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COUNCIL OF 1910 NOW DEAD AND GONE

Old Aldermen Step Out of Office And Newly Elected Men Take Charge.

The old council held its last meeting and the new council its first meeting at five o'clock yesterday afternoon. There was practically no business transacted.

Alderman Gilley submitted a report of some slight trouble that had arisen in the fire hall between the men. It will be dealt with when the new fire committee is formed. Alderman Jardine stated that the superintendent of works would give a report to the council so the new chairman of that board would know where to start, and on the motion of Alderman Bryson the Municipal Construction company were ordered to be paid $8573.76 on an estimate submitted by the city engineer.

That was all the business transacted and then Mayor Lee in a few valedictory remarks bid farewell to the retiring members of the old council. His words were of the steretoyped variety for occasions of the sort. There had been differences, but there had also been times of harmony and he was sorry to see the aldermen leave. He was glad that several of the old members were still left in the council.

New Members Sworn In.

The retiring members of the old council, Aldermen Smith, Welsh, Gilley and Jardine then left their seats and the new aldermen were sworn in.

The only matter dealt with by them was the heating of the building, which Alderman Johnston stated was anything but satisfactory, not on account of the janitor, but because the furnace was defective. Alderman Gray moved that the matter be left in the hands of Aldermen Johnston and Bryson and Alderman Campbell rose to the occasion and seconded the motion.

Alderman Lynch performed his first civic act by seconding the motion to adjourn.

Changes in the Seats.

The change in the personnel of the board resulted in a rearrangement of the seats. Alderman Gray is the only man who occupies his old chair. He sits on the left of the mayor. Alderman Johnston is accommodated with C. A. Welsh's old chair next the reporters' table.

Alderman Bryson sits in J. Carter Smith's chair. Alderman Henley fills the seat occupied last year by the chairman of the water committee. Alderman Gilley's seat in the centre of the circle is taken by Alderman Campbell and Alderman Dodd sits next to him, in the seat occupied last year by Alderman Johnston. Alderman Lynch sits between Alderman Dodd and Alderman Gray in the seat occupied last year by J. B. Jardine.

The next meeting will not be held until Wednesday night. Mayor Lee explained that he would be absent from the city on Monday and as there was no particularly important business to come up he thought it might be left over until Wednesday.

FIRE YESTERDAY.

Ben Kennedy's Residence Singed When Blaze Starts in Garret.

Fire broke out yesterday afternoon in a house occupied by B. S. Kennedy, situated at the corner of St. Andrews and Eighth streets, and fire brigades from No. 1 and No. 2 halls were turned out. The fire had apparently started in the garret, and when the firemen arrived on the scene it was breaking out through the roof. A small hose was attached to the large one and taken into the garret, when the fire was quickly quenched.

The damage done was mostly to the roof, which is almost completely destroyed, and only one wall in the interior of the house suffered at all. The house, however, is rendered uninhabitable meantime, on account of the condition of the roof.

C. C. Dunn is the owner of the building, which is rented by Mr. Kennedy.

MRS. MORSE IS STILL BUSY FOR HUSBAND

Washington, Jan. 13.—Mrs. Charles W. Morse had a conference with Senator Hale today and called at the department of justice to urge early action on her plea for her husband's pardon.

Mrs. Morse left the impression that she would be satisfied if a commutation of the banker's sentence could be secured.

Reports from the Atlanta penitentiary state that Morse's health is much better than it was a few weeks ago.

Awful Snow Storm.

Fernie, Jan. 13.—The worst snow storm in the history of the Crow's Nest Pass is still raging with the temperature twenty degrees below zero. Relief parties leaving here today will carry assistance and supplies to any who may be found in need of it. All trains are tied up and traffic is completely demoralized.

CARPENTER FOLLOWED THIEVES TO THIS CITY

Man Robbed of Gold Watch and Money Traces Culprits from Vancouver, Then Loses Them.

Richard Athey, a carpenter of this city, reported to the police last night that he had been robbed of a sum of money and a gold watch while in Vancouver earlier in the evening.

He stated that he had traced the two culprits to New Westminster, but on leaving the car had lost sight of them.

The police investigated into the affair, but no arrests were made last night.

PERIODICAL PUBLISHERS COMPLIMENTED BY CLARK

New York, Jan. 13.—Representative Champ Clark, probable speaker of the next house, told the Periodical Publishers of America last night at their annual dinner that he approved of them.

"I believe the editors and publishers of magazines are the greatest educators of our times," he said.

A long list of guests attended, among them being: Theodore Roosevelt, Richard A. Ballinger, Capt. Robert E. Peary, Senator A. J. Beveridge, Edward Bok, Pete Finley Dunne, Samuel G. Blythe, Andrew Carnegie, Mayor Gaynor, Norman Hangood, Richard Harding Davis, Irving Bacheller and Charles Dana Gibson.

DEFUNCT BANK TO PAY 16 PER CENT DIVIDEND

Fairbanks, Jan. 13.—The receiver of the Washington-Alaska bank, announced today that a 16 per cent dividend would be paid creditors January 16.

The statement says that from present indications depositors will eventually receive 70 cents on the dollar, and possibly as much as 90 cents.

Some local merchants are extending credit to needy depositors to the extent of 50 per cent of their deposits in the defunct bank.

When the bank closed its deposits were approximately $100,000.

Five Bodies in the Ruins.

Connsellsville, Pa., Jan. 13.—When firemen early today ceased searching the ruins of the McCrory store, destroyed by an explosion and fire here yesterday, they decided that the five bodies they had discovered were all the debris contained.

STEEL CLAD STEAMER COMING TO BREAK ICE

L. B. Lusby and George Kennedy Make Arrangements to Secure Open River Channel.

The recent heavy snow flurry combined with the present cold snap having caused more or less floating ice in the river, suggesting the possibility of navigation being interfered with if the cold spell should be prolonged, was considered sufficient ground by L. B. Lusby, president of the board of trade, and George Kennedy, president of the Liberal association, for the taking of precautionary and preventive measures yesterday.

Accordingly these gentlemen made it their business early yesterday afternoon, to interview C. A. Keefer, Dominion resident engineer, and H. A. Bayfield, superintendent of dredges, with the view of having some vessel under control of the public works department detailed for duty on the Fraser in keeping the vagrant ice floes "moving on" so they should not be able to coalesce and form a temporary obstacle to free navigation between New Westminster and the sea.

As a result of these interviews, Mr. Bayfield wired yesterday afternoon to Victoria, ordering the Petrel, a stout steel clad craft, to get under steam at once for New Westminster. It is expected that the Petrel will arrive at Steveston about one o'clock today, it being Mr. Bayfield's intention to meet her there and bring her up the river to this city. When he is assured by personal inspection of the river being perfectly safe for the dredge King Edward to be brought here, Mr. Bayfield will have the Petrel return in a few days and convoy the dredge over from Vancouver Island to do a few weeks' work pumping sand from a bar near South Westminster into the B. C. E. R. car shops site on the south side, just below the bridge, after which, if weather conditions are favorable, the King Edward will probably commence dredging work on the North Arm.

Mr. Bayfield was in charge for some time of the work of keeping the ice in Montreal's harbor broken up. What he does not know about dredging and ice-breaking is hardly worth knowing, and smiles at the comparative child's play of keeping the baby ice that occasionally plays hide-and-go-seek in New Westminster's spacious harbor from interfering even for a day or two with free navigation to the sea.

WINTER WEATHER IS LINGERING HERE

Mercury Flirts With Zero Mark--River Channel is Field of Ice.

The cold snap continues, and the thermometer was again down to zero last night, according to unofficial advices to the News. There is a lot of drift ice in the river opposite the city, and although the ship channel was clear up till last night, there is every probability that it too may freeze over if the cold does not abate.

Coal Shortage in Sight.

In that event there is a possibility of a coal famine in the city, and prices may shoot up to a record height as a result of the expense attached to bringing it into the city via Vancouver and the B. C. E. R. Already some of the merchants in town see a shortage in sight, owing to the fact that the sudden excessive demand was quite unlooked for, and in a number of cases, when Mr. Householder telephones for another ton of coal, right away quick, he is informed that half a ton is the most he can get.

The cold snap being general, the effects of the increased demand are, of course, felt at the pit heads, and in addition, it is found impossible to produce in the quantities that are turned out in normal weather. The consequence is that no coal boats have arrived from Nanaimo in the last two days, and should the South Arm freeze, the result may be rather serious to coal consumers in the city.

The North Arm of the Fraser is already solid, and some skating is reported, but not much, as the surface is not good, and there are patches of snow on it. The snow has spoiled the skating on most of the local ponds, and Burnaby lake is hardly safe yet, although today in all probability some of the bolder spirits will venture.

Fraser Mills Closed.

Yesterday the Fraser River mills shut down in most of their departments owing to the intense cold. The planing mill is still working, cleaning up a few odds and ends, but should there be no change in the temperature, it too will follow suit.

Danger in Coasting.

Brunette Mills have been partially closed down for some time, owing to the breaking of the carriage, and yesterday practically all activity ceased there, with the exception of the planing mill, blacksmith shop, etc.

