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HI GILL IS BEING FORCED TO THE WALL

Seattle's Mayor Loses Fight to set Aside Recall Petition For Malfeasance.

Seattle, Dec. 30.—The petition for the recall of Mayor Hiram C. Gill, who is accused of misconduct in office, was certified to the city council today as containing the requisite number of names, the city comptroller having carefully checked every signature.

The council at its meeting Tuesday night will set the day for the recall election.

Under the charter the election must be called not less than nor more than 40 days after the council receives the petition. The provision is mandatory, and the council has no discretion except as to the day to be chosen.

Mayor Gill's petition for an injunction against the recall was rejected by the superior court today. His counsel filed a similar suit on behalf of an Illinois property owner in the United States court.

WRECK IDENTIFIED.

No Lives Lost When Princess Beatrice Went Ashore on Monday.

Vancouver, Dec. 31.—The schooner which was noticed aground off Helmcken Island on Monday has been identified as the Princess Beatrice, a fishing boat belonging to Captain Clarke, who is engaged in the halibut fishing trade for the Billingsgate Fishing company, of Vancouver.

The crew of ten men found their way in safety to Salmon river when it became apparent the schooner would be lost, but about $500 worth of provisions and a large quantity of gasoline had to be abandoned. The schooner is said not to be very badly damaged.

WOULD FORCE OCTOPUS TO PAY INCOME TAX

London, Dec. 30.—Agitation to start a suit against the Standard Oil company in England has been urged by London Truth. The paper charges that the company, through its subsidiaries, the Anglo-American Oil company and the Vacuum Oil company, has been evading the income tax.

Truth urges that suit be commenced to compel the companies to divulge their earnings, so that the income tax may be collected. It is alleged that the two subsidiaries buy their oil from the Standard in America, paying the Standard exactly the same price as is charged consumers in England. The profits, on paper, are therefore, nothing, being by this method transferred to the balance sheets of the Standard.

Mild Winter in Alaska.

Seattle, Dec. 30.—The present winter has been one of the mildest ever known in Alaska. Many of the gold dredges have only recently ceased working, and gold is still on the way to Seattle. Captain Daughman, of the steamer Humboldt, reports that when he was in Valdez a week ago, flowers were blooming in the gardens.

C.N.P.R. COMPANY WINS ARBITRATION CASE

Edward Smith, Who Asked $10,000 for His Mount Lehman Ranch, Is Awarded Only $2500.

The award of the arbitrators has just been made in the case which was heard last week by Judge Lampman, the arbitrator appointed by the court; J. H. Diamond, appointed by the railway company, and W. Norman Bole, K.C., selected by the claimant, Edward Smith. The land in question, through which the Canadian Northern Pacific railway is constructing its right of way, consists of part of some twelve acres at Mount Lehman, with frontage on the Fraser river, and used by the claimant as a brickyard.

A considerable amount of evidence was given and the case occupied two days in its hearing. The claimant placed the value of his property at $10,000 and urged that he would be entirely put out of business by the coming of the railway through his property. The witnesses for the company submitted that hand worked brickyards such as this were a losing proposition. F. J. Coulthard, the company's valuer and right of way agent, placed the value of the land taken and the consequential damage at $2500 and this was the amount of the offer made by the company.

The arbitrators have awarded this sum, $2500, to the claimant.

The decision was not unanimous, Judge Bole dissenting.

J. R. Grant (Corbould & Grant) appeared for the company, and J. F. Russell (Russell, Russell & Hannington) for the claimant.

Pioneer Woman Dies.

Seattle, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Mary Ann Denny, widow of the founder of Seattle, and the first white woman to set foot in the settlement, died at her home here today, aged 88 years.

COOK FINDS SOLACE IN PLAUDITS OF FIRST DUPES

Discredited Explorer Expresses His Thanks to Danes for Cordial Reception in 1909.

New York, Dec. 31.—Dr. Frederick A. Cook, in an interview published this morning in the Nordlysek, a local Danish paper, expresses his thanks to the people of Denmark for the cordial reception tendered him at Copenhagen in 1909, on his return from his polar quest. Dr. Cook says:

"In response to an offer made by the editor of the Nordlysek, I take this opportunity of thanking the Danish people for their loyalty on the occasion of my visit to Copenhagen in 1909. Since that time I have suffered much, but the memory of the reception then tendered me by all classes has been the cause of pleasant retrospect on many occasions.

"I shall always retain the pleasantest memories of Denmark and the Danish people. God bless you all."

Company Is in Difficulties.

Hartford, Conn., Dec. 30.—A receiver was appointed today in California for the Aetna Indemnity company's business in that state, according to a telegram received today by the state insurance commissioner. The attorney-general said he did not think the California receivership would affect the company's status in Connecticut.

FIRE COMPELS CLOSING OF BIG MINE AT COBALT

Engine Room, Boiler House and Machine Shops Destroyed—Plant Cost Shareholders $30,000.

Cobalt, Ont., Dec. 30.—The engine room and boiler house and machine shops at the Bartlet mine, Goganda, have been burned down and work on the mine will be retarded.

The fire will render useless for the time being the plant which was taken in at enormous expense and cost the shareholders of the company altogether $30,000 to purchase, ham in and install. It includes two 80-horsepower boilers and a ten-drill compressor.

CHINESE TONGS HAVE BURIED THE HATCHET

New York, Dec. 30.—Peace has come to Chinatown at last. With all the ceremonial display that might characterize an international treaty, the On Loong Tong and the Four Brothers Society, solemnly affixed the seals and signatures to a document which re-establishes friendly relations after years of bloody warfare.

In the shadow of the great joss which dominates the temple of the city and with the child ruler of the Flowery Kingdom represented by two attaches of the imperial nation at Washington and Consul General Yee Yueing, the signs were affixed and the signers shuffled away to feast in honor of the new-made peace.

The restoration of diplomatic relations followed interchanges of ceremonial visits between the high contracting parties. Under the leadership of the imperial representatives, a delegation from On Loong's court visited the Four Brothers' headquarters and on returning to their own building received a similar visit. All parties to the contract then traversed the quarter to the temple and the treaty was signed.

SAYS YOUNG TURKS ARE BARBARIANS

Athens, Dec. 30.—The Central committee of Albanian students have published a warm appeal to civilized Europe against the tyranny of the Young Turks which is, they say, much greater than under the ex-Sultan Abdul Hamid. They protest against the suppression of journals and schools, the exiling of all persons suspected of liberal opinions, and the "monstrous and murderous outrages" on the Albanian peasants.

The committee is not important in itself, but the appeal is a symptom of the growing disposition of Albanians to revolt from Turkey.

The report published in the Paris Matin that an alliance had been concluded between Italy and Austria, by which Montenegro and Albania were to fall in the Italian sphere of interest, and Macedonia in the Austrian, is utterly discredited here.

International Swimming.

Norwich, Conn., Dec. 30.—Negotiations are practically complete for a swimming meet between Yale, Brown and McGill university of Canada. The triangular and international event will be held in the Yale pool if scheduled. McGill's team has never competed in the States before, and there are few athletic contests of any kind between the principal Canadian colleges and the larger American institutions. Swimming is a comparatively young sport at Brown, but the Providence institution has held intercollegiate aquatic meets before.

HOXSEY AGAIN BREAKS ALL BUT OWN RECORDS

Aviator Soars 10,575 Feet in Attempt to Safeguard Against Technicality.

Aviation Field, Los Angeles, Dec. 30.—Fearing that through some technical error or oversight the height record of 11,474 feet, which he made last Monday, might not stand, Arch. Hoxsey, the California aviator soared into the air today and broke all the world's altitude records but his own.

Carried Two Barographs.

The two barographs he carried with him resigtered a height of 10,575 feet. This is nearly 1000 feet under the mark he established Monday, but it is only 76 feet above the record of Legageux, made at Pau, France, a short time ago. A new record must, however, exceed the former mark at least 500 feet. Therefore, if the International Federation of Aero clubs refuses to recognize Hozsey's feat of Monday as official, Legagneux will remain the record holder and the Californian will lose, besides the glory, prizes which aggregate nearly $5,000. He was in the air three hours and seventeen minutes, or eight minutes longer than A. L. Welch.

Satisfied with Present Honors.

An effort was made after Hoxsey landed to induce him to ascend tomorrow morning and try to suppress the endurance record made by Tabuteau in France today, but he said: "I'd have to be in the air more than ten hours and travel at least 450 miles to beat the Frenchman, and I don't feel like trying. I must be a poor hand at reading figures or I would have gone higher, much higher, today. I had an aneroid barometer strapped to my wrist. Besides, I read both the barometer and barograph figures at 12,575 before I started down."

Sky Was Clear.

Mr. Hoxsey's flight today was accomplished under the most favorable weather conditions. The sky was at all times so clear that he was always within the view of the thousands who crowded the grandstand. He travelled a distance estimated at nearly 85 miles and repeated his feat of yesterday by sailing over and above the summit of Mount Wilson. While hovering over the peak he darted and dipped and did the spiral glide, flirting with and finally spurning the forbidding crags of the mountain as he sped away.

His barograph, when unsealed, showed he had dipped down within 400 feet of the Mount Wilson's peak, which is 5800 feet above the sea. Then the needle marked a steadily ascending line upon the chart as he climbed steadily upward while beating back against the 15-mile breeze to the field.

Long Distance Record.

Buc, France, Dec. 30.—Maurice Tabuteau, contesting for the Michelin cup, broke the world's record for distance today, covering 362.66 miles in a continuous flight of seven hours and forty-seven minutes.

FERRY FIREMEN STRIKE.

New York City Has Labor Trouble on Its Hands.

New York, Dec. 30.—New York city experienced today the first municipal strike in years, when the firemen on the city's ferry boats which ply between Manhattan and South Brooklyn and Staten Island went on strike because the municipal government reduced the number of firemen on the boats to cut down expenses. Commuters on Staten Island were unable to reach Manhattan except by making a wide detour into New Jersey. The city officials have hired one hundred longshoremen to take the places of the strikers and they are being instructed in their duties.

Found a Crevasse of Glacier.

Valdez, Alaska, Dec. 30.—Last summer W. H. Creary and a party of miners found the bones of several horses with pack saddles in a crevasse of the Valdez glacier. A report that the bones of men were found also is not true. The lost pack train had no connection with the stampede of 1898, when a number of men perished in crevasses of the glacier. Horses were not used then.

RECENT FLOODS DID BIG DAMAGE

Alaskan Forest Ranger Confirms Stories of Disaster--Country Suffered.

Cordova, Alaska, Dec. 30.—Forest Ranger George Johnson returned from an inspection of the Bering glacier today and confirmed the reports of great damage done by the flood which burst from the glacier last month.

