conference at Regina are being gone over and the British Columbia men are trying to see what can be done towards making the provincial rules conform to them. The men present in the city are: John Downey, G. C. McGowan, S. Baxter, J. D. Kay of Victoria, A. Sutherland of Nelson, G. O. Madigan and P. J. Gopel of Vancouver, and Chief Inspector Peck, of New Westminster. The result of the deliberations of this board will be compared with the results of the sittings of similar bodies sitting in the different provinces and from the reports some uniform scheme of boiler requirements will doubtless be arranged for the whole Dominion.

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One-third cash, balance over two years.

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Specials For Saturday Night Only

A list of the bargains on sale at the Special Reductions noted below for

Tonight Only Between the Hours of Seven and Nine

Lines of goods are popular everyday necessities, the quantities of which are limited. New arrivals will soon be here to replace them, so we put them on sale tonight at prices which make it worth your while to be here and obtain first choice if possible. Low prices on all **Winter Goods** in every department are fast clearing out the odds and ends.

Wide Taffeta and Satin Ribbon 19c Per Yard

REGULAR VALUES 30c to 50c PER YARD.

Our Ribbon Stock was never so clean as regards colors and styles, but there are unusually large numbers of ends, each ranging from three to ten yeards. Our Saturday night price is marvellously low for five, six and seven-inch ribbons of superior qualities. No bad colors or bad patterns. On sale between the hours of 7 and 9 tonight, at per yard 19c

Penman's Special Cashmere Hose For Women 25c Per Pair

REGULAR 35c VALUE

This is the first time since we have been handling this high-grade 35c Hose that they have been placed on sale at other than the usual sale discount. We depart the usual run for tonight only and sacrifice this line of All-wool Penman's Special Hose, black only, sizes 8 1-2 to 10 inches. On sale tonight 7 to 9 p.m. in the Hosiery Section, per pair.....25c

Our Best English Prints 10c Per Yard

REGULAR 15c.

For two hours only customers will find it possible to purchase what they desire of these forty ends of our well known "Hard-toBeat" print at a price less than that for which we can buy them. Our large Spring stock will be here in a short time, so we make these ends to clear quickly, for two hours only (7 to 9 tonight), 15c prints for per yard 10c

OUR REGULAR $1.25 GUARANTEED

Kid Gloves 95c Per Pair

Black, tan, brown and white French Kid Gloves, in all sizes. Our regular popular Reynier Glove, every pair of which is guaranteed. Further comment is unnecessary. On sale Saturday night only, 7 to 9 p. m., at per pair 95c

China Silks 20c Per Yard

REGULAR 25c AND 30c.

Twenty-five or more ends of China Silk, a full range of colors, some in 20-inch and others in 23-inch widths. The entire stock on sale 7 to 9 p. m. tonight only, at per yard 20c

Women's Heavy Undervests 25c Each

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