Sleighing is popular, too much so, judging by the language heard from some sinners who have attempted to stand in slippery places. In this connection a warning is issued to small boys who insist on using hills running down to Columbia street for this purpose. That there is great danger in this practice was illustrated in Sapperton last evening, when a youth, a bob sleigh, and a street car provided an exciting moment for the passersby. The sleigh shot across the track just in front of the car, and stopped against the further rail, the youth rolled off, and the car brushed the sleigh aside as it sped on with almost undiminished speed, the motorman not having had time to slow down until the danger was over.

Auto Victim Dies.

Calgary, Jan. 13.—John G. Sayre who was injured in an automobile accident in the First street subway last week, died today.

FRASER MILLS WILL BE SCENE OF BOXING MATCH

Spider Kelly, of Oakland, Cal., and Thompson, Local Fistic Artist, Will Mix on Monday.

A boxing match which is arousing considerable interest in the city will be pulled off at Fraser Mills on Monday night between Jack Thompson, of New Westminster, and Spider Kelly, a fighter who gives his address as Oakland, California.

The bout will take place about 8:30. Before it comes on Kid Watson and Slim Douglas, of this city, will spar a few preliminary rounds.

Thompson is 26 years of age and weighs 152 pounds. The stranger is five pounds lighter and three years younger and the fight ought to be extremely interesting.

Prominent Man Dead.

Moosomin, Sask., Jan. 13.—Arthur Henry Smith, B.A., ex-principal of the public schools, and until recently editor of the Spectator, died today of typhoid fever. He was a member of the Saskatchewan senate and a prominent Mason, Odd Fellow and Orangeman.

Bleasdell Mayor of Fernie.

Fernie, Jan. 13.—A. W. Bleasdell was elected mayor today by a majority of fourteen.

REEVE SULLIVAN ADDRESSES MEETING

Candidate For Re-election in Surrey Tells of Good Work Done in 1910.

A meeting of the ratepayers of ward two, Surrey, was held in Biggar's hall last night, John Wise presiding.

Reeve J. T. Sullivan submitted the balance sheet for the year, which showed the expenditure on the wards as follows: Ward one, $4624; ward two, $5464; ward three, $4141; ward four, $7922; ward five, $4365. The government's grants of $1300 and $3300 were applied to even the expenditure on the wards as much as possible, so as to avoid any objection of unduly favoring one more than another. They had spent $161 on building a powder magazine and they saved that much on powder. His opponent, H. T. Thrift, spoke about trips they had to the Union of Municipalities at Salmon Arm and to Victoria. The latter delegation was to interview the government at the beginning of the year to get money to help them out in Surrey. They had employed a road superintendent with excellent results and they kept him at work, as long as possible. He had to look after a good deal of government work as well. In ward three, it was said, he did not look after the work so well as in other wards. The reason for that was that there was little construction work there, being mostly straight gravelling and there was little need for his presence. At the nomination meeting there was a lot of criticism, some, indeed, he thought unjustified and which surprised him. In the first place Mr. Thrift questioned his right to the designation of farmer. He considered his claim to that occupation was correct. He and his partner were spending lots of money farming, not deriving much from it at present, but they were erecting fine buildings and breaking their lands preparatory to cultivation as fast as they could. He, therefore, sought the reeveship of Surrey as a farmer. Mr. Thrift boasted about having $80,000 in the bank. He had no doubt he had, but he did not care if he had a million. That cut no figure for the reeveship. All the harm he wished him in that respect was that they might borrow some of it.

Mr. Sullivan said Mr. Thrift criticized the slowness of development; that they had not sufficient energy. They were doing all they could with the resources at their disposal. He sneered at their journey to Salmon Arm meeting of Municipal Unions. These meetings were the greatest educative force in municipal affairs they had at the present time. It made them conversant with municipal laws and amendments as no other means could. It cost $60, which simply covered train fares and living expenses for two delegates.

Mr. Marshall—Does that represent time lost, Mr. Sullivan?

Mr. Sullivan—Nothing like that. I would not think of charging anything of that sort.

Proceeding, the reeve took up the matter of the Great Northern railway contract on the White Rock road and explained it satisfactorily. At the present time it was in the hands of their solicitors to force the company to fulfil their agreement.

Loud applause greeted the reeve on his resuming his seat.

Mr. Thrift, in a short speech, asked for support on general grounds.

STORK PAYS VISIT TO MRS. UDAY RAM JOSHI

Hindu Child Born in St. Mary's Hospital—Event Is Rare in This Province.

The wife of Uday Ram Joshi, the Hindu storekeeper at Millside, gave birth to a male child in St. Mary's hospital on Thursday night.

Mrs. Uday Ram Joshi has the distinction of being one of the few bona fide Hindu women in British Columbia. It is supposed there are several masquerading as men and working in sawmills in different parts of the country, but that is all mere supposition.

Both mother and child are reported to be doing well.

Although the doctor who attended the lady asserts that yesterday's addition to the population is the only Hindu child born here, the correctness of that is not by any menas certain, for a story is told of how a few years ago one of the Hindu workmen at one of the mills in the city was taken ill. Then it was found that the "man" was a woman, and a child was subsequently born. However, the facts of this case are not by any means certain. The secretive habits of the Hindu are almost as great as those of the Chinese, and it is hard to get at the real facts of such cases.

About two years ago another Hindu "workman" was delivered of a child in Revelstoke.

EIGHT INCH CHUB GETS FOUL OF WATER METER

Wandering Fish Ends Adventurous Career at Royal City Mills Liquid Measuring Machine.

A fish about eight inches long wandered into the water meter at the Royal City mills yesterday morning and the plant had to practically shut down for want of water for an hour or two until the trouble was adjusted.

The fish was a chub and was brought to the city hall by Alderman Gray, just to make good his yarn in case anyone thought he was telling a fish story.

The erring stranger was given to Edward Hoult, who in turn fed it to the city hall cat. Speaking from the cat's standpoint it is an ill-wind that blows nobody good.

How the fish got into the water pipe is a mystery, as it is almost the first time that such a thing has happened since Westminster commenced using the Coquitlam water.

NANAIMO JAIL TO BE OPENED AGAIN

Nanaimo, Jan. 13.—The Provincial jail, after being closed for several years, is to be opened out again in a couple of weeks. This step the government has found it absolutely necessary to take, as there is no longer accommodation in either of the jails at Westminster or Victoria. Major Mutter, the chief warder at Victoria, is up today looking over the building with a view to having it thoroughly overhauled, and it is expected that in a couple of weeks the jail will be ready to receive prisoners. The position of chief warden has been given to Mr. Hunter, head jailer of Victoria jail.

MEAT PACKERS CANNOT ESCAPE PROSECUTION

Chicago, Jan. 13.—Judge George A. Carpenter, in the United States district court, today denied the motion of the indicted meat packers that criminal prosecution against them be forbidden. Their plea made on the premise that if they were guilty of conspiracy to restrain trade they then were violating Circuit Judge Grosscup's injunction of several years ago against such a practice. Contempt proceedings, argued the packers were the proper method of attack by the government.

STEEL CITY SITE WILL BE CLEARED VERY SOON

Land Purchased for Big Industry Across River Will Be Placed on Market This Spring.

Official announcement has been made by William Price, of Seattle, general manager of the Western Steel corporation, that work on the construction of a $500,000 steel plant is to be commenced on the property secured for that corporation opposite Annacis Island some weeks ago by a snydicate, acting through Robert Kennedy, of the firm of Kennedy Brothers.

The starting of steel works across the river, as announced in these columns some time ago, means the building up of a city of no mean proportions. The townsite of what may appropriately be called Steel City comprises 2000 acres, with 9000 feet of water frontage. The works along will occupy about three hundred acres, with 2000 feet water frontage.

The plant will be bigger than that at Irondale, near Seattle, the present headquarters of the Western Steel corporation.

The townsite will be cleared and subdivided as soon as possible, after which it will be placed on the market. No portion of the townsite will be sold for some time, but acreage in the vicinity is to be placed on the market in the near future by the firm of Kennedy Brothers, who will also handle the bigger proposition when the time arrives.

It is the intention later to erect blast furnaces for the production of 1000 tons of pig-iron per day, and open hearth furnaces to put the pig-iron into finished steel, making pipe, rails, tinplate and structural iron. Later a by-product plant in connection with the manufacture of coke will be established. This plant, Mr. Price said would produce ammonia, gas and also tar suitable for commercial use. The ultimate expenditure in connection with the operations of the Western Steel corporation on the Fraser river, he said, would amount to $5,000,000.

"It will be the policy of the company," declared Mr. Price, "to supply the Oriental trade from its branch in British Columbia and as the demand in this province is also very large we hope for a good trade."

He went on to state that the company possessed large iron deposits in the Queen Charlotte group at the north end of Vancouver Island, and also at Barclay Sound. Coal land was owned on Graham Island and the company controlled 50,000,000 tons of coking coal at Ashford, Wash.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES WIND UP BUSINESS

Erroneous Impression Seems to Prevail That Reporters Prefer Closed Meetings.