Because of the heavy fall of snow he was unable to reach the chain of lakes above the glacier to determine the cause of the phenomenal flood, but he verified stories of enormous damage done to the large sweep of country between the glacier and the sea.

The ranger also investigated the whereabouts of H. S. Wise, of Kayak, and Smith, for whose safety fears were entertained.

Wise and Smith escaped injury, but underwent thrilling experiences and endured unusual hardship in making their escape from the icebergs that swept down the Bering river valley.

HUNGRY FOR WORK.

North Vancouver Reporters Protest Against Closed School Meetings.

North Vancouver, Dec. 30. — The school trustees held their regular meeting last night in the Central school. In the absence of the chairman, Mr. Steacy, Mr. McDowell presided, and the other trustees in attendance were Mr. Hay and Dr. Howell.

A letter was read from the local press representatives desiring, in the interests of the ratepayers of the city, to be present at the various meetings of the school trustees, "which," the letter added, "we are at present unable to do owing to your meetings being held at irregular hours and without any notice conveyed to us. We, therefore, respectfully request that intimation of all meetings be conveyed to us to enable us to be present."

Mr. Hay said it would be impossible to let reporters know of meetings got up on half an hour's notice.

The chairman suggested that the letter be left over till a full meeting of the trustees, and this advice was endorsed by Dr. Howell.

Mr. Hay added that if there were any changes in the regular meetings he thought the reporters should be informed of them.

PAINTINGS WORTHLESS COPIES.

Art Expert So Characterizes Productions of D'Aulbys.

Tours, France, Dec. 30.—The defence played another card at the opening of today's session of the trial of "Count" and "Countess" D'Aulby De Gatigny, charged with swindling, by revealing the fact that M. Belleuse, the art expert, called by the prosecution to pass upon the authenticity of the defendantes' pictures is now awaiting trial on a charge of conducting a gambling house in Paris.

The appointment of this expert was suggested by the complainant, the Duchess De Choisoul-Praslin, formerly Mrs. Charles H. Paine, of Boston, Belleuse characterized D'Aulby's paintings as mostly worthless copies and their owner as an audacious trafficker playing upon the credulity of art collectors.

M. Bernard asked for the immediate designation of another expert. The incident caused a tumult in the court room. Bernard followed up this disclosure by calling M. Desmoulin, a painter, who testified that of such of D'Aulby's pictures as he had seen one certainly was an original masterpiece and the others were excellent copies.

Pioneer of B. C. Dead.

Nanaimo, Dec. 31.—A. R. Johnston, senior member of the firm of A. R. Johnston & Co., wholesale and retail grocers, died here yesterday at the age of sixty-nine. He had resided here for the past fifty years, during thirty of which he had engaged in the grocery business. During the first few years he spent in this country he engaged in mining ventures.

Indicted Banker Takes Poison, Then Walks Boldly to Trial.

New York, Dec. 30.—With head erect, shoulders squared and eyes levelled at the battery of cameras trained on him, Joseph G. Robin, the indicted banker, stepped from his sister's home this morning to face arraignment, calm in the knowledge that he had swallowed a dose of hyoscine, the deadly alkaloid with which Dr. Crippen killed his wife, Belle Elmore. He collapsed before he could be taken into court with the exclamation: "I am a dead man; I've taken poison tablets."

The case was postponed in the greatest excitement; a stomach pump was hurriedly brought into play and the sick man was carried first to the prison hospital and later to Bellevue, where he lies tonight in the prison ward. No charge of attempted suicide is entered against him, and it is thought he will recover, although the action of hyoscine is slow and has much weakened his vitality.

The time at which Robin took the drug is approximately fixed by the testimony of Dr. Austin Flint, retained by William Jerome, his counsel. Dr. Louise Robinovitch, his sister, and two detectives who rode with him from his sister's house to the criminal building.

Dr. Flint told the court that as nearly as he could judge the poison had been in Robin's system about three-quarters of an hour when he collapsed. The two detectives were positive their prisoner swallowed nothing on the way to court.

LABOR CANDIDATES WILL STICK TO QUIET WORK

Only Three Meetings in Interests of Aspirants for Civic Honors Will Be Held—Dates Not Fixed.

That the labor campaign in the civic elections will not be the whirlwind affair it was supposed, was the opinion expressed yesterday by Walter Dodd, one of the candidates, in conversation with a News representative yesterday.

A good deal of quiet propaganda work has been carried on, and will be continued during the next two weeks. This will form the backbone of the campaign. In addition, it is proposed to hold three public meetings, one in Sapperton, one in the centre of the city, and one in the west end. The dates for these are not yet decided.

These will be only meetings under the labor auspices at which the candidates will speak. It is probable, however, that they will be invited to explain their views at other meetings, and if so, they will of course accede to such requests.

Repairing Atlantic Cable.

Halifax, Dec. 30—The cable steamer Minia returned last night from a five weeks' cable repairing trip off the north coast of Newfoundland. She repaired three breaks in the main cable. One of these was in the cable laid by the Great Eastern in 1869.

COURT OF REVISION UPHOLDS THE ASSESSOR

Only One Small Change Made in Rating Fixed by J. W. Creighton—Ten Appeals Heard.

The court of revision held in the court house on Thursday to decide on certain appeals made against the assessment of lands in the New Westminster district did not result in any important changes being made.

There were about ten appeals altogether and in all but one the judges of the court of revision upheld the assessment fixed by Provincial Assessor J. W. Creighton. The single case involved some property belonging to Judge W. N. Bole, K.C., at the north end of Harrison lake, and the change made will not amount to as much as $5 per year in the taxes to be collected.

Last year the court of revision upheld all the assessments made by Assessor Creighton, with the exception of one or two pieces of property concerning which some doubt existed as to the province's power to tax.

BELIEVE MRS. EDDY WILL RETURN TO LIFE

New York, Dec. 30.—Mrs. Augusta Stetson, formerly a director of the Church of Christian Scientists, said last night that she expected Mrs. Eddy would yet demonstrate her victory over death.

"I believe," she said, "that Mrs. Eddy will make a manifestation, that she will reveal herself to me and to the outside world. The same situation exists today as when Jesus of Nazareth was buried. After three days he manifested himself to prove that there is life after death. Mrs. Eddy will do the same, for she occupies in the world today precisely the same position that Jesus occupied in his day.

"It may take longer for Mrs. Eddy to pass through the experience of material death and to demonstrate the existence of everlasting life; it may not occur for years, or it may occur tomorrow, but she will manifest herself and all men shall know of it."

FIRE IN OLYMPIA THREATENS NORTH END

Olympia, Dec.—Fire that started early today in the rear of the Knights of Pythias hall, a two story building at Fourth and Columbia streets, destroyed that structure, the city fire barn, a grocery store and another establishment, and threatened the whole north end of Olympia.

The firemen fought hard to save their own building, but failed. A high wind carried large burning brands, and but for a downpour of rain the fire must have wrought wide havoc.

DOCKMEN ON STRIKE.

No Ships Being Loaded or Discharged at Barcelona.

Barcelona, Spain, Dec. 30.—The strike of dockmen and coalheavers has tied up the business of this port completely. No ships are being loaded or discharged. The American and German owners have petitioned the government to send troops to the waterfront to enable them to remove the accumulation of goods.

Mrs. Booth Dead.

Nanaimo, Dec. 31.—Mrs. Elizabeth Booth, relict of the late J. T. Booth, former speaker of the provincial house, died yesterday at Nanoose Bay.

BLACKHAND THREATENS POLICE COMMISSIONER

Italian Criminals Reply to Activity of Officers With Threats of Vengeance.

New York, Dec. 30.—A flood of Blackhand letters has been the reward of the New York police officials, and prosecutors whose recent successes against Italian kidnappers resulted in several long terms of imprisonment.

The latest threat is one which came to Police Commissioner Croppey, a few days ago, demanding $30,000 and threatening if the money was not paid to bury him alive and kidnap his wife.

The letter was turned over to the police inspectors for investigation.

Provincial Appointments.

Victoria, Dec. 30.—R. J. Bilow, of North Bend, has been appointed a justice of the peace; J. R. Stritch, of Dublin, Ireland, has been appointed a commissioner for taking affidavits within the county of Dublin for use in the courts of British Columbia; T. F. Cavanagh has been appointed resident physician at Bella Coola in place of F. H. Jamieson, resigned; E. H. Murphy, of Vancouver, has been appointed assistant master of the provincial normal school from January 1: H. C. Clarke and A. J. B. Mellish, of Vancouver, and H. W. R. Moore, of Victoria, have been appointed notaries public; F. T. Abey, of Camborne, and G. B. Stedman, of New Michel, have resigned their commissions as justices of the peace.

YOUTH THREW SKUNK AMONG THE DANCERS

Lowell, Mass., Dec. 30.—A dead skunk was thrown into Billerica Center town hall at a dance, breaking up the Howe school party, and making it necessary to destroy the clothing of several of the girl students.

Raymond Champagn, sixteen, was charged in court with malicious mischief in connection with the disturbance.

Raymond denied the malicious intent and said he only wanted to see the dancers jump around more lively He paid a $20 fine.

WAS CURED BY FASTING.

Denver Man Tells of Starving Out *Asthma and Bright's Disease.*

Denver, Dec. 30.—According to his own statement, a voluntary fast of four weeks has cured James E. Dougherty, assistant secretary of the state bureau of child and animal protection, of asthma and Bright's disease. He had suffered from the disease for fifteen years.

"I drank all the water I wanted," he said. "In two weeks the asthma left me. When the doctor said the fasting should cease, I began to live on orange juice and later on coarser foods. On Christmas I ate turkey and all the fixings."

LAST SHOW OF THE YEAR IS PLEASING TO PATRONS

Big Audience Appreciates "The Time, the Place and the Girl"—Fancy Dancing.

A full house greeted the presentation of "The Time, the Place and the Girl" at the opera house last evening, and the show was certainly deserving of the patronage it received, for it was one of the best that has been seen here this year and the year has not long to run.

The acting of Amanda Hendricks, who took the part of Molly, the nurse, and the impersonation of the gambler by George Ebner, were the two big hits of the evening. While they were on the stage the audience was perfectly satisfied and when they were off the stage the audience looked forward to the time when they would come on again.

Of course there were other good actors in the play, but Molly and Johnny were certainly the stars.

The songs were all smeared with whiskers, but the setting in which they were sung added a certain charm which made them palatable and the audience showed their appreciation.

Novel features of the entertainment were the dancing of Jeanette Paterson, who took the part of Mrs. Talcott, and the acting of Pedro, an organ grinder desperately in love with the widow lady aforementioned.

