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TO LIMIT TERM OF PRESIDENT

Favorable Report Expected From Committee--Six Years Only.

Treaty of Great Britain, United States, Japan and Russia to Protect Seals Considered.

Washington, May 12.—The proposed act to give effect to the treaty between the United States, Great Britain, Japan and Russia, for the protection of the fur seals and sea otter in the North Pacific ocean will be brought up in the senate tomorrow by Senator Lodge. The house has passed the bill to make it operative, the senate foreign relations committee agreeing to it in modified form.

The senate judiciary committee may favorably report on the proposal to limit the tenure of offices of the president of the United States. The sub-committee studying the question expects to submit its conclusion. The advocates of a single term, probably six years, confidently express the belief that the measure will be reported out and pass the senate.

It would not affect the presidential campaign, for it would mean the submission to the state legislatures of a proposed amendment to the constitution.

Under the Works' resolution, pending before the committee, the president and vice-president would hold office for six years, with ineligibility to a second term. The committee also is considering a project for advancing the date of the presidential inauguration to a date soon after election.

LUMBER COMPANY DEVELOPS LIMITS

Has Acquired 53,000 Acres in Cowichan District—Price Ellison Offers Prize.

Victoria, May 12.—The Empire Lumber company, an American company with a capital of seven and a half millions, is making arrangements to develop its timber properties on Vancouver island. The company has acquired 53,000 acres in the Cowichan district, and machinery for its operations has already been ordered in the east.

C. C. Fount, vice-president, and U. S. Morris, a heavy investor, are here to perfect the plans of the president of the company, E. B. Kuntz, head of the American Finance and Securities company, which has underwritten its securities.

Hon. Price Ellison offers a trophy to be competed for