The final meeting of the retiring school board was held yesterday evening, when the minutes of the last five or six meetings were read and adopted, a certain amount of routine business transacted and the school board affairs of 1910 wound up, after which Trustee Loree formally left the board.

The new members of the board, L. Thornber, John Peck (re-elected), John Reid, Mrs. G. B. Cross and R. A. Stoney, then took their seats, all being ready with the necessary declaration, signed before a justice of the peace, except John Reid, who will bring in the official paper at the next meeting.

T. J. Trapp was re-elected chairman for 1911.

It was decided to form committees on school management, finance, buildings and grounds, hygiene, and supplies. The heads of those committees will be appointed next week.

The question of open meetings was discussed freely and fully. It was found that the press representatives had never been excluded from school board meetings except when personal matters were being discussed, and furthermore, that it was the desire of the reporters that the secretary of the board should supply them with the reports of the meetings.

The next meeting of the board will be held on Monday evening.

The gist of the above report was supplied to the News by Secretary Robert Lennie last night.

That the school board has not in the past been opposed to the presence of reporters is news to the newspapermen. Secretary Lennie was requested to furnish accounts of the meetings to the newspapers; this was the only way in which a statement of the proceedings could be secured in time for the morning paper. Mr. Lennie has been conscientious and painstaking in his effort to assist the newspaper reporters, but the assumption that the reporters prefer not to attend the meetings of the school board is not in accordance with the facts.

The reporters will attend Monday's meeting of the board.

MANY ATTEND.

Census Drawn Up of Sunday Scholars in Coal City.

Nanaimo, Jan. 13.—The result of the Sunday school census which was recently taken in the city has been made out in tabular form and the figures are rather interesting. According to the census takers there are in the city 1928 children of eighteen years of age and under, and of this number 990 are attending Sunday school, a precentage of 51.35. The statement shows that of 679 children whose parents declared themselves as Methodists, 419 are attending the Sunday school or over 61 per cent. The figures for the Presbyterian Church are 475, of which number 240 or 50 per cent are attending school. In the same way the figures for the Baptist church are 29, with 53, or 53 per cent attending; for the church of England there are 409 with 169 attending, or 41 per cent; for the Roman Catholic, 94, with 40, or 41 per cent attending, for other denominations 172 with 89 attending, or 40 per cent.

These figures, of course, do not complete the attendance at Sunday school, for there are many over eighteen years of age who attend, and who do not figure in this list.

The Sunday School convention for this district, including Nanaimo, Ladysmith, Chemainus and the districts in between and as far north as Wellington, will be held in the Presbyterian church in this city on the February 23 and 24. J. W. Williams, the B. C. western secretary, will be present.

VESSEL STRUCK SLEEPING WHALE

Port Townsend, Jan. 13.—On a recent trip the steamer Bellingham, plying between Seattle and Neah Bay, collided with a whale off Pillow Point. The contact was slight, but the commotion was great. As the steamer was pushing the whale through the water, the leviathian lashed the waters into foam, flooding the forward deck with spray.

The night was dark and thick, and Captain Kalstrom says the animal must have been asleep when it was struck. It was several minutes before it freed itself from the vessel.

Ultimatum.

Winnipeg, Jan. 13. — The board of control today served an ultimatum on the steet railway to the effect that unless the street car service on certain routes were not improved by Monday, the clause in the charter enforcing a fine of $10 a day on each route would be enforced.

Wants

WANTED.

WANTED — TO BUY TEAM OF horses, weight from 2800 to 3200 pounds; give description and best cash price to Walsh Sash and Door Factory, City.

WANTED—BY GOOD NEEDLEWOMAN, work by the day or week. Apply Box E., SS., Daily News office.

WANTED—BEFORE OR ON THE 10th of February, 5 or 7-roomed modern house. Careful tenants, no children. Apply Box 9, Daily News office.

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11:00 p. m.....Jan. 7, 21,, Feb. 18

TO QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS.
11:00 p. m.....
Jan. 10, 24; Feb. 7, 21.

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Society

Mrs. Watson, of Ladysmith, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. F. Howay.

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Miss Helen Rand left for California on Friday.

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Misses Chloris and Phyllis Coulthard leave today to enter Miss Gordon's school in Vancouver.

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Mr. G. E. Corbould and Mr. Fred Wright spent a few days at the Empress, Victoria.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marshall English are en pension at the Russell after spending a month in Victoria.

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Mrs. S. J. Thompson, of Vancouver, spent a day early in the week the guest of Mrs. J. C. Brown.

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Miss Mayo Lawson, of Vancouver, was the guest of Mrs. F. J. Coulthard for a few days.

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The many friends of Mrs. C. M. Beacher will regret to hear of her sudden death in Vancouver on Wednesday night.

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Mr. Fred Wright and Mr. Douglas Wright left on Friday for Watrous, Sask.

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Mrs. H. V. Ardagh received for the first time since her marriage on Tuesday afternoon, when a large number called.

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Miss Corbould entertained at two tables of bridge on Monday evening. Others entertaining at this delightful game during the week were Mrs. G. D. Brymner and Mrs. T. J. Armstrong.

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Miss Helen Rand entertained at a delightful musicale on Tuesday evening. Among those taking part were Mrs. J. H. Diamond, Miss Margaret Lewis, Miss Freeze, Miss Armstrong, Mr. O'Brien, Mr. Sutherland and Mr. Douglas Wright.

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A number of very pleasant teas have been given this week for Miss Helen Rand, the hostesses being Mrs. C. E. Doherty on Monday; Miss Beatrice Annandale on Tuesday, and Miss Nora Armstrong on Wednesday.

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Mrs. C. E. Lewis entertained at four tables of euchre on Wednesday evening. The first prize was won by Mrs. M. M. English, the lone hand by Mrs. James Brymner and the consolation by Mrs. A. F. Cotton. Among those present were Mrs. T. J. Armstrong, Mrs. Dickinson, Mrs. English, Mrs. Charleson, Mrs. Cotton, Mrs. Beatty, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. James Brymner, Mrs. Shadwell, Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Phillips.

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Mrs. C. E. Lewis also entertained on Thursday afternoon a few of her friends at a guessing contest. The first prize was carried off by Mrs. Ardagh and the consolation by Mrs. Gaynor. The guests included Mrs. Eddy, Mrs. J. R. Grant, Mrs. J. E. Gaynor, Mrs. W. G. McQuarrie, Mrs. Yuenging, Mrs. Sinclair, Mrs. Ardagh, Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Sutherland, Mrs. Cheyne, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Brydges, Miss Freeze, Miss Phillips, Miss Veda Leamy and Miss Davidson.

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Departures.

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21:40—To Vancouver. (No. 1).

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MORE DOUKHOBORS COMING TO B. C.

Orchards on Columbia River Just Ready to Bear--Exchange Products.

Onward to British Columbia as the husbandman of small fruits, will shortly be the command of Peter Verigin, head of the Doukhobors, to 2000 more of the members of the community at Verigin, in Saskatchewan, for the 50,000 apple, pear, peach, plum and cherry trees, set out three years ago on the 10,000 acre-tract, near Nelson on the Columbia river, will come into bearing this year.

Two thousand of the Doukhobors are already in this province, so that the entrance of 2000 more will give British Columbia and Saskatchewan each a community of 4000 of this Russian sect, the nucleus of which was recently financed by Tolstoy, in order to come to the new world and the Saskatchewan country.

Peter Verigin arrived in Winnipeg a few days ago accompanied by M. Cazakoff, manager of the head office at Verigin, Saskatchewan, and Larion Verigin, the nephew of Peter Verigin, who assumes the role of interpreter when his uncle is subjected to an interview.

"Oats in the Saskatchewan country, and small fruits in the British Columbia territory, will occupy the attention of the 8000 Doukhobors in the future," said Mr. Verigin to a reporter.

After spending the day in Winnipeg, attending to business matters, Peter Verigin and his nephew proceeded to Nelson, British Columbia, while Mr. Cazakoff returned to the Saskatchewan country.

"We had good crops in the Saskatchewan country in 1910," continued Mr. Verigin, "but we still have about half of our grain on hand, on account of the prevailing low prices. We are holding it for a rise in the market, which should come.

"While during the year 1910 we had but about 75,000 acres in oats, we expect to have the entire 100,000 acres under cultivation during the present year, and if we get a good return will harvest a quarter larger crop than in 1910. Most of the acreage will be in oats.

"On our 10,000 acres in British Columbia we have 50,000 trees set out, which will come into bearing this year, and we intend to set out about 20,000 young trees each year, until the entire acreage is in orchard.

"The year 1911 will witness an exchange of products between the Saskatchewan and the British Columbia communities, the Saskatchewan community shipping to British Columbia all the oats that will be needed, while the British Columbia community will send on to the Saskatchewan community an abundance of apples, pears, peaches, plums and cherries."

The Douhobors do not eat meat of any kind, so it can readily be seen that much advantage attaches to the growing of small fruits on the Columbia river.

Peter Vereigin expects to name the British Columbia community Verigin, the same as the Saskatchewan community, near Yorkton, is named, so there will hereafter be Verigin, Saskatchewan, and Verigin, British Columbia.