Miss Paterson showed herself a finished dancer, and although her act was out of the ordinary run of ballet work, it seemed to please.

Ogden Wright, as the organ grinder, did some fine acting when the widow lady rejected his suit. His part had been a comic one, but in the burst of passionate acting with which he closed his appearance on the stage, he got entirely away from that viewpoint and assumed a tragic role with considerable ability.

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OFFICIAL RETURNS TELL THE STORY

Immigration Movement for Five Busy Months--Ratio Established by Statistics.

Winnipeg, Dec. 30.—The impressions created by trainloads of settlers entering Canada during the past summer are confirmed by the official figures issued by the Department of Immigration at Ottawa last week. The statement published at headquarters showed that 180,330 persons entered the Dominion between April 1 and September 1 for the purpose of making their homes here. That period may be taken as covering the season of conspicuous activity in immigration, and the figures reflect the great movement of population from the northern part of Europe and from the United States. The average will not be maintained until the close of the fiscal year, to be sure, although the activity has continued to a later date than in any other season. An influx of 36,000 people per month would mean a total immigration of 432,000, or more than twice the number who entered during the fiscal year 1909-10. It is difficult to estimate the extent of the movement for the seven months succeeding September 1, but it is not unreasonable to assume that the rate of increase which characterized the influx during the summer months will be kept up during the balance of the twelve months period. In that case the total immigration for the fiscal year will be about 355,000. The time when Canada welcomes an average of 1000 persons per day for a whole year may not have arrived, but it is close at hand. The best information available indicates a big increase in the movement for 1911, and it is more than probable that the total immigration for the twelve months during March 31, 1912, will be in the neighborhood of half a million.

Division by Provinces.

It is too soon to determine the respective proportions of the invading army who settled in the various provinces. The call of the land in the west is undoubtedly the chief inspiration of the colonizing movement, but the older sections of the Dominion have not been entirely passed over. A return which was brought down in the house of commons last week showed that the total immigration into Canada since 1900 had been 1,453,391. Of this number about four per cent were destined for the Maritime provinces, 15 per cent for Quebec, 22 per cent for Ontario, 19 per cent for Manitoba, 30 per cent for Saskatchewan and Alberta, 9 per cent for British Columbia and the Yukon, while the balance, about one per cent, did not declare any particular destination. On this basis it is fair to assume that about 58 per cent of the newcomers proceeded at once to points west of Ontario. It is equally fair to assume, in the absence of official information on the subject, that a similar ratio holds good in respect to the arrivals in a particular year. If any change from that ratio has taken place, it is likely that the proportion of the western provinces has increased, while that of the eastern provinces has diminished. It may be taken for granted that in the first five months of the current fiscal year the four provinces west of Lake Superior received 104,500 immigrants, as compared with 75,800 for the rest of Canada.

A Change From Other Days.

These figures in themselves give an indication of the rapidity with which the west is filling up its vacant areas. But they do not begin to tell the whole story. They deal with numbers alone, admittedly a poor basis on which to estimate the importance of an influx of immigrants. The quality or capability of the newcomers is of infinitely greater concern. One family of a certain type is more valuable to the country at large, and the west in particular, than a dozen families of the sort who formerly found their way to Canada with the assistance of booking agencies and other institutions in which a policy was evolved from the study of the adding machine. It is not possible to draw special and definite comparisons between the results achieved during the past few months, and those obtained several years ago. A vivid imagination is not required, however, to make one infer that the outstanding characteristics of the current season's immigration is its quality. It has as an additional advantage the weight of numbers, and the combination is unbeatable, from the standpoint of the welfare of a young and growing country.

The figures of the Department of Immigration have no concern, of course, with the movement of population from one province to another within the Dominion. It is a well known fact that a fairly large percentage of the immigrants from Great Britain settle in eastern Canada for a more or less prolonged period after their arrival in the country. This is particularly true of artisans and other workmen who come from cities or towns in the old land. These men and their families find congenial conditions, both with respect to occupation and style of living, in the larger centers of population in the east, or in the well-settled farming district surrounding the cities there. As long as they can obtain a satisfactory livelihood in that part of the Dominion they are content, and evince no desire to leave. A study of the economic situation in eastern Canada, however, serves to show that these newcomers practically take the place of men and women from the maritime provinces, Quebec and Ontario, who come to Manitoba or some other province in the west. In every city, town, village and rural district between Lake Superior and the Pacific coast are to be found some of these people. The most noticeable activity in this connection has been seen in the past five years. But for the same period the population of the older part of Canada has shown a material increase in the aggregate, notwithstanding the loss occasioned by the movement westward. The explanation is partly furnished by the fact that so many immigrants from Great Britain have located there, temporarily at least. Many of them are liable to be attracted sooner or later by the opportunities, which the western provinces offer, but the east holds them until they are fairly sure of their ground.

A Big Trek.

The trek from the east to the west is one of the most striking develop-

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Society

A marriage of exceptional interest was that of Miss Claire Corbould, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon E. Corbould, to Mr. Frederick W. Anderson, of Ottawa, which was celebrated at St. Barnabas' church, at two o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, December 28, by the Right Rev. Bishop de Pencier. The church was beautifully decorated by the friends of the bride with holly and Christmas greens. Preceding the bridal party the choir sang "The Voice that Breathed O'er Eden." Then came the ushers, Mr. Russell and Mr. Kydd, followed by the bridesmaids, and lastly the fair young bride, escorted by her father. The groom awaited the bride at the chancel steps, accompanied by the best man, Mr. Ramsay, of Vancouver. The bride made a lovely picture in her handsome robe of soft ivory satin veiled in a tunic of white chiffon and trimmed with rose point lace and silver beads. The groom's gift, a beautiful amethyst pendant surrounded with large whole pearls, was her only ornament and she carried an immense shower bouquet of bride's roses, with trails of bebe ribbon caught with white buds. The bridesmaids' gowns were most attractive, Miss Alma Corbould's being of yellow satin with overdress of yellow chiffon trimmed with bands of silver beads with which she wore a large black beaver hat massed with black willow plumes. Miss Minna Walker looked sweet and girlish in a frock of white organdie, daintily trimmed with narrow Mechlin lace, and a large white lingerie hat. At the conclusion of the ceremony the guests adjourned to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Corbould where a reception was held. The rooms were all profusely decorated with holly and chrysanthemums, and the refreshment table in the dining room was prettily arranged with smilax and white tulle. The guests were received in the hall by Mrs. Corbould, who was wearing a handsome gown of black net elaborately embroidered in colored beads and gold thread. Others assisting were Mrs. Ardagh in cream ninon trimmed with bands of dull gold and silver with which she wore a large black velvet picture hat. Mrs. Swinford's gown was a pastel blue crepe de chine embroidered in blue silk braid of a darker shade. Miss Shirley Wright wore a very smart frock of blue satin, and Mrs. R. Eden Walker a black and white silk with black hat and white plumes. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson left later amid a shower of confetti and good wishes for the east. They will make their home for a short time in Savonas. The bride travelled in a tailor made gown of navy blue serge with a smart beaver toque of the same shade.

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Mr. and Mrs. Swinford, of Vancouver, spent Christmas week as guests of Mrs. G. E. Corbould.

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Miss Lawson, of Vancouver, is the guest of Mrs. F. J. Coulthard.

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Mr. and Mrs. Farquhar Macrae, of Victoria, spent Christmas Day with Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Brymner.

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Miss Maud Green, of Victoria, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. R. Green, Royal avenue.

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Mrs. H. P. Collins is spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. Charleson.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. M. M. Woods, of Vancouver, were the guests of Mrs. Dickinson over Christmas.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Briggs, of Revelstoke, are in the city, the guests of Mrs. T. L. Briggs, Royal avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, of Edmonton, are spending a fortnight with Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. George Beatty.

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Mr. Robert Beatty, of the Bank of Commerce staff, left on Monday for his new post in Chilliwack.

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Mr. and Mrs. Faulding, of Rossland, spent a day early in the week with Mrs. Rickman, Second street.

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A very jolly dance was given in St. George's hall on Wednesday, complimentary to Mr. Kydd, who is leaving for Portland the last of the week.

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The Gymnasium club entertained their friends in a delightful manner at St. George's hall on Thursday evening. Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour.

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Miss Muriel Shildrick spent Christmas with friends in Vancouver.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Eddy attended a dinner at Glencoe Lodge, Vancouver, on Monday, after which all the guests of the hotel enjoyed a jolly dance.

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That the Christmas season, which is generally conceded to be the children's time, is at hand is evidenced by the number of parties that have been given for the little folks. The most delightful of these was the large fancy dress party given on Tuesday by Mrs. J. H. Jones at her residence on Royal avenue. The afternoon was devoted to the little tots and the evening to the older children. A few of the noticeable costumes were: Francis Doyle, ballet dancer; Janet Doyle, butterfly; Clara Malins, nurse; Peggy MacGowan, Bo Peep; Mary MacQuarrie, orange girl; Beverley Jones, Cupid; Watson Jones, clown; Millicent Greame, butterfly; Harry Doyle, a prince, Bill Doherty, clown; Warren Malins, clown; Mary Malins, Bohemian girl; Gertrude Gaynor, good luck; Phyllis Couthard, Japanese girl; Catherine Grant, Japanese girl; Helen Grant, Dutch girl.

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Mrs. C. C. Worsfold, entertained at a high tea on Wednesday. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. John Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Creighton, Mr. and Mrs. Malins, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clute, Miss Muriel Shildrick and Mr. Angus McColl.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Darling, of Steveston, are spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Darling's mother, Mrs. M. English.

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Christmas day falling on Sunday, most of the dinner parties usually given on that day were held on Monday evening. While a great many were confined entirely to family gatherings, a number of very smart dinners were given. Mrs. G. D. Brymner's table was adorned with clusters of bright scarlet flowers, the place cards being large red chrysanthemum bon-bons. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Macrae, Victoria; Mrs. Cornwall, Mr. and Mrs. Hannington, Mr. and Mrs. Gauvreau, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, Miss Cotton, Mr. Jack Cornwall, Mr. Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Gracey, Agnes street, had as their guests a number from Vancouver. Covers were laid for ten.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Malins, First street, had as guests Mrs. Gagnor, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Clute, Mrs. English, Mr. Don English, Mr. Lowry and Mr. O'Brian.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Couthard's guests were Mr. George Martin and Miss Martin, Miss Lawson, Vancouver; Mr. Jack Couthard, Vancouver; Mr. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Creighton entertained Mr. and Mrs. Worsfold, Master John Worsfold and Mr. and Mrs. John Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Corbould's guests included Mr. and Mrs. Swinford, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Ardagh, Mr. Fred Wright, Mr. F. W. Anderson and Mr. Shannon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Armstrong had their large circle of relatives, including Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs James Brymner, Sr., and Mrs. T. J. Armstrong, Miss Nora Armstrong, Mrs. Beatty, Mr. Albert Beatty and Mr. Robert Beatty.

Dr. and Mrs. R. Eden Walker entertained Canon and Mrs. D'Easum and family at a jolly dinner.

A number of Vancouver people were included in the large dinner given by Dr. and Mrs. Drew.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Briggs entertained at a large family dinner, covers being laid for seventeen.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Major were the host and hostess to their large circle of relatives, the number including Mayor Lee and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Major, Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Pearson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pearson and Mr. Frank Major.

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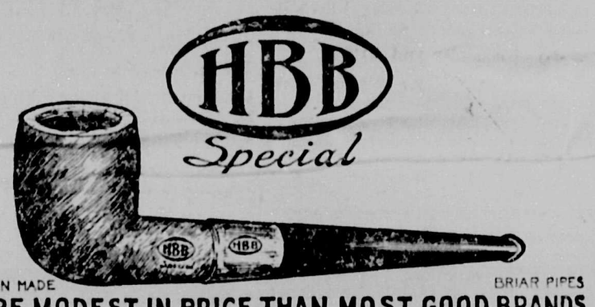

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CONSERVING THE LIFE OF MEN IN THE ARMY

Washington, Dec. 30.—The War department has for the time being turned its attention from armament, steel plate and explosives to the purpose of doing something in the way of conserving the lives of the army and navy units, by making an investigation of a new discovery which many of the officers feel quite certain will have the effect of making the camp, barracks and tented field healthful places to live in.

It is no new thing for the War department to be investigating the work of scientific men who have improved upon some means of taking life, but that is warfare, and is second nature to those men of might and deeds. It appears to be a step in the right direction, that they have been aroused to the necessity of caring for the lives of their men when not in action. It is claimed that the heads of the department urged on the proper executive machinery for the purpose of securing to the government the sole information and ownership of the chemical discovery of Prof. H. C. Carel, of the University of Minnesota, which is listed in the investigations as Benetol. This, it is claimed, is the first time any of the department experts have ever recommended that the Government take over for its ownership any discovery outside of those of armament, plate or defence. An emissary is being sent to Prof. Carel to enter into negotiations, and for the first time in its history the United States government may go into the germicide business.

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PORTUGESE LIKE THE BULL FIGHT

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The Portuguese is essentially a pleasure-lover. He is not especially devoted to the theatre, but takes pleasures much in the same way as the Spaniard, although his taste in regard to bullfights is by no means so sanguinary. In the Spanish fight gore is the predominant feature, and in the Portuguese it is the display of elegant horsemanship—the bull is never killed.

The bull ring at Lisbon is situated at the extreme end of the famous Aveneda di Liberdale, which has recently been the scene of the most severe fighting between the Republican and Monarchist troops. On a fete day, when the bullfight is to take place (and this is generally on a Sunday), the concourse of people is enormous, and a stranger might well imagine that an infantile revolution had broken out, for from early morning until the time of the bullfight, at two or three in the afternoon, there is a succession of exploding bombs, shells and rockets, fired in open spaces, and especially in the vicinity of the railway station and the famous Roly-Poly Square, the stones of which are laid in such an erratic fashion that they resemble the waves of the sea, and whichever way the tourist walks across them he involuntarily raises his foot as though to step over a rise in the ground.

All over Lisbon, and especially along the Aveneda, there is a curious fashion in pavements and all kinds of weird scrolls and twisting, twirling, and dragon-like figures are made in tessellated tiles—either white upon black, or black upon white.

On the days of bullfights the victors are escorted through the streets in gaily-decorated carts with their lady admirers in startling costumes, and the constant cracking of fireworks mingles with the cheers of the crowd. A Portuguese bullfight is worth seeing, and even the Humanitarian League could find little to cavil at. It is certainly no more cruel than fox hunting or stag stalking in Great Britain. The bullfighters earn large salaries, and many of them are popular heroes. Some of them are quite wealthy men.

The living picture craze has long ago seized upon the Portuguese in a manner which would astonish the owners of picture palaces, successful as they are in this country.

From noon until the small hours of the morning the streets of Lisbon and other large towns are a perfect pandomonium with the shrieking of steam-blown organs at the doors of these scores of picture palaces almost side by side in the main thoroughfares. The price of admission is exceedingly low, for, although the Portuguese is a great pleasure-lover, he likes to get enjoyment as cheaply as possible and to have as much for his money as he can. The shows are continuous, and one can stay as long as one likes, or rather as long as one can stand the din of a forty horse-power engine blaring out every noisy tune that was ever composed.

The heat in these badly ventilated long and narrow rooms is insufferable; the air is thick with tobacco fumes, for everyone smokes, and the refreshment bars and food stalls therein do an enormous trade. The Portuguese looks well after "little Mary." When some popular or political scene is thrown on the screen—and the films by the way, are very flickery and bad from constant use—there is sometimes a demonstration, for a very little lures on the lower orders, who are the great patrons of these resorts, to a scrimmage.

Like the Spaniard, again the Portuguese is a born gambler, and be it in bets over the success of any particular bullfight, or at cards, or at the ever-lasting lottery, there is always some money to go in those directions. They can be no doubt that, if the government allowed it, roulette and other games which are now sacred to Monte Carlo, would flourish in Lisbon and other Portuguese cities; and before the revolution broke out there was said to be a project on foot for the starting of a gambling Casino on Monte Carlo lines at Funchal, in the Island of Madeira, one of the few colonial possessions of the new republic.

It remains to be seen what the present administration may have to say as to deriving revenue for an impoverished country from this source, and whether a concession to allow gambling will be granted.

WOMEN MAY SMOKE IN MONTREAL HOTELS

Montreal, Dec. 29.—"Just where they please."

This was the answer of the manager of the Windsor hotel today when asked if there was any rule there with regard to women who wished to smoke in different parts of Montreal's premier hostelry.

The ban on women smoking in the larger hotels in New York has been lifted in different instances lately, to the horror and dismay of certain guests at a fashionable rendezvous, who recently reported the fact that women were seen in the act of smoking, to which the manager replied that there was no law or objection standing in the way of the members of the fair sex enjoying the fragrant puff if they chose to.

There is no prohibition of women smoking in the best hotels and restaurants in Montreal, and the open sesame quoted above describes the feeling of managers and proprietors in this city.

Mr. Weldon, of the Windsor, continued that the practice of women smoking was not very prevalent there, "but," he said, "they can smoke in any part of the hotel they like, as long as they keep away from the 'gunpowder plot,' that is the gasoline tank, where they might blow themselves up. I don't see any necessity to prohibit women smoking here any more than men, for if they have the smoke habit they might as well sit and enjoy themselves as not. We have had women smoke in the dining room, but on occasions quite rare."

IRELAND ALONE HAS INDIVIDUAL HUMOR

Worcester, Mass., Dec. 30.—"There is no national humor," said Dr. Prentiss C. Hoyt, professor of English in Clark college. "It is not American or English or French, but individual and personal. It is not a real classification any more than American literature proves to be American only on closer analysis. The fact that something humorous is produced in America no more stamps it as American in type than the chance birth of our English or American children in some foreign land reduces them to little Hottentots or Kaffirs, Japanese or Chinese.

"In spite of our patriotic feeling that nothing exists which America can't produce or claim, I feel as if we must acknowledge that our humor is ours individually and not as a national trait, like our pride. We in America are too conglomerate a people to claim a characteristic development.

"Any history of literature will class Bill Nye as a humorous and an American humorist. But if we are to make any distinction, for instance, between poets and versifiers we must distinguish between humorists and humorists. Unless the vegetable poetess who haunts the home of our city north of Lincoln square shall be ranked with Longfellow and Emerson, Bill Nye must be lopped as a dead branch from our American tree of humor. If his quaint spelling makes him a humorist you may say five out of every fifteen college men are unconscious humorists.

"Only Ireland can claim an individuality in humor or in scenery—its soft green cliffs and its soft spoken blarney of a joke are not indigenous to any other soil and climate."

FOR THE AID OF PNEUMONIA VICTIMS

London, Dec. 30.—Prof Leonard Erskine Hill of the London hospital has invented an apparatus for use in the treatment of pneumonia which is expected to prove of great service.

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Because there is not sufficient undiseased lung tissue left to breathe with and because the heart thereby fails, the judicious administration of heart stimulants so as to tide this organ over until the lung symptoms subside is the chief point in the treatment. By using Prof. Hill's apparatus the heart can be reached by a stimulant much more accurately and quickly than if the alcohol were given in the ordinary way.

Official Returns Tell The Story

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ments in the economic sphere at the present time, and its importance seems to increase as the years go by. Homeseekers' and harvesters' excursions during the spring and summer months bring out thousands of men and many women who spend a few weeks in the prairie provinces and look over the land. In the winter the special excursion rates to eastern Canada offered by the railways for the benefit of the people in the west are patronized most liberally, and the advertising which the newer sections of the country receive through that means could not be appraised in coin of the realm. The number of settlers from the east which the west has welcomed during the past ten years is not definitely known, but there is good reason to believe that it will almost balance the additional settlement which the older provinces have secured through immigration.

Calling for More.

The important feature in connection with the immigration movement is that Canada readily absorbs all the good people who are now coming. She even calls for more. The place for the homeseeker is this Dominion, without doubt, and as the seasons go by an ever-increasing number of settlers of the right sort will come in. The need for population is ever apparent in all the provinces, and there is little danger of over-crowding except in the cities. The country appears to be coming into her own in a manner more satisfactory than at any other time in her history, and among the first to rejoice over that phase of the situation are the most recent arrivals.

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UNION LABEL 4

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COMING OF THE G. T. P.

It is pretty evident that as soon as circumstances permit the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway company will commence the construction of the branch southward from the main line to connect with New Westminster and Vancouver. According to the Montreal Gazette, Mr. Chamberlin, vice-president of the line, has stated that every p ossieelb$..l..z .... every possible effort will be made to push forward the completion of the trunk line to Prince Rupert. An official of the company has already gone to Scotland with a view to securing several hundred Scotch laborers to work on the line and if this mission is successful no further labor trouble is anticipated. Mr. Chamberlin states that fifteen hundred teams will be employed after next month in hauling supplies from Alberta for the work to be carried on in the mountain section during the coming year. Then, too, it is expected that the contract for the four hundred mile section in this province will be let early in the year, and this work is to be attacked at various points and carried rapidly to completion.