"I am confident that the productive power of the two communities will more than double our present revenues," said Mr. Verigin, in conclusion, "and the 2000 from the Saskatchewan community, whom I intend to remove to British Columbia ,are more than content to make the change. In fact the possibilities of a monster orchard on the Columbia river are the best."

SAYS BOURASSA IS A CANADIAN PARNELL

London, Jan. 13.—William Maxwell, the well-known war correspondent, in concluding a series of articles for the Daily Mail, declares that the new elements crowding into the Canadian West will readjust the balance of power.

Bourassa would sever the last link between Canada and Great Britain and has the same ambition as Parnell and the same dangerous material. Canadian statesmen admit that there is danger, but do not discuss it publicly.

SURPLUS OF OVER TWO MILLION DOLLARS

Victoria, Jan. 13.—When the minister of finance makes his annual statement to the legislature this year, he will be able to report that the finances of the province are in excellent shape. The surplus on hand yesterday, after providing for all expenditures to date, was $2,250,000. The appropriations for public works this session will be something over six million dollars.

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MATTERS OF MOMENT.

The presence of snow makes it unpleasantly apparent that some amendment and improvement of the civic by-laws is seriously needed to meet the condition of things created by a snowfall. It should be made the duty of every occupier of premises to keep the sidewalk or pavement in front of his premises reasonably free from snow. It is very necessary that such a regulation, which is enforced in nearly all European cities, should become existent in New Westminster, if only to render the streets safe to pedestrians. At present our sidewalks are in a very slippery condition, owing to the trodden snow, the making of slides by children (and others) and the practice of hand sleighing or tobagganning, which appears to be still permitted. The paved sidewalk on Columbia street is in a most dangerous state, especially where the snow has worn nearly down to the pavement lights, or where the warmth of offices below has partly thawed this.

We have before had occasion to call attention to the great danger arising from the use of the sidewalks for sliding and sleighing, and though we believe the police have power to deal with offenders in this respect, the nuisance still seems to exist. We are aware that the representatives of law and order cannot be everywhere, but if one or two who set the by-law at defiance were prosecuted it would have a wholesame effect.

One good result at least is likely to follow this year's election of school trustees. The new board will, we believe, comprise a preponderance of men who are in favor of all meetings being thrown open to the public and the press. This is as it should be. Why New Westminster should have for so long lagged behind other cities in this respect it is difficult to understand. The antiquated and foolish system of allowing the clerk or secretary of the board to prepare a report of the proceedings has long since had its day. Throughout those countries where the ideas of modern civilization prevail it is customary to give every facility to the press for reporting the meetings of public bodies. This is only right, for the newspaper reports furnish the only means by which a fair and impartial account of the work done can be obtained by the public at large.

Today Burnaby is in the throes of one of the most, if not the most, exciting civic contests which has been experienced in that municipality. Reeve Byrne, who has several years experience in the capacity of chief magistrate, and has witnessed and assisted in the development and progress of this prosperous municipality, has a strong opponent in the person of Mr. J. W. Weart, who is well and widely known as a clever man of business and a lawyer to boot. The fight between the two contestants is likely to be a close one. In four of the wards there are contests for councillors, the old members being challenged by candidates who have been put forward by the ratepayers' association. The newcomers have put the old representatives on their mettle and the ward contests are as keen in character as that for the reeveship. If Mr. Weart should triumph this is likely to be the last election under the ward system, the abolition of this arbitrary division being one of the strong planks of his platform and also of the ratepayers' association candidates.

COSTS MONEY TO FEED STALLED C. P. R. PASSENGERS

Calgary, Jan. 12.—It is costing the C. P. R. fifteen hundred dollars a day to feed the 500 passengers tied up here on the way to the coast, and no forecast is made as to when the road will be open. Grooves cut through the snowbanks in the mountains fill in very rapidly and shovelers have hard work owing to the severe weather.

The sun is shining brightly here, and though the thermometer keeps close to the thirties there is no inconvenience and absolutely no suffering.

Addition to Courthouse.

Victoria, Jan. 13.—Announcement is made by the Provincial Gazette that tenders for the erection of the new wing of the Vancouver courthouse will be received up to and including Thursday, February 2.

Correspondence

(The Daily News is not responsible for the opinions expressed by its correspondents.)

Limitations of time and space prevented the publication of this letter on Thursday morning, as had been the intention.—Ed.

THE R. A. & I. SOCIETY.

To T. J. Trapp, Esq., and the members of the Board of Control of the R. A. & I. Society, City.

Gentlemen,—I notice by reports published in the morning papers that Mr. J. A. Lee, one of the candidates for the position of mayor of the city of New Westminster for the ensuing year, has made a direct and personal attack on the management of the R. A. & I. society ,and (as I take it) on the integrity or honesty of myself.

As you are aware, gentlemen, there are three aldermen on the board of city directors, and have been for several years, and one alderman has been a member of the board of control for the last year, and as you are aware also, at the annual meeting of the society held in October last, the board of control was increased from eight to twelve members. The present membership is eight, but it was left to the members of the present board of control to nominate four others. We decided, at our board of control meeting, to leave this lie in abeyance until after the municipal elections, when it is intended to place two of the aldermen of the city on this board, or the mayor, as the case might be, with the object that the city (from the city's standpoint) could be advised of everything that was done with reference to the management of the exhibition, and we have gone further, following out instructions given at the annual meeting, that the mayors of the cities and the reeves of all the municipalities of the province, should be members of our board of directors, their names to be published in the prize list, which would only be obtainable after the municipal elections had been held this month.

We have nothing to hide in the management of the exhibition; our books and accounts are open to the inspection of not only the citizens of New Westminster, but the citizens of province. Our reports have been published annually, since I have been in charge, in book form. The accounts have been regularly audited by one of the most qualified accountants of the province. Before presenting these audited accounts to the annual meeting, they have been passed upon by the board of control, which was understood, when the board of control was appointed, should be one of their duties. The accounts for the 1910 exhibition are now in preparation to being audited, and the auditor's statement will be presented to the annual meeting of directors, which will be held in this city in February next.

It would have been a matter of impossibility to have presented the audited statement of last year's exhibition before the end of our exhibition year, which is the 31st of December, because we are, even yet, paying and adjusting prizes.

With reference to the excellence of the 1910 exhibition, it has been generally admitted by those from outside points, and in the words of Lieut.-Governor Paterson and the Hon. Premier McBride, at the opening of our last year's exhibition, "from an agricultural, horticultural and stock standpoint, it excels all previous exhibitions," and admitted that it was the best agricultural and horticultural exhibition ever held west of Toronto.

We trust, to a great extent, on our gate receipts; as to our financial condition, it is quite true that there was a deficit in 1909, which is ascribed to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition in Seattle, and it is also quite true that there was a deficit last year, but that was altogether caused by the inclement weather, over which we had no control.

Mr. Lee stated that the Vancouver exhibition had published their statement, two months after their exhibition, which was held in August last, and he also stated that they had a surplus. I am in a position to prove that no audited statement has been published yet, I am also in a position to prove that they had a deficit, as well as Victoria, Edmonton and Calgary—all the larger exhibitions in the west, for the year 1910, unfortunately went behind.

We are compelled to expend a considerable sum of money on the upkeep of our buildings, the majority of which were constructed through our holding the Dominion exhibition in New Westminster, and to this Dominion exhibition the city of New Westminster, as a corporation, did not contribute one cent in cash, although the society cleared twelve acres of ground, fenced same, and as I have said before, constructed these buildings, which were so necessary.

It is most imperative for the success of this year's exhibition, as well as future exhibitions, that a proper grandstand should be constructed, as well as additions and improvements to the present buildings, which would entail a considerable expenditure of money, and if we are going to compete against our sister city, we must do this: Vancouver has already spent $168,000 on their buildings, and are asking the ratepayers of Vancouver to vote a further $115,000 tomorrow, and you can readily see that we here in New Westminster, must do something also, and it is only by united effort on the part of our ratepayers and citizens generally, that we can expect to hold the high position in which the New Westminster exhibition stands today, and, in the words of Premier McBride "If you can't boost, don't knock."

In the meeting that the writer attended, in Victoria, of representatives from all the fair associations of British Columbia, and which was most representative, there being about 75 gentlemen present, the New Westminster exhibition was always referred to as the "banner exhibition of B. C.," especially from a district exhibit standpoint.

There are eight members of the board of control, and twenty city directors elected at the annual meeting every year. Mr. Lee, at his meeting last night, attacked the honesty of these gentlemen, and gave them no credit for the work they are doing, and have already accomplished, that is, the annual exhibition, held at Queen's park, this city, which is one of the greatest advertisements that the city of New Westminster has ever had, from every point of view. The exhibition has not alone helped the city, but it has helped the district, and assisted in the development of the different agricultural and horticultural portions of the province.

Yours respectfully,
W. H. KEARY,
Manager and Secretary.

T. J. TRAPP,
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NELS NELSON,
L. A. LEWIS,
C. A. WELSH,
W. R. GILLEY,
J. B. KENNEDY,
and twenty city directors.