The Gazette remarks that it is evident that the company is giving close attention to the projected branch southward from Fort George, or some nearby point, yet to be decided. There are three survey parties in the field finding the best possible way down from the main line to Vancouver, a distance of about five hundred miles. Mr. Chamberlin informs the Gazette that this branch will not be started until the main line is through to the coast. But in the meantime the company is securing all necessary data and information regarding the country through which the southern line will have to pass.

Though the main objective of this branch may for the nonce be Vancouver, it is by no means certain that the Grand Trunk Pacific will not, when the question comes to be considered and decided, regard New Westminster as the more suitable point for its terminus. The difficulty of obtaining suitable water frontage in the Terminal City and the ease with which far superior dock and wharfage facilities can be obtained on the Fraser river will be one of the chief factors in the situation.

The strong victory which has been won by Mr. Marcellin Robert, the Liberal candidate in the St. John's provincial by-election, may be regarded as an indication that the people of Quebec decide to reinstate themselves in the position of loyal adherents to the Liberal cause, and become dissociated from the dangerous principles preached by the Bourassa faction. Those who were well acquainted with the people of the historic province never had any doubt that the result of the recent Drummond-Arthabasca election was entirely due to the voters having been misled, and that their error having been made apparent to them they would return to their old time allegiance. The correctness of this view has now been proved by the St. John's election. This will damp the ardour of the Nationalist party and serve to repress some of the shouting they have been indulging in.

LEMIEUX IN SOUTH AFRICA

That the Hon. Rodolph Lemieux would make a hit with the people of South Africa was a certainty from the time of his selection by the Government of Canada to represent the Dominion at the Natal ceremonies of United South Africa and that certainty has been justified by the event. The Cape newspapers were loud in their praises of the speeches which he made in Cape Town, and these have been followed by similar praises from the newspapers of Johannesburg. The Diamond Fields Advertiser of that city in its comment upon the visit of the delegates from overseas to the diamond city, said:

"The eloquent and forceful address of Mr. Lemieux was a specially impressive feature. His complimentary references to the satisfactory conditions under which the natives are employed in our local mines, according as it does with the impressions derived by all our visitors from whatever quarter they may come, point to one respect in which visits of this kind can have only good results. His whole-hearted testimony, in the name of the great Dominion which it represents, to the strength of the imperial tie, and to its enduring character, should inspire South Africans everywhere with an increased sense of the wider nationality in which all national aspirations culminate under the British flag, while his references to the way in which racial problems have solved themselves in Canada indicate an example to South Africa which will doubtless not be without its effect."

Such a visit as that of our postmaster-general to South Africa is calculated to bind the various portions of the empire together, and although he is missed here in Canada he will soon be home with the consciousness of having well performed the task assigned to him.

ORIENTALS ORGANIZE TO FIGHT OCCIDENTAL TRADE

Far Eastern Nations Combine for Mutual Benefit—Mikado's Politicians Are Leaders.

Tokio, Dec . 30.—An organization formed ostensibly to promote a better understanding between corporations of far eastern nations, but said, in reality, to be a combination of fight off Occidental encroachment on the trade of the Orient, has been completed by a coterie of Japanese politicians, it was announced today.

The new organization which is to be known as the Pan-Asiatic Association, is composed of members representing large financial enterprises from China, Japan, Siam, Afghanistan, Turkey, India, Persia and other Oriental countries.

Preparations for the launching of the scheme have been quietly going on for several months, but not until the completion of the details was the general public aware of it. Agents of the concern have been despatched to all parts of Asia.

The names of Imukai, Kono, Toyami and other prominent Japanese are mentioned as the promoters ofthe scheme.

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NOTICE TO REAL ESTATE AGENTS

The five roomed cottage at Edmonds listed for sale by D. C. Patterson has been sold.

D. C. PATTERSON.
Edmonds, B.C., December 28, 1910

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Notice is hereby given that James Alexander Baillie, of Port Hammond, in the District of New Westminster and Province of British Columbia, lumber manufacturer, did on the twenty-ninth day of December, one thousand nine hundred and ten, assign to Thomas W. McKenzie, of Port Hammond aforesaid, broker, all his personal property, real estate, credits and effects which may be seized or sold under execution in trust for the benefit of his creditors pursuant to the provisions of the 'Creditors' Trust Deeds Act, 1901" and amendments.

A meeting of the creditors of James Alexander Baillie will be held in the office of the undersigned, Guichon block, New Westminster, British Columbia, on Wednesday, the 11th day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, at two o'clock p.m.

All persons having claims against James Alexander Baillie will file the same duly verified with statement of security, if any, held by them on or before the 11th day of January, one thousand nine hundred and eleven, after which date the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate having regard to those claims only of which he shall then have received notice.

Dated this twenty-ninth day of December, 1910.

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SUNDAY SERVICE:

Trains leave New Westminster for Vancouver at 6, 7, 8 and every half hour until 11 p. m.

FREIGHT EXPRESS SCHEDULE:

Express cars leave New Westminster for Vancouuver at 7:20 a. m., 11:20 a. m., and 3:20 p. m.

CITY AND SAPPERTON LINES:

City.

20-minute service from 5:40 a. m. until 11:20 p. m. Sunday—20-minutes service from 8 a. m. until 11:20 p. m.

Sapperton:

20-minute service from 6:10 a. m. until 11:30 p. m. Sunday—20 minutes service from 8:10 a. m. until 11:30 p. m.

LULU ISLAND, EBURNE-WESTMINSTER BRANCH.

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SPORTING NEWS

JOHNSON TELLS OF HIS HARDEST FIGHT

Champion Thinks His Seventeen Round Go Near Galveston Was Tough.

Jack Johnson speaks of the hardest battle he ever fought as follows:

This battle took place in Galveston in the month of August, 1896, between myself and a colored fighter named John Lee. I will never forget that fight. It took place in a field, in the hot sun, and we could not get any water even to rinse our mouths with. For seventeen rounds we battled in the heat, when I knocked him out. I received for this fight the sum of $10.

Some ten or twelve years ago, when I was quite clever in the boxing line, I tried to get a manager, but could not. After I became noted men from all sides tried to get the position, including Tom O'Rourke.

No Thanks to Fitzpatrick.

When I took Sam Fitzpatrick for manager every fighting fan in America and other parts of the world knew that I had beaten all the good men. So no one can say that Sam Fitzpatrick made me a champion, and furthermore, it makes no difference how good and how shrewd a manager may be, the fighter must have talent and ability to become a champion. Zick Abrams has looked out for my affairs in San Francisco for quite a few years and we have always been friends.

When I came back from Australia George Little sent for me and presented me with a diamond ring and asked me if I would take him for a manager. After considering the matter I accepted him. We got along well together for about a year until the Jeffries fight, when he wanted me to do things which I did not think were quite right and then I let him go.

Compliments to Sig Hart.

I gave Tom Flanagan, of Toronto, Ont., the position as manager for a short period of time. Sig Hart acted as chief messenger for me, and then when he found out that I was without a manager he wanted the position himself. I could not see it that way, as I knew that he was very much disliked by the sporting writers and the sporting element in general. So I let him go for lies which I caught him telling that caused trouble for me with my friends and sporting writers throughout the country.

I have made a creful study of boxing and today I do not think there is a man in the world who knows the game and can execute it as well as I. I am willing to defend the championship of the world against any man the public may select, providing my end of the purse is enough to warrant doing so. I have also a great man in Walcott. Moreover, and I believe that he is one of the many who will make good. I hope some day sooner or later he will take my place.

Nil Nisi Bonum.

(Will Irwin in New York Sun.)

Dear Henry's gone! No more we'll see
Him speeding o'er the chalk-marked lea,
No more he'll buck the line and punt
And do his wond'rous hurdling stunt;
No more he'll dodge and twist and fight;
And, unobserved, discreetly bite.
He has his faults, ah, yes, but who
Could tackle, lad, the same as you?
And so they broke his head.

Dear Frank's departed! Nevermore
He'll equal, quite alone, the score
Of all the team opposed. In vain
We'll seek him on the bloodstained plain.
No more he'll lay the runner low
And give, unseen, the stinging blow.
He had his faults, ah yes, but none
Was quite his equal on the run—
And so they broke his neck.

Dear William's left! He's gone to shores
Where naught is known of football scores,
His last touchdown is made, and we
Shall nevermore such tackling see.
He's kicked his final goal, alas!
And made his final forward pass.
He had has faults, ah, yes, but then
He kicked as none will kick again—
And so they broke his back.

PROPOSE TO ORGANIZE CHESS AND CHECKER CLUB

Devotees of Quiet Games Favor Idea of Having Quarters on Columbia Street—E. Hoult Interested.

The formation of a chess and checkers club in the city is being mooted by some enthusiastic exponents of these games, and if a sufficient number of people who are fond of this form of sport can be gathered together, the project will be pushed to a quick completion.

At one time in the history of Westminster there was a thriving chess club, but how it passed out of existence is wrapped in mystery. Later, about three years ago, an attempt was made to resuscitate it, and permission was obtained from the council to use the Carnegie library one night every week for this purpose. At that time, however, there did not appear to be very many enthusiasts in the town, and as advantage was not taken of the accommodation offered, the matter lapsed.

At present there is an informal chess or checkers game played in the library almost every day, and here the idea of forming a strong club had its birth. Edward Hoult, curator of the city hall, is one of the adherents of the game, and he states that it is the intention soon to call a public meeting, to be held probably in the board of trade room, when all interested parties will be invited to attend and discuss the proposal.

That there are in the city a very large number of people who would take advantage of the club is Mr. Hoult's opinion. New Westminster is probably the only city of its size in Canada where such a club does not exist, and he believes that there is a real demand for one.

The idea is to rent one or two well appointed rooms in a central location, preferably on Columbia street, and as the modus operandi of the games is simple in the extreme, the expense entailed would be very small.

While there are facilities for playing chess and checkers at the Carnegie library, the accommodation is limited, and the location does not commend itself to the players, who are mostly men advanced in years, to whom climbing the hill is a serious consideration. The club rooms will therefore be located somewhere on the flat.

As there are not too many places in the city where rational forms of amusement may be indulged in, it is to be hoped that this proposal will meet with the support it deserves. All who are interested are invited to communicate with Mr. Hoult at the city hall.

THE MOST PECULIAR STUNT IN BASEBALL

Philadelphia, Dec. 29.—If baseball lives to be 1000 years old, it will never see a duplicate Eddie Beatin's third strike on Harry Stovey in 1887 or '88.

On the afternoon when Stovey starred, Beatin was in grand shape and had the Athletics three to one in the eighth. In the ninth, with two gone, three Athletics pranced about on the bases with Stovey up. A single meant a tie game; a two-base hit meant defeat.

Beatin shot the first one straight across.

"Strike!"

Beatin grinned as he wound up and whipped a hot one across on the inside. Stovey let it pass.

"Strike two."

With a motion exactly like that with which he delivered the first two strikes, Beatin passed one of these teasers up to Stovey. The ball seemed to hang in the air like a soap bubble.

Stovey swung with terrific force—missing by feet—for the ball was nowhere near the plate.

Just as the umpire started his "Three strikes," Stovey drew back and swung again. This time he landed and the ball sailed over center, two men coming home.

But the umpire said "nay," called Stovey out and the game over.

"Why doesen't that hit count?" Stovey demanded.

"Because, Harry," said the umpire, "there is no rule in this league permitting you two strikes at the same ball. You were out a second before you made that hit."

ANNUAL JAUNT ON THE WATER WAGON ABOUT DUE

Advent of Vehicle Hailed with Feeling of Satisfaction or Derision, According to Viewpoint.

Just as Christmas is essentially the time for festivity, and Lent the season when it is meant that one should mortify the flesh, so is the New Year the psychologic moment for turning over a new leaf and forming a number of good resolutions which shall make life a better and a sweeter thing. The nature of the habits which are the subject of these resolutions is as varied as the minds of men, but perhaps the commonest of all is the determination to eliminate or curtail the habit of indulgence in alcoholic stimulants comprehensively described by the generic word booze.

At this point it may be in order to digress long enough to explain that this word is not, as is commonly supposed, a vulgar modern slang term, but is on the contrary extracted from the vocabulary of the cultured as far back as the days of de Quincey, that great master of elegant English, who uses it on various occasions.

The result, to use the language of the people, is the advent of the water wagon. To the uninitiated, this phrase suggests a vision of a clumsy conveyance proceeding at a snake-like crawl over a dusty road, squirting as it goes streams of aqua more or less pura into the gutters, whence it quickly betakes itself into the city drains, thus affording another illustration of the Scriptural dictum, to them who have, etc.

But the phrase as used here signifies something very different. It means simply that the gentleman who has climbed thereon has thereby expressed his opinion that hereafter he will refresh his parched tongue only with that beverage which is without money and without price, which bringeth not the glad, and which cheers but not inebriates.

No more will he invest his money in nose paint or red-eye, no more be subject to that peculiar optical illusion which creates for him strange fauna in haunts far removed from the wooded wild. No longer will he the ruby vintage quaff, surveying the while his strangely distorted image in a glittering expanse of bevelled mirror.

Instead, he will spend his evenings henceforth in the bosom of his family, comporting himself with that dignity which befits the divine origin of his image. On occasion he will indulge in the mild diversion of a visit to the moving picture theatre, passing en route the Sign of the Cygnet with averted head, and congratulating himself meantime on the growing embonpoint of his bank account.

The prospect is a pleasing one, but halt! There is a reverse to every medal, and that commemorating the glorious victory of January first is no exception to the rule. The Water Wagon road is a rough one, with many unbridged crevasses thereon, and he who essays to travel it is subject to many an unpleasant jolt and jar, which sometimes shakes him from his perch with disastrous results. When this happens, he descends from his seat with a horrible splash.

Therefore, it behoves the wary to take thought and consider before he biteth off more than he can chew, for a resolution broken is a poor certificate of character and the return to a condemned habit a capitulation without honor, which layeth one open to much scorn and contumely.

PORTLAND PUTS BAN ON FIGHT PICTURES

Portland, Dec. 30.—Moving pictures of the Johnston-Jeffries affray at Reno will not be exhibited at Portland Sunday as announced, according to Chief of Police Cox today.

Soon after coming into possession of a handbill which said that the "celebrated $200,000 fight pictures would be shown" the chief of police issued an order prohibiting the show.

WOMAN WRITER TO MAKE FLIGHT

Santa Barbara, Cal., Dec. 30.—Determined to be the first Santa Barbara woman to fly, Miss Emma Hild, 19, a newspaper writer, today secured the consent of Captain Ivy Baldwin to a trip in his biplane New Year's Day. Miss Hild was one of the ten young women who importuned the aviator for a sky ride. Baldwin refused to heel the others.

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NOTICE.

Having sold out the Cosmopolitan hotel, I will not be responsible for any debts incurred in my name.

(Signed) J. D. B. McDONALD.

December 29, 1910.

NOTICE.

Parties having baggage stored in the Cosmopolitan hotel, I will not be responsible for same after December 13, 1910.

(Signed) J. D. B. McDONALD.

MARKET REPORT

The New Year market is usually a light one, and yesterday, although it compared very favorably with the corresponding market a year ago, was the reverse of the Christmas event. The attendance of buyers was small, and the supply in all lines was also scanty. Demand, however, rather exceeded supply, and practically everything was sold readily at a fairly high price, with the exception of eggs, which dropped to a minimum price of 45c per dozen and were easily disposed of at that figure.

Potatoes, the price of which remained practically the same as they have been for the past two weeks, were offered in small quantities, and found a ready market.

There was a good supply of eastern dressed turkeys and geese, but no local birds. Local dressed chickens on the other hand were fairly plentiful, and sold readily.

Only medium quantities of beef, lamb and mutton, and pork were offered, and there was a brisk demand in all of these lines.

There was a good display of cut and pot flowers, which found many buyers, and the usual auction sale of cattle and horses took place.

Detailed prices obtained are quoted under:

Beef, hindquarters, per lb.	8c to 9c
Beef, forequarters, per lb.	6c to 7c
Lamb, per lb.	13c to 14c
Mutton, per lb.	12c to 13c
Veal, large, per lb.	8c to 9c
Veal, medium, per lb.	11½c to 12c
Pork, per lb.	11½c to 12c
Eggs, wholesale, per doz.	45c
Eggs, retail, per doz.	50c to 55c
Butter, wholesale, per lb.	30c
Butter, retail, per lb.	35c
Fowl, per doz.	$7 to $8.50
Chickens, per doz.	$6 to $8
Broilers, per doz.	$4.50 to $5.50
Ducks, per doz.	$15 to $18
Geese, each	$1.25
Apples, per box	75c to $1
Potatoes, per ton	$28 to $30

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Returning will leave every week-day morning at 7 a.m. and Ladner 7:30 a.m. Additional trip Monday morning, leaving New Westminster at 5 a.m.

This schedule subject to change without notice. For freight and passenger rates apply to

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Wishing you all a Happy and Prosperous New Year

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is the only effective medium for advertising your goods to get returns on the same day.

The busy housewife, intent on buying in the best market, reads the morning paper and immediately decides to purchase some of the bargains advertised.

Advertise in the morning and sales are immediately made. The first thought by the thrifty buyer is to learn the latest prices; the latest prices are published in the morning paper.

Advantage is taken by rival advertisers to go one better in the morning paper. Therefore merchants, **do a bit of thinking** and advertise in

The Daily News

The Leading Newspaper of New Westminster

TENDERS.

Sealed Tenders addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Gasoline Motor Tug Boat for British Columbia," will be received at this office until 4:00 p. m., on Wednesday, January 11, 1911, for the construction of a gasoline motor tug boat for use in British Columbia.

Plans, specification and form of tender may be procured at the office of Mr. H. A. Bayfield, Superintendent of Dredges, New Westminster, B. C., where form of contract may also be seen.

Plans, specification and form of contract may also be seen and form of tender obtained at the office of Mr. Wm. Henderson, Resident Architect, Victoria, B. C., at the Post Office, Vancouver, B. C., and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.

Persons tendering are notified that tenders will not be considered unless made on the printed forms supplied, and signed with their actual signatures, stating their occupations and places of residence. In the case of firms, the actual signature, the nature of the occupation, and place of residence of each member of the firm must be given.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for one thousand dollars ($1,000.00), which will be forfeited if the person tendering decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque will be returned.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
R. C. DESROCHERS,
Secretary.

Department of Public Works, Ottawa, December 20, 1910.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

DEPARTMENT OF MILITIA AND DEFENCE.

Nelson, B.C., Rifle Range.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed tenders, marked on envelope "Tenders for construction of Nelson, B. C., Rifle Range," and addressed to the secretary of the Militia Council, Headquarters, Ottawa, will be received until noon, the 3rd day of January, 1911, for the construction of a Rifle Range at Nelson, B. C.

Plans and specifications may be seen, and full information obtained at the offices of the District Officer Commanding Military District No. 11, Victoria, B. C., the Director of Engineer Services, Headquarters, Ottawa, and the Officer Commanding 102nd Regiment, Nelson, B. C.

Tenders must be made on the form supplied by the Department, and accompanied by an accepted cheque, on a Canadian chartered bank, for 10 per cent of the amount of the tender, payable to the order of the Honourable the Minister of Militia and Defence, which amount will be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into a contract, in accordance with the tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

EUGENE FISET,
Colonel.
Deputy Minister of Militia and Defence. (H. Q. 18—115—2.)

Department of Militia and Defence, Ottawa, 1st December, 1910.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the Department.

AMENDED NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE OF CEDAR POLES.

Under and by virtue of a warrant of execution against the goods and chattels of the North Star Pole company, at the suit of Frank Willens, I will sell at Duthie Station, Great Northern Railway, Burnaby, on Tuesday, the 3rd day of January, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following or sufficient thereof to satisfy the judgment and costs herein, about 100 cedar poles about 11 inches at top and 18 inches at butt, from 50 to 65 feet long and as soon as possible afterwards, at the North Star Pole Company's camp, Royal Oak road, Burnaby, 186 cedar poles about 11 inches at top, and about 18 inches at butt, from 50 to 65 feet long. Terms of sale, cash.

T. J. ARMSTRONG, Sheriff.
December 24, 1910.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re Lots 3 and 4, Block 4 being parts of a portion "A" of Section 20, Block 5, North Range 2 West Springhill, in the District of New Westminster.

Title number 15108A, issued in the name of Catherine B. Brown, has been filed in this office.

Notice is hereby given that I shall, at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof, in a daily newspaper published in the City of New Westminster, issue a duplicate of the said Certificate, unless i nthe meantime valid objection be made to me in writing.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar of Titles.
Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B. C., December 2, 1910.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re the Northwest quarter of Section 24, Township 4, in the District of New Westminster.

Title number 13999A, issued in the name of Peter Henderson, has been filed in this office.