New Westminster, January 11, 1911.

AUDITOR'S REPORT.

Editor Daily News.

Sir,—I am sorry to find that a number of the electors have not received the copies of my report through the post because the voters' list from which my son necessarily copied the addresses, only showed the name of the avenue or street, whereas I submit that the number of the residence should be shown thereon.

The post office staff returned some hundreds because the house numbers were not on the envelopes, or the electors addressed were not readily known to them. Some of these persons have since received copies, but others who have not will be supplied on calling at the collector's office, city hall.

I regret to find that notwithstanding my explicit statement through the press last evening that the finance committee especially were to blame for not earlier providing the $100,000 required before the end of the year—that statement has been distorted by this morning's "Citizen" to suggest that an undue share of the responsibility falls upon Alderman Welsh who was then but temporarily acting as chairman of that committee, and was only one of the committee of three referred to in sections 49 to 64.

There is no truth whatever in the allegation printed in this morning's Daily News to the affect that my report was issued from Mayor Lee's committee rooms. It was issued from the printers on my responsibility, being put up and stamped by my son, who was assisted by the volunteer young man whom I stopped from putting in the cards as I would not permit anything of a partizan nature to influence my work.

MOSES B. COTSWORTH,
Auditor.

New Westminster, January 12, 1911.

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COLD SNAP HURTS CITY'S WATER SUPPLY

Many Connections Broken Yesterday--Plumbers Have Busy Time.

There was a rumor all over the city yesterday that the water supply of the city had been cut off early on Friday morning and had stayed off for several hours. When seen yesterday afternoon by a News reporter Alderman Bryson, chairman of the water committee, stated that the water had not been shut off.

He volunteered the information that several of the connections in the west end had been frozen and on that account there was some trouble. The gas company had trouble for a while, but was able to keep up its supply of gas.

Asked as to how the water in the reservoirs was standing the strain, he said that the water was not overflowing, but there was sufficient on hand for all practical needs. The lowness of the water is accounted for by the fact that a great many people left their taps running at night, a practice which was not permissible under the by-law and which would have to be stopped, even is some of the users were dragged into the police court.

The cold weather yesterday gave every plumber in the city a job, as the plumbing in half of the houses in the city was frozen up or interfered with in some way by the frost.

FIRE AT SAPPERTON.

Blaze at J. N. Sipprell's Dwelling.

The insurance claim on account of the fire at James N. Sipprell's residence on Columbia street east, was quickly settled as the following letter shows:

A. W. McLeod, Esq.,
Agent Anchor Fire and Marine Insurance Company, City.

Dear Sir,—I beg to acknowledge receipt of cheque in payment of loss which occurred when my new residence was partially destroyed by fire this morning, and certainly must thank you for the prompt and satisfactory manner in which my claim was adjusted and settled.

Yours truly,
(Signed) JAMES N. SIPPRELL.

ROLLER HOCKEY.

Team of Players Leaves Today for Capital City.

The members of the roller hockey team from New Westminster leave this morning for Victoria, where they will play the Victoria team tonight. Besides the players several other roller enthusiasts will make the trip.

The following are the men who leave: Fitzgerald, Swanson, Goulet, Wright, Turnbull, Huff, Wagner Rowe, Eastman, Adams, McDonald. The team will be picked from the first eight. E. Goulet is manager of the team and Styx Cambridge will go along as mascot.

Muldoon Preparing for Lester.

Tacoma, Jan. 12.—C. Fitzgerald, manager for Pete Muldoon, who will fight Jack Lester in Tacoma next Tuesday night, is in town today arranging for training quarters for Muldoon, who will begin work here Saturday. Fitzgerald announces that he will extend 100 invitations daily to local businessmen to watch Muldoon work, so that they may have a line on his prospects of success in the coming bout.

CHEESE OUTPUT.

President Glendenning Tells Dairymen's Convention of Improvement.

Perth, Jan. 13.—The Dairymen's association of Eastern Ontario opened here today its thirty-fourth annual convention. This town has the proud distinction of having produced the largest cheese made in the history of the world, which did much at the World's Fair in Chicago to call the attention of other countries to what Canada is doing. President Glendenning, of Manilla, said that during the months of November and December a series of district dairy meetings, held in each county in eastern Ontario, were very popular. The wisdom of the Ontario government in giving free instructions to all factories and creameries was demonstrated by the instructors in the better quality of milk supplied, better factories and improved sanitary conditions in connection therewith, and more uniformity in the work of the makers. All this had resulted in the finest cheese during the past season that had ever left the shores of Canada.

"There is, unfortunately, a tendency to measure the progress of the dairy industry by the export trade," said the president. "The export trade is only about 25 per cent of our local production of milk. There is now a very large quantity of both butter and cheese going to the western provinces, whereas only a few years ago they were shipping both butter and cheese from these provinces, and they have trebled and quadrupled their output during that time. The home consumption in the east is growing very largely. Such cities as Montreal, Toronto and Hamilton alone require an enormous increase every year to satisfy their needs.

"The high price of meats caused our people to turn their attention more to butter and cheese."

To Wed Count de Lesseps.

Toronto, Jan. 12.—Sir William Mackenzie, president of the Canadian Northern railway, will sail for England on Saturday to attend the wedding of his daughter, Miss Grace Mackenzie, to Count de Lessers, the well known aviator. The wedding is fixed for January 30.

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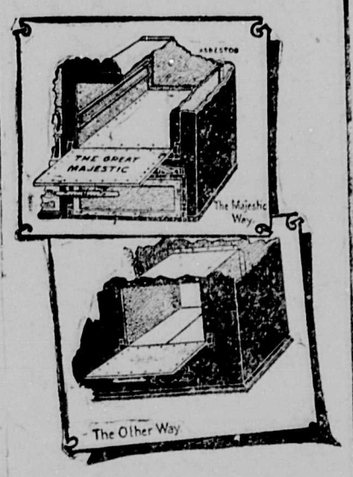

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Time of Arrival:		Time of Closing:
20:00	United States via C. P. R. (daily except Sunday)..	7:30
8:30	Vancouver via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)..	7:30
13:00	Vancouver via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)..	11:00
18:00	Vancouver via B. C. E. 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 Saturday	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
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MARKET REPORT

The local market yesterday was a small one in every respect, supplies of every commodity being short and demand almost equally so, owing to the fact that buyers were conspicuous by their absence. The weather is to blame, transportation being difficult and uncertain.

There was practically no change in prices from that registered at the last two markets. Eggs remained firm, the small shipments brought in being readily sold despite the fact that buyers were few in number.

There were practically no vegetables, fruit, or flowers exposed for sale, and meat was scarce.

Official Quotations:

Prices recorded were as under:

Beef, forequarters, per lb.	6½c to 7½c
Beef, hindquarters, per lb.	9c to 10c
Veal, per lb.	11c to 12½c
Pork, per lb.	11c to 12c
Lamb, per lb.	14c to 15c
Mutton, per lb.	12c to 14c
Fowl, per doz.	$7 to $8
Chickens, per doz.	$10 to $14
Broilers, per doz.	$5
Ducks, each	$1.50
Turkeys, live, per lb.	28c to 30c
Geese, each	$1.50
Turkeys, local dressed, per lb.	35c
Geese, local dressed, per lb.	20c to 25c
Eggs, wholesale, per doz.	45c
Eggs, retail, per doz.	50c
Butter, wholesale, per lb.	30c
Butter, retail, per lb.	35c
Apples, per box	75c to $1
Potatoes, per ton	$28 to $30

Killed by Snowslide.

Bozeman, Mont., Jan. 13.—Harold Leland was killed and several other persons had narrow escapes from death when a snowslide swept the upper Madison Basin today.

To My Supporters

I wish to heartily thank all those who voted for me in yesterday's election, and especially those who also used their influence on my behalf.

Although not elected, I none the less appreciate the support given me.

Faithfully yours,
SILAS FADER.

New Westminster, B. C., Jan. 13, '11.

New Westminster Elections

All accounts against Mr. T. J. Trapp should be forthwith sent to Mr. R. Churton, Blackie block, New Westminster.

Municipal Elections, 1911

To those ladies and gentlemen who honored me with their votes and influence on Thursday last I beg to return my most cordial thanks.

T. J. TRAPP.

Water Consumers

As it is reported that a number of citizens are allowing their water taps to run during cold nights, citizens are hereby notified and requested to refrain from doing so. If any are detected in persisting after this notice, other means will have to be used.

J. S. BRYSON,
Chairman Water Committee.

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HADDINGTON QUARRY SCANDAL IS RIGHTED

Secret Transfer of Property by Government to Dummy Company Dealt With

Victoria, Jan. 13.—The scandal in which the provincial government is involved, disclosed in the courts through the trial of the notorious quarry case, was recalled yesterday when the court of appeal, consisting of Chief Justice Macdonald, Mr. Justice Martin and Mr. Justice Galliher, granted the appeal of the plaintiffs.