Notice is hereby given that I shall, at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof, in a daily newspaper published in the City of New Westminster, issue a duplicate of the said Certificate, unless i nthe meantime valid objection be made to me in writing.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar of Titles.
Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B. C., November 30, 1910.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Take notice that an application has been made to register J. P. Hampton Bole as the owner in Fee Simple, under a Tax Sale Deed from S. A. Fletcher, Assessor of the District of Westminster, to J. P. H. Bole, bearing date the 1st day of December, A. D., 1902, of all and singular that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the District of New Westminster, in the Province of British Columbia, more particularly known and described as Lot 24, block 6; lot 16, block 8; lots 28 and 29, block 6; lots 1 and 4, block 8, subdivision of lot 202, group 1, Port Moody.

You and those claiming through or under you and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by virtue of any unregistered instrument, and all persons claiming any interest in the said land by descent, whose title is not registered under the provisions of the "Land Registry Act," are required to contest the claim of the tax purchase within forty-five days from the date of the first publication of this notice upon you, and in default of a caveat or certificate of lis pendens being filed within such period, or in default or redemption before registration, you and each of you will forever estopped and debarred from setting up any claim to or in respect of the said land, and I shall register J. P. Hampton Bole as owner thereof in fee. And I hereby order that publication of this notice for thirty days in a daily newspaper published in New Westminster will be good and sufficient service thereof.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, New Westminster, Province of British Columbia, this 29th day of November, A. D., 1910.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar.
To James Hograth, Robert McEwen, Walter Lawrence, and Julia Carey.

LAND ACT NOTICE.

New Westminster Land District.

Take notice that James Davis Smith of Vancouver, B. C., occupation builder, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post marked "J. D. Smith, S. W. corner," at the northwest corner of pre-emption, No. 2951, thence north about 60 chains more or less, to or near Sakinaw Lake, thence east 60 chains more or less, thence south 80 chains more or less, thence west 40 chains, more or less, thence north 40 chains, more or less, thence west 40 chains more or less, to the place of commencement.

JAMES DAVIS SMITH.
New Westminster, October 20, 1910.
JOHN FERDINAND BAGGS. Agent

LAND ACT NOTICE.

New Westminster Land District. Distrist of New Westminster.

Take notice that Leslie L. Dickerman, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the beach on west side of Sechelt Inlet, and at the northeast corner of lot No. 2727 and marked "L. L. Dickerman,' Northwest Corner," thence south 80 chains, thence east 20 chains, thence south 50 chains, thence east 60 chains more or less to the beach, thence north and west along beach to commencement and containing 320 acres more or less.

LESLIE L. DICKERMAN.
J. A. LEWIS, Agent.
Date November 29, 1910.

LAND ACT NOTICE.

New Westminster Land District. Distrist of New Westminster.

Take notice that Cecil Killam, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation barrister at law, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the beach about 1¼ miles northeast from Egmont Point, Jervis Inlet, and marked "C. Killam's Northwest Corner," thence east 20 chains, thence south 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, more or less, to beach, thence north along beach to place of commencement and containing 40 acres more or less.

CECIL KILLAM.
J. A. LEWIS, Agent.
Dated November 29, 1910.

LAND ACT NOTICE.

New Westminster Land District. Distrist of New Westminster.

Take notice that Clint E. Dickerman, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation lumberman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the beach in Billings Bay, Nelson Island, and joining P. R. No. 1678 and marked "C. E. Dickerman's Northeast Corner," thence south 60 chains, thence west 80 chains, thence north 40 chains more or less to beach, thence easterly along beach to place of commencement, and containing 320 acres more or less.

CLINT E. DICKERMAN.
J. A. LEWIS, Agent.
Date November 28, 1910.

LAND ACT NOTICE.

New Westminster Land District. Distrist of New Westminster.

Take notice that Edward Hawkins, of Vancouver, occupation bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:

Commencing at a post planted on the beach on the east side of the Agamemnon channel and joining T. L. No. 41966 on the north side and marked Edward Hawkins; S. W. corner, thence E. 60 chains to line of limit No. 39713, thence N. 60 chains along line to beach, thence south and west along beach to place of commencement and containing 80 acres more or less.

EDWARD HAWKINS.
JAMES A LEWIS, Agent.
November 28, 1910.

All Soda Water Tastes Alike, You Say

Beg pardon: I take it for granted that you have never tried the

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or you would change your mind. Acme is in a class by itself. Once tried—always used.

Our special champagne is a winner. You ought to try a case for Christmas! Price $1.25, case and bottles to be returned.

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KRUPP MADE NINE MILLIONS LAST YEAR

Berlin, Dec. 30.—The great armor and gun making firm of Krupp has announced a 10 per cent dividend for the year on the share capital of $45,000,000, as compared with 8 per cent last year. The gross profits for the year are $9,000,000, half of which is written off and the rest devoted to the reserve to dividends and to contributions to the invalid and pension fund for the firm's 70,000 employees, which now aggregates $9,500,000.

The employees in addition have on deposit with the management $8,750,000.

Krupp's contribution to the workmen's state insurance fund amount in 1910 to $1,320,000.

Want Murton to Coach Them.

Toronto, Dec. 30.—Harry Murton, the crack Tecumseh home player, has been asked to accompany the Varsity Lacrosse team to England next summer and coach them throughout the tour.

CLAIMS CREDIT FOR CLOSING POSTOFFICES

Lord's Day Alliance in British Columbia Directed Department's Attention to Sunday Opening.

Victoria, Dec. 30.—At the recently held annual meeting of the Lord's Day Alliance (British Columbia branch) a comprehensive annual report was presented in which is noted with much satisfaction that the law has been invoked successfully for the prohibition of Sunday baseball games, building operations, concerts, etc., and it is remarked:

"These instances and in addition the pledges made by the Attorney General that in certain other relations when he was called upon he would give consent to prosecutions, indicate that the Lord's Day Act has a standing in this province, theoretically at least."

The report further says:

"The province has this year had its share in one of the most signal successes of the Lord's Day Alliance work, viz: the closing of the post-offices on the Lord's Day to boxholders. This was brought about in the following manner: The Alliance directed the attention of the post office department to the fact of work being performed in business offices on Sundays by stenographers and clerks, and suggested that this had an intimate relation with the open postoffice, and asked the department to investigate the situation.

"This investigation took place in November of last year, and was conducted by Mr. Ross of the inspector's department. He visited the leading centers of the west, heard all parties interested, pro and con, and upon the basis of the evidence secured, made his report. The report recommended the closing of the postoffices in the west on the Lord's Day; and accordingly the department issued an order that on and after February 1, 1910, all postoffices in the cities and towns of the west shall be closed on the Lord's Day."

NO WINE FOR THE COMMUNION TABLE

St. Paul, Dec. 30.—Enforcement of federal liquor laws in Northern Minnesota is interfering with church rites by preventing the clergy from procuring wine for communion.

To remedy conditions Bishop McGolrick, of Duluth, is conferring here with Archbishop John Ireland. Bishop McGolrick says the railroads have refused to carry wine for church use to towns in the "Indian's country."

Archbishop Ireland and Bishop McGolrick will take action looking toward having the prohibitive order modified.

An Overcoat FOR the New Year

There is sure to be some cooler weather after the new year and a heavier coat will be in order. Long, full skirted, loose back, with snug fitting collars and well built shoulders, is the kind of coat which is most popular.

See this particular coat.

$15.00, $17.00 $18.00

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The Wardrobe Clothier

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CHURCH SERVICES

(Changes for this column must be left at, or telephoned to, this office by 9 p.m. on Fridays. The omission of any church notice from this column indicates that no copy has been turned in by the pastor or other responsible party.)

Sunday, January 1.

CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY TRINITY—Rev. Canon G. C. d'Easum, M.A., rector; Rev. George A. Ray, M. A., assistant curate. 8 a.m., holy communion; 11 a.m., matins, holy communion and sermon; 2:30 p.m., Sunday school; 7 p.m., evensong and sermon.

CHURCH OF ST. MARY THE VIRGIN, Sapperton—2:30 p.m., Sunday school; 7 p.m., evensong and sermon,

ST. PAUL'S REFORMED EPISCOPAL—Rev. A. deB. Owen, rector. Service at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday school at 2:30 p.m.; prayer meeting on Wednesday at 7:30 at the home of D. McPhadden, Eighth street. Morning subject, "Elijah's Return"; evening, "A Few Thoughts for the New Year." A watch night service will be held tonight, commencing at 11:30 o'clock.

ST. BARNABAS—Holy communion, morning prayer and sermon at 11 a.m.; Sunday school at 2:30 p.m.; evening prayer and sermon at 7 p.m., Rev. C. C. Hoyle, M.A., will preach. Watchnight service this evening.

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 eight o'clock. Morning subject, "A New Year's Message"; evening, "How to Begin the New Year."

SIXTH AVENUE METHODIST—Rev. F. S. Okell, B.A., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Class meeting at 10 a.m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m. Epworth league, Monday, at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 8 p.m. Morning subject, "My Best Wish for the New Year, 1911"; evening, "How Old Art Thou?"

KNOX PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. E G. Thompson, M.A., pastor. Public worship: Morning service, 11 a.m.; evening, 7 p. m.; Bible class and Sabbath school, 2:30 p.m.; Y. P. S. C. E., Monday at 8 p.m.; prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be administered in the morning. Evening subject, "Gains and Losses," a New Year's address.

SAPPERTON METHODIST—Rev. E. D. Braden, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sunday school at 2:30 p.m. Epworth League on Monday at 8 p.m.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. J. S. Henderson, pastor. Services 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2:30 p.m. Morning subject, "An Urgent Duty"; evening, "The Divine Governing of Our Lives."

ST. STEPHEN'S PRESBYTERIAN Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p.m.

EAST BURNABY METHODIST CHURCH—Corner Eighth street and Third avenue, Burnaby. Rev. Frederick L. Carpenter, pastor. Public worship, 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school, 2:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m.; choir practice, Thursday, 7:30 p. m.

FREE METHODIST CHAPEL—Eighth street, between Third and Fourth avenues. Rev. C. S. McKinley, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a.m.; service 11 a.m.; class meeting, 12 a.m.; prayer service, 7 p.m.; sermon. 7:30 p.m.; mid-week prayer meeting, Thursday 8 p.m.

COLLINGWOOD METHODIST—Services at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 10 a.m. Epworth League Tuesday at 8 p.m. Dundonald school house; Service at 2 p.m. and Sunday school at 3 p.m. Rev. W. Ewart Jones, pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST—305 Durham. Madison Wright, preacher, Sunday services, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Week day service, every day at 8 p.m.

SOUTH WESTMINSTER METHODIST MISSION—Rev. Henry Wilson, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a.m. Church service at 11 a.m.