By the decision the provincial government and the Haddington Quarry company will have to return the quarries at Haddington island to the plaintiffs, A. W. Huson and the children who are heirs of the estates of Henry Rudge and Samuel Gray, on payment of $1150, and will also have to give an accounting of every cubic foot of stone taken from the quarries and used in the construction of the court house, at Vancouver, erected by McDonald, Wilson and Snyder, contractors, and other buildings.

The provincial government originally held a mortgage over the quarries. This was afterwards transferred to a "dummy" company, composed of clerks in the office of Eberts & Taylor, solicitors. Prior to the transfer the government took the stone from the quarries to build the present parliament buildings under agreement with the owners, who have now won their long fight, to pay them a royalty of 5 cents per cubic foot, and the money received in royalties was repaid to the government in part payment of the mortgage until there remained only $1150 to be paid.

The Vancouver court house contract was later given to McDonald, Wilson and Snyder, who wanted to get the stone from the Haddington quarries and has tendered on the work on the Haddington quarry prices, the quarry owners making the same agreement with the contractor as that made with the provincial government for royalties.

F. J. Fulton, then commissioner of lands, was written to by one of the owners of the quarries, Huson, who asked that the government would not take up the mortgage, stating that an English syndicate was trying to grab the quarries for the sum of $3000. He asked the minister to protect the owners and not allow its valuable property to be grabbed by outsiders.

With these letters in his possession the government secretly assigned the mortgage to the "dummy" company formed of the clerks in Speaker Eberts' office. This company was styled the Haddington Island Quarry company, and the formation and transfer were rushed through without notification to the owners as required by law. The sum paid by this company was $1150.87, the amount owing by the owners to the government.

Then the company proposed to sell the quarry, under power of sale contained in the mortgage, to F. T. Walker, manager of the Royal Bank of Vancouver, who subsequently admitted he was trustee for the contractors of the Vancouver courthouse, McDonald, Wilson and Snyder. The alleged consideration for this was $3250. As in the first instance, no notice of the intended sale was given the original owners, secrecy being used throughout the whole affair.

The plaintiff, Huson, acting for himself and the heirs, knowing nothing of Speaker Eberts' clerks' company, came down from Alert Bay with the money to pay off the government mortgage. He tendered the money to the then commissioner of lands, Mr. Fulton, who told him the mortgage had been transferred.

He immediately consulted Frank Higgins, who, acting for the plaintiffs, brought action to redeem the property, alleging its value to be $25,000 at least. In February last year the case came before Mr. Justice Marrison, who decided that the attorney-general had not been made a party to the defence. The case was then taken by Mr. Higgins to the court of appeal and yesterday the appeal was allowed.

In view of the fact that the government proposes to make large additions to the parliament buildings, and will doubtless use the same stone as was used in the construction of the present building, the Haddington quarry stone, it would have been able to continue getting the stone for 5 cents per cubic foot while the mortgage held good, rather than release the mortgage and have to pay some higher and yet unknown price to any other owners into whose possession the quarries might pass.

The secrecy used by the government in disposing of the mortgage was the point on which Mr. Higgins based his case, and on this he has been upheld in the strongest possible terms by the three judges on the appeal court bench.

SCHOOL TEACHER TAKES PLACE OF GRIM WARDEN

Pittsburg, Jan. 13.—The "little red school house" is to be transplanted to the Western penitentiary here and men not permitted to work in the shop, through a recent construction of the prison labor law, will be given every opportunity to make good in a school.

Prisoners will be taught spelling, reading, writing and other branches.

Particular attention will be given foreigners who cannot speak English, of whom there are a large number. There will be a teacher for every ten pupils.

KNOWING HAIRDRESSER GUILTY LADIES' TERROR

Handsome Youth of Budapest Industriously Gathers Secrets and Then Writes Blackmailing Letters.

Vienna, Jan. 13.—Social circles in Budapest, which, not without reason, is called the "Paris of Hungary," are greatly disturbed over a disagreeable affair, the final outcome of which is still awaited with breathless trepidation. A ladies' hairdresser, named Vigyazo, has been conducting an organized campaign of blackmail against ladies of the aristocracy which appears to have been long planned.

Vigyazo, a strikingly handsome man of elegant appearance and polished manners, selected the business of a hairdresser for the sole reason that it would bring him into close connection with those circles in which he hoped to find victims. By degrees he became acquainted with the intimate secrets of his patronesses.

Thus finding himself in possession of sufficient material, he forwarded various blackmailing letters, in one declaring taht he had entire knowledge of a lady's meeting with her chauffeur, in another giving exact details of the lady's interviews with an officer of the Hussars, while other letters of the same character contained scarcely veiled threats. The price which he demanded for his silence varied from 3000 to 5000 kronen.

An energetic lady, wife of a millionaire, to whom the blackmailer had written by mistake, informed the criminal authorities, who arrested the man. It soon became known that he had communicated to the police a number of compromising stories and threatened, in case of a trial to divulge all the scandalous secrets in his possession.

Shortly after his arrest the young adventurer, who came from an excellent and once weathly family in Vienna, committed suicide in his cell, but even his tragic end has not allayed the fear of the indiscreet victims of the hairdresser. They fear that he has left compromising notes and papers, and that their secrets may yet become public property in some way.

Carrie Nation Suffers Collapse.

Eureka Springs, Ark., Jan. 13.—Mrs. Carrie Nation, the pioneer Kansas City saloon smasher, suffered a nervous collapse at her home here today. Her condition was such that she expressed the fear that her career as a temperance lecturer and an active fighter against intoxicants was ended.

CLERGY INTERESTED IN IMMIGRATION SCHEME

Catholic Colonization of the United States of America Name of Organization Taking Up New Work.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—A colonization project, one of international scope and which not only will attempt to turn the tide of immigration from the cities to the country, but in a measure to control immigration to the United States, is being pushed quietly by an oragnization of the Catholic clergy, according to a news article printed by the Tribune today. The organization is the Catholic Colonization of the United States of America and its founder and president is Rev. Julius E. Devos, pastor of St. John Berchmann's church, Chicago.

The object of the organization is three-fold. First, to search out the most available agriculture lands in the United States open to colonization and direct immigrants to these lands; second, to check undesirable immigration to the United States through co-operation with the local clergy in those foreign countries from which the great bulk of immigrants come; and third, to establish a church and a school in each of the colonies formed in order to give permanency to the community.

The first move of the society will be to send abroad "chaplains of colonization," to interest the Catholic clergy of Europe in the project. The local priests will be asked to keep these chaplains informed of families in their parishes who intend to come to the United States. If the immigrants are of the desirable class, the chaplains will endeavor to have them to come to the new agricultural colonies and stay away from the cities.

If they are classed as "undesirable" the local clergy will endeavor to dissuade them from immigrating.

ANTI-PEST ASSOCIATION FORMED IN COLORADO

Greeley, Colo., Jan. 13.—Several hundred agriculturists from all sections of the state met here last night and formed the Colorado Agricultural Anti-Pest association, the purpose of which is to further efforts to exterminate crop-destroying insects. Particular attention was paid to the grasshopper, wihch in the last three years has caused loss to farmers estimated at millions of dollars.

A bill will be introduced in the state legislature requiring ditch companies to share the work of insect extermination by carrying on the work along their rights of way.

TIMBER WOLF KILLS ELK IN FIERCE FIGHT

Hunger-Crazed Animal Wins Victory in Titanic Struggle in Heart of Olympic Mountains.

Tacoma, Jan. 13.—News of a desperate conflict in the wilds of the Olympic mountains in which a huge gray timber wolf killed a large elk was received today by Professor Moser, wrestling instructor of the Y. M. C. A., in a letter from Bill Humes, big game hunter and guide who lives on Elwha Creek in the mountains. This is one of a few authentic instances in which a timber wolf single-handed killed an elk.

Humes was making the rounds of his straps when he came across a single elk track. He followed it and soon discovered tracks of a gray timber wolf in pursuit. Two miles further on he came upon the carcass of the elk, a giant stag.

Evidences on all sides told of a great struggle. The snow was trampled down over a space of fully 100 feet square and in this arena, surrounded by snow three feet deep, the animals fought until the wolf sank its fangs in the elk's throat. On the elk's back marks showed that the wolf jumped on top of it in the first onslaught. Humes reports wolves and cougars more plentiful than ever in the Olympics. Evidences of their destruction of game is seen almost every day in the shape of carcasses and bones.

Humes believes the suggested change in game laws, as drafted by the Game Commission, particularly where the bounty on cougar has been raised from $20 to $50, is the best amendment ever proposed. He says one cougar will destroy more game during the season than 300 hunters.

ABSENT TWENTY-ONE YEARS; RETURNS HOME TO DIE

New Canaan, Conn., Jan. 13.—A mysterious stranger, who died suddenly in a local hotel a few days ago, has been identified as Francis Humphreys, a well-to-do resident of New Canaan, who disappeared from his home here twenty-one years ago, leaving his wife and four daughters.

Humphreys, who was sixty-five years old, returned with the intention of joining his family, who had heard nothing of him since his disappearance. Wearied from his journey, he stopped at the hotel to rest and soon after his arrival was seized with an attack of heart disease from which he died almost immediately. He did not live to see any members of his family. A large sum of money was found in his clothing and will be turned over to his widow.