WEST END PRESBYTERIAN—Twelfth street. Rev. James Reid, B.A., pastor. Public worship at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sunday school at 2:30 p. m.

SAPPERTON BAPTIST CHURCH, Hospital street—Andrew Grieve, pastor. Morning service 11 a.m.; Sunday school and Bible class 12 to 1 p.m.; evening service 7 p.m.; people's meeting Thursday 8 p.m.

GOSPEL HALL—Corner of Sixth avenue and Ninth street. Evangelist J. J. Rouse will preach at 7 p.m.

INTERNATIONAL BIBLE STUDENTS ASSOCIATION — Meetings every Sunday, 630 Fourth street, corner Fourth street and Seventh avenue, at 3 p. m. Also on Thursdays at 8 p. m.

QUEEN'S AVENUE METHODIST—Rev. C. W. Brown. B.D., pastor Service at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday school at 2:30 p.m.

Railway Time Tables

B. C. E. R. Westminster Branch.

Week Day Schedule.

Cars leave Vancouver for New Westminster at 5:50, 6:50, 7:20 and 8:00 a.m., and every half hour thereafter until 11:30 p.m.

Cars leave New Westminster for Vancouver at 5:50, 6:20, 6:50, 7:20 and 8:00 a.m., and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 p.m.

Sunday Schedule.

Cars leave Vancouver for New Westminster at 8:00 and 9:00 a.m., and every half hour thereafter until 11:30 p.m.

Cars leave New Westminster for Vancouver at 9:00 a.m., and every half hour thereafter until 11 p.m.

Eburne Line.

Cars leave New Westminster at 7 a.m. and every hour until 11 p.m.
Cars leave Vancouver at 7 a.m. and every hour until 10 p.m.
On Sundays cars leave Westminster at 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.
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D. J. Stewart, Local Manager, New Westminster.

Great Northern Railway.

Leaves New Westminster 8:17 a. m. arrives Seattle 3:05 p. m.
Leaves New Westminster 10:30 a. m.; arrives Seattle 3:15 p. m.
Leaves New Westminster 4:30 p. m.; arrives Seattle 9:40 p. m.
Leaves New Westminster 12:27 a. m.; arrives Seattle 7:35 a. m.
Leaves Seattle 8:05 a. m.; arrives New Westminster 2:50 p. m.
Leaves Seattle 12:25 p. m.; arrives New Westminster 6:25 p. m.
Leaves Seattle 4:35 p. m.; arrives New Westminster 9:27 p. m.
Leaves Seattle 11:45 p. m.; arrives New Westminster 6:30 a. m.

G. N. R.—Port Guichon.

Leaves New Westminster daily, except Sunday from bridge passenger station 3:50 p. m.; arrives at Port Guichon 6:30 p. m.

Leaves Port Guichon 8:00 a. m. daily, except Sunday; arrives at New Westminster bridge passenger station 10:20 a. m.

G. N. R.—Sumas Branch.

Leaves Sumas 6:00 a. m; arrives bridge passenger station, New Westminster, 10:20 a. m. daily execept Sunday.

Leaves New Westminster bridge passenger station 3:50 p. m.; arrives Sumas 8:00 p.m. daily except Sunday.

New Westminster Mail Service

Time of Arrival:	Time of Closing:
20:00—United States via C. P. R. (daily except Sunday)..	7:30
8:30—Vancouver via B C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)..	7:30
13:00—Vancouver via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)..	11:00
18:00—Vancouver via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)..	16:00
8:30—Victoria via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)..	7:30
13:00—Victoria via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)..	7:30
7:30—United States via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)..	7:30
15:00—United States via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)..	16:00
12:10—All points east and Europe (daily)	7:30
23:00—All points east and Europe (daily)	15:15
12:10—Sapperton and Fraser Mills (daily except Sunday)	7:30
20:00—Sapperton and Fraser mills (daily except Sunday)	15:15
2:10—Coquitlam (daily except	
13:00—Central Park and Edmonds (daily except Sunday)	11:00
13:30—East Burnaby and Burquitlam (daily except Sunday	13:30
10:00—Timberland, Strawberry Hill and South Westminster (Tuesday and Friday)	13:30
10:00—Ladner, Port Guichon, Westham Island	13:30
10:00—Annieville, Sunbury (daily except Sunday	13:30
0:00—Annacis Island Monday Wednesday and Friday	13:30
10:00—Woodwards (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday	13:30
9:00—Vancouver, Piper's Siding via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)..	14:20
11:30—Cloverdale and Port Kells (daily except Sunday)..	15:00
11:30—Clayton (Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Satday	15:00
11:30—Tynehead (Tuesday and Friday)	15:00
8:30—Burnaby Lake (daily except Sunday	16:00
20:00—Abbotsford, Matsqui, Huntington, etc. (daily except Sunday)	7:30
15:45—Crescent, White Rock and Blaine (daily except Sunday)	7:30
15:45—Hall's Prairie, Fern Ridge and Hazlemen (Tuesday, Thursday and Sat-	

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SEE OUR WINDOW

CITY NEWS

R. H. Best returned yesterday from a Christmas trip to Edmonton.

Mrs. D. H. MacGowan will not receive until the first Wednesday in February.

Ice cream on hand. Ira A. Reid, next tram office. Phone 310. **

Monday having been declared a public holiday, all the stores and offices in the city will be closed.

A watch night service will be held at St. Barnabas' church this evening, beginning at 11:45, conducted by Rev. C. C. Hoyle.

Music this evening from ten o'clock to midnight at the Royal cafe. Reserve your tables. **

The News will be published as usual on Monday morning, January 2, but there will be no issue on Tuesday morning.

Dominion Government Engineer Keefer went over to Victoria on Thursday, and will probably return at the beginning of the week.

A social will be held in Knox church hall this evening, beginning at nine o'clock, after which watch night services will be conducted by Rev. E. G. Thompson.

See the big two-mile two-man relay race at the roller rink, Monday afternoon. Admission 10c, skates 25c. **

In Queen's Avenue Methodist church on Sunday Rev. C. W. Brown will preach in the morning and Rev. Dr. Sipprell in the evening. There will be appropriate New Year's music.

The Hotel Russell has had a few minor alterations effected to the rotunda, including an increase of desk room and the widening of the entrance from the main hall.

Rude Boreas took possession of the city for a time yesterday afternoon, and the number of people who were to be seen chasing headgear on Columbia street and the quality of their language are supposed to have touched record mark.

If you want a messenger or a parcel delivered, call the B. C. Messenger, day or night, any time, and he will come to your aid. Phone 761. **

There will be a watch night service at Queen's Avenue Methodist church tonight. It will start at a quarter after eleven and continue until the year 1910 has become a matter of history.

The funeral of Douglas Weir, four years of age, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Sixth avenue, to the Odd Fellows' cemetery, Rev. J. S. Henderson officiating.

The temporary ticket office and waiting room on Eighth street, erected by the B. C. E. R. to handle business while the old depot is being torn down and the new one erected, was occupied for the first time yesterday.

L. E. Haines, manager and secretary of the New Westminster club, is rejoicing because of the arrival of a boy, the first in his family. Mr. Haines recently came to Westminster from the Terminal City club.

Skate the old year out and the new year in at the roller rink on Saturday night, 7 to 12. Admission 10c, skates 25c. **

The home of H. C. Major, on Blackwood street, last night was the scene of a happy family reunion in honor of G. F. Welch, of Vancouver, father of Mrs. Major. There were about forty relatives of Mr. Welch present at the gathering.

An impromptu wrestling match on Columbia street last night led to the two participants leaving bail to the extent of $10 each at the police station. They will have a chance to explain matters at the court this morning, should they so desire.

The following are the bowling scores that have been made up to date in the contests for the Spokane cup: Murchie, 584; Archambault, 521; Willette, 568; Murchie, 608; Archambault, 614; Burrow, 586; Willette, 531; Murchie, 609; Archambault, 550. So far in all the games the challenger has won.

The Aston Villa team, which will meet the High school at Moody square this afternoon will be composed of the following players: Lyons, Peele, Ewing, Sharpe, Coldicutt, Fitzgerald, Hunter, Douglas, Brisbane, Turnbull and Pratt or Wilkinson. All the players are requested to be on hand at half past two.

A flat-bottomed, drab colored boat has been found across the inlet from Port Moody and the owner may obtain particulars by calling at the provincial police office here. The boat is twelve feet long and when found had no oars in it. It is thought that the boat is one that has been stolen, as many thefts of small boats have been reported lately.

Charles Pearson, a negro from Dewdney, was given a fifteen months' sentence for theft when he appeared before Judge Howay yesterday. He was accused of robbing a store on the night of December 8, and the evidence adduced yesterday conclusively proved his guilt. There have been so many crimes of a similar nature in the Fraser valley recently that the police are on the alert and it is expected that the sentence meted out to Pearson will have a deterrent effect on others who have similar inclinations.

Mrs. V. H. C. Abbott will no longer receive on the first Tuesday of the month.

For your New Year gifts go to H. Morey & Co. Plenty of pretty and useful things still on hand to choose from. A Happy New Year to you all. H. Morey & Co., 665 Columbia St. **

The B. C. E. R. now has four of the new suburban type of car on the run between this city and Vancouver, and reports that they are giving satisfactory service. The number will now be increased as fast as the cars arrive and are fitted out at the shops.

At the eleventh hour doubts are expressed whether the car shop boys will be able to get a team together today for their match with Sapperton. Some of the players have other arrangements for the week-end, and it is probable that the match will be called off.

The four Chinamen with the monosyllabic names who were arrested on Thursday, on a charge of keeping a gambling den and liberated on bail of $30 each, failed to appear at the police court yesterday morning, and forfeited their bail.

The Public Supply Stores

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in all evening colors, per yard..... .50

Satin Cloths
in the light shades of green, sky, pink and cream, per yard ..... .85

Cream Khantona Cloths
Poplinettes. Japonna, Henriette, Voille, etc., per yard .....65c. to 1.00

Cream Serges
in light, medium and heavy weights for evening coats and cloaks, per yard, 65c. to 1.75

56 Broadcloths
in light shades of mauve, green, rose and sky, per yard .....$2.25 and 2.50

Messaline and Paillette Silks
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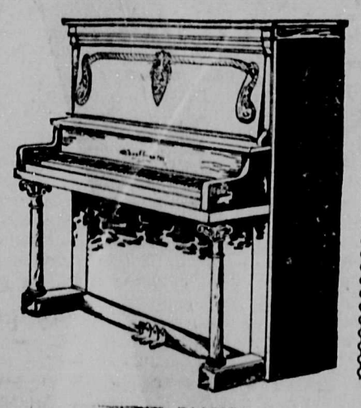

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