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.
On Sundays cars leave Vancouver at 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.
D. J. Stewart, Local Manager, New Westminster.

Great Northern Railway.

Leaves New Westminster 10:28 a. m.; arrives Seattle 3:15 p. m.
Leaves New Westminster 1:02 p. m.; arrives Seattle 7:45 p. m.
Leaves New Westminster 4:28 p. m.; arrives Seattle 9:40 p. m.
Leaves New Westminster 12:16 a. m.; arrives Seattle 6:45 a. m.
Leaves Seattle 8:05 a. m.; arrives New Westminster 2:50 p. m.
Leaves Seattle 12:05 p. m., arrives New Westminster 5:55 p. m.
Leaves Seattle 4:35 p. m.; arrives New Westminster 9:25 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 except Sunday.

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

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The best **CLOTHING** and **FURNISHINGS** we have--and we have the best--will go right into this sale; nothing will be reserved.

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Note the items below and then you can form some idea of the size of our reductions:

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Just the thing for these cold days.

$6.00 Suit for	$4.50
$5.00 Suit for	$3,75
$4.00 Suit for	$3.00
$2.50 Suit for	$1.90

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Early buyers will fare the best.

$25.00 Overcoat	$18.75
$20.00 Overcoat	$15.00
$15.00 Overcoat	$11.25
$12.00 Overcoat	$9.00
$10.00 Overcoat	$7.50

Sweater Coats

These will make a hit with you.

$5.00 Sweater Coat, for	$3.75
$4.00 Sweater Coat, for	$3.00
$3.00 Sweater Coat, for	$2.25
$2.50 Sweater Coats, for	$1.90

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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.

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.

THE CANADIAN NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Pursuant to section 7 of the navigable waters protection act (R. S. Can., cap. 115), notice is hereby given that there has been deposited in the office of the minister of public works at Ottawa, and a duplicate in the office of the registrar of deeds at New Westminster, British Columbia, plans and descriptions of the site and side elevation of a proposed railway wharf to be constructed at Port Mann, British Columbia, and that one month after the first insertion of this notice, the company will apply to the Governor-in-Council for the approval thereof.

Dated at Toronto, Ontario, this twenty-eighth day of December, 1910.

R. H. M. TEMPLE,
Assistant Solicitor.

REMOVAL NOTICE.

We are moving from our present office on Columbia street to 827 Carnarvon street, where we will still continue in the same business of teaming, draying, wood and coal.

We desire to thank our friends for the liberal patronage accorded us in our old stand, and trust we will still meet them and a lot of new ones at our new place.

BELYEA & CO.

Office phones, 150 and 732.
Coal office phone 819.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Saturday, January 28, for the erection and completion of the superstructure of the Y. M. C. A. building, the basement walls of which are now built on Royal avenue near Sixth street.

Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, corner Sixth street and Clarkson street, New Westminster.

Lowest, or any tender, not necessarily accepted.

C. H. CLOW, Architect.

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.

D. McELROY
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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 15.

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, choral 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 8 p.m., at the residence of W. Emerson Gilley, Eighth street. Morning subject, "Elijah's Return"; evening, "The True Value of a Man as Against Property."

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.

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.

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 at 8 p.m.

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, "Self-made Cripples and Their Cure"; evening, "The Way Home." Miss McNeil, of Toronto, will sing in the morning.

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.

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.

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. Rev. T. Griffeths will preach in the morning, and the pastor in the evening. At the evening service the duet "Light at Eventide" will be rendered by Miss Chastey and H. Hobbins.

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, "The Divine Presence and Direction"; evening, "True Religion."

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.

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.

Correspondence

(The Daily News is not responsible for the opinions expressed by its correspondents.)

LULU ISLAND.

Editor, Daily News:

Sir—A lady friend, just returned to Portland, after having spent a few months in our city, has favored me with the enclosed clipping from a magazine for which you may find space. It appears that strangers even in remote places can see our splendid opportuntities much better than we can from our door steps.

On reading the clipping a thought occurred to me: The island is sparsely settled, and much of the land requires improvements calling for large expenditures. As these expenditures would be an unbearable burden on the few settlers, and as the ultimate benefit would reach far beyond them, it is scarcily fair to expect them to bear the burden alone. Though the benefits would be widespread New profit more by any scheme having in view the development in full of its wonderful productiveness than any other portion of the province.

Would it not, therefore, be advisable for those cities to bestir themselves so as to hasten the day when Lulu Island shall become, as the magazine writer expresses it, the "Market Basket" of those cities.

D. D. BOURKE.
New Westminster, January 13, 1911.

Here is the article referred to:

There are not many large, thickly populated cities where the fresh, green produce of the country may be plucked from the fields and appear within an hour or two on the breakfast table of the city-bound resident, with the cool, early morning dew and the fragrance of the garden still lingering upon it. Such fresh delicacies, you will say, are only for the lucky farmer himself or for the country boarder sojourning at a rural home during his brief vacation. But the city of Vancouver, B. C., will, in the near future, enjoy this very advantage and come to look upon it as quite commonplace, for this city, if you please, has its own little garden of 20,000 acres situated at its very back door.

This garden, which is Lulu Island, situated in the Delta country of the Fraser river, between the north and south forks of the great stream, is not yet developed to the ultimate as a garden. As yet it is only a big, prosperous farming community, where ranchers are producing several hundred dollars an acre from potatoes or timothy or any one of several other various and equally profitable crops. But the time is coming, and that very shortly, when every five acres of this 20,000-acre tract will support a family, and thus developed to the ultimate, will be pouring into the markets of the great city a bounty of fruits, berries, dairy and poultry products almost sufficient to feed its ever-growing population. For, like the famous Land o' Goshen at the mouth of the Nile, and many other far-famed delta lands, Lulu Island is the richest and most ideal bit of farm land in all of Western Canada. Here intensive farming will thrive and prove lucrative, even more so than it has done in other favored parts of the West, for never were conditions for the profitable cultivation of small tracts of ground so propitious as on this rich island formed by the silt deposits of the mighty Fraser.

For untold centuries the unceasing currents of the Fraser river have been gathering from the soil of the empire through which it flows, all that is rich and nutritious and best for plant life and depositing it on the delta at its estuary. As this soil, the essence of phosphorous, potash and nitrogen, and all those elements which bring vegetation to its highest standard, was gradually deposited at the mouth of the river, it rose until it forced the stream to part on either side and form the north and south forks, leaving Lulu Island, the richest of all the Delta country, nestling between its estuaries.

It is difficult, indeed, to comprehensively describe the richness of this soil without going into a long scientific dissertation, but let it suffice to say that some of it has been cultivated for twenty years, and is now more prolific in its production than ever before. We have, then, at Lulu Island that very rare and ideal combination of abnormally rich, heavy production and nearby profitable markets. The northwestern cities of the United States and Canada are the highest-priced markets in America for dairy and poultry products, small fruits and vegetables. Of all the cities, Vancouver, because of its rapidly-increasing population and the small amount of farm land in a developed state immediately surrounding it, is probably the highest-priced market, and, as has been previously stated, Lulu Island is right at Vancouver's back door.

In fact, this rich tract of land is only a few miles not only from Vancouver, but also from New Westminster and Steveston. It has all the advantages of the city, with none of its disadvantages. There are seven miles of electric carlines on the island, and another line is expected shortly which will make direct connections with New Westminster. Thus, the suburbanite living on Lulu Island may step aboard an electric car and within a comparatively short time be on the paved streets of the metropolis of British Columbia or in one of the other cities. His produce may be shipped in the same manner, so that vegetables or fruit picked from his ranch early in the morning arrives in the city in time to be placed upon the breakfast tables of the consumers. Or, if the rancher prefers the cheaper water transportation a large part of the ranches border on one or the other arm of the Fraser, and quick communication with the city may be had by means of gasoline launches or steamers. The farmers have their own telephone system, giving them direct communication with any other part of the island or with the markets of the city. The ranches are able to obtain electric light from the trolley lines on the island, and many of the farmers living near these mains are also able to have cheap power for use in running their fodder mills, churns and other machinery. Thus, the suburbanite of Lulu Island has all of the health and profit of country life and yet all the comforts and conveniences of the city.

As for the climate, the advantages of living close to the waters of Puget Sound and the Gulf of Georgia are too well known to need much explanation, with no snow in the winter, no extreme heat and cold, the climate is one of the most ideal in the world, and is in direct contrast to the farming country on the other side of the mountains. The grass is green and luscious the year around, and live-stock grazes from September to June with the same comfort and the same rich foraging as is enjoyed in the summer months. No cover or shelter is necessary, and stock has been marketed in January or February in as good condition as after long months of grazing in the lush summer fields. With ideal climatic conditions, rich soil, profitable markets and all the conveniences of modern life, Lulu Island is indeed an Elysian Field for the prospective settler who wishes to enjoy country life and will not be far removed from the city.

The commission merchants of Vancouver estimate that they import from the east and from California annually over 21,000 dozen of eggs, or more than 150 carloads. There is 120,000 to 150,000 pounds of poultry shipped from east of the Rockies, and the butter produced by local dairymen is only a drop in the bucket as compared with the actual needs of the city. Potatoes, small fruits, vegetables and all the variety of farm products that are needed to feed a great city are imported by the carload from eastern sections, because the local farmers are not able to supply the demand. And yet Vancouver has at her very back door a garden tract of 20,000 acres, capable of producing annually, under intensive cultivation, over $4,000,000 worth of every kind of farm produce, which the city needs—almost enough, if not enough to feed her 125,000 people. The development of this back-door garden means better and cheaper food supplies for the people of Vancouver. The supplying of these products means prosperity and the development of a wonderful community for Lulu Island. What Vancouver needs and what Lulu Island needs is 4000 ranchers and their families, one family for every five acres on the island, and since these ranchers will profit in an equal if not greater proportion individually than will these communities themselves, it is considered extremely probable that the ranchers will be found. Then Lulu Island will become one of the greatest and most productive truck gardens in the world, and Vancouver will be able to enjoy dew-laden produce fresh from the early morning fields as a steady diet.

MAN WITH IMMENSE IDEAS IS STAGGERING MONTREAL

Name of Individual With Big Sshemes Suggests Visionary Who Was in Westminster.

About three or four years ago a Tacoma man named A. P. Gillies came to this city with a visionary scheme for the building of a big hotel and departmental store over the market square, his plan, stripped of technicalities, being to erect a building on stilts. Incidental to the building, he was to start a brickyard at Sapperton. The amount of money Gillies was to spend in Westminster ran into the hundreds of thousands of dollars.

That was about four years ago. Gillies' dream is still a dream.

Just now a man named A. P. Gillies is startling Montreal with big ideas. It may not be the same Gillies, but it probably is. Here is a despatch which tells the tale:

Tacoma, Jan. 12.—A. P. Gillies is causing somewhat of a stir in Canada by his exploitation of terminal projects, power, canals, etc., in Toronto and Montreal. For the purpose of ascertaining something about the man and his standing, H. Capwell, of Montreal, wired Mayor Fawcett yesterday.

The mayor, rather perplexed, asked the advice of some members of a committee of business men who have been investigating Gillies' projects and finally wired Mr. Capwell that while Gillies has little or no commercial standing the schemes projected by him for Tacoma are considered sufficiently sound to interest representatives of New York capitalists and engineers of national reputation and will receive the active co-operation of Tacoma men.

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SEE OUR WINDOW

CITY NEWS

John Oliver, reeve of Delta, was a guest at the Windsor hotel last night.

The election is over. Next thing of importance is the big masquerade at the Pythian rink, Monday and Tuesday. **

Conductor Clark, of the B. C. E. R. Chilliwack train, had the misfortune yesterday to fracture his thumb. He will be able to attend to his duties as usual.

Modern home on Twelfth street; large lawn, fine view, $4000; terms to be arranged. See White, Shiles & Co. **

The interruption to C. P. R. traffic, caused by snow blockades, still continues. No mails from the east have been received since Monday.

Monday and Tuesday are the big days next week. Masquerade at the Pythian roller rink. Big prizes. **

George Attrill, of Melfort, Sask., is a visitor in the city.

H. Fisher, of Port Hammond, was in the city yesterday on business.

Full 66-ffot lot on Fourth avenue, near Second street, comfortable 7-room house with full cement basement, only $3000, easy terms; only small cash payment. White, Shiles & Co. **

Judge W. Norman Bole, K.C., has been seriously ill for the past ten days.

Prizes worth while will be given for the best costumes at the masquerade at the Pythian roller rink on Monday and Tuesday. **

The girls of the Hockey club of the Royal City High school entertained their friends at a concert and informal dance at St. Barnabas hall yesterday evening. About fifty were present.

For Delta acreage, large and small, priced right, see Reid, Curtis & Dorgan, 706 Columbia street. **

In St. Paul's Reformed Episcopal church on Sunday night, Mr. Gillespie, the well known local singer, will render a solo.

Good house on three corner lots, on car line, all in orchard; $4400, on terms to be arranged. See White, Shiles & Co. **

The Educational club will be at home to the ladies of Westminster at Columbian college on Tuesday, from 2 p.m. The visitors will be taken on a trip of inspection over the building.

Miss McNeill, of Toronto, will sing at the morning service at Olivet Baptist church tomorrow.

Davies Green Houses is the place to get bouquets, floral designs, and all kinds of cut flowers. Phone R 208 **

The Local Option league convention will be held in Vancouver on February 16 and 17, when the work of the past year will be reviewed.

There will be no football matches in the city today.

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

The funeral of Wells Murchie will take place this afternoon at two o'clock from his parents' residence, 509 Agnes street.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Columbian hospital will be held on Monday afternoon at three o'clock in the board of trade room at the city hall.

A meeting called by J. W. Weart, candidate for the Burnaby reeveship, in Cunningham hall last evening, with the idea of educating Burnaby electors living in New Westminster, was called off on account of the fact that there was no local attendance.

A vagrant who appeared at the police court yesterday morning asked the magistrate to send him to jail for a month, as he could not find work and must eat. His request was granted. Chief Bradshaw states that a large number of unemployed are coming over from Seattle these days, many of whom are lodged over night in the lockup.

IS 96 YEARS OLD AND STILL ON ACTIVE LIST

Vancouver, Wash., Jan. 13.—Although he is ninety-six years old and fought in the civil war with one of his sons, Michael Damphoffer, a resident of Vancouver, attended court last week in a suit he had brought against the city to enjoin the opening of a street through his property.

Mr. Damphoffer has owned and lived on the property since 1860. There were two blocks and there was no street between them. He had the street fenced for all of these years, and claimed the land.

Although nearly a century old Mr. Damphoffer is strong and active. Last Decoration day he walked and marched in line six miles in one day.

Offered in Berlin.

Berlin, Jan. 12.—Seven million dollars of the 5 per cent bond issue of the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad will be offered for public subscription in this city by Frankford, Hamburg and other German financial centers and Lazard-Speyer-Elissen, of Frankford. The issue price in Germany is 88.

AFRICAN TRINKET SHIP.

Will Visit Over 100 Ports and Barter With Natives.

New York, Jan. 13.—Not since the abolition of the African slave traffic has a ship been despatched from New York with a general cargo for the purpose of bartering with the natives of the dark continent until today. Sailing this morning, the Carl Wormann, of the Hamburg-American line will steam for West African ports on the first of a series of voyages in which American and German products will be exchanged for products of the coast.

More than 100 ports scattered along the west coast of Africa will be visited by the "trinket ship." Practically none of these ports has any regular medium of exchange. The vessel will put off knives, mirrors, beads, soap, paints, pipes, perfumery and other articles from the heart of Broadway, receiving in return ivory, ebony, nuts, gum, ginger, palm kernals and oil.

The skipper is familiar with the vanities of the tribe leaders. Sweaters and silk hats have a place in this cargo as have also phonographs and gavanic batteries to tickle the feet of the most solemn and dignified citizens. The trip of the Wormann will take three months.

The Public Supply Stores

Now the Xmas and New Year holidays are over we have quite a large stock of Goods which we are cleaning out cheap.

Quotations will follow in a few days. Watch the paper.

However, it would not be a bad idea for our customers to take advantage before the rush commences.

Geo. Adams

Phone 92

A Further List of Bargains

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Alteration Sale

Every day we add to the list of special lots on sale in the various departments. On each and every article is placed a price, which we believe will speedily effect the clearance desired. All the over stock and odd lines must be cleared out. Winter stocks cannot be carried over. Our alteration sale means bargains for the next few weeks.

Hundreds are availing themselves of our low prices on House Furnishings

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Hemstitched Pillow Slips, 35c. pr.

Regular 50c per pair. Ten dozen only, hemstitched pillow slips, 40, 42, and 44-inch sizes, made of good grade English cotton; splendid value at 50c per pair. Sale price, per pair, 35c.

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Unbleachable Table Damask, 30c per yard

Fifty-four inch unbleached Linen, splendid qualities, suitable for every day use. Regular 35 and 40c values. All ends to clear. Sale price, per pair, 30c.

Tweed Coats, a wide range on sale at $12.50 each.

Values up to $20. The order has been given to clear out our entire range of coats at greater reductions than first offered. Our new price, $12.50, will appeal to dozens who need a new coat at once. This special lot is made up of tweed and plain cloth coats, with loose or semi-fitting backs, or filled styles or belted backs. All sizes up to 42. The entire lot, to clear, each, $12.50.

A few coats left at 5.75 each

This line has proven one of the most popular in the ready-to-wear section. We have but a few left; in sizes suitable for misses or women. Each, $5.75.

Women's Costumes, (A dozen odd sizes.) $15.00 per suit

Regular values up to $29.50. Probably only one of a style and size in diagonal, cheviot, serge, chevron, plain cloth and striped panama, mostly colored, all sizes in the lot; a price such as here mentioned cannot fail to interest the person in search of a new suit. We clear these odd costumes at $15 each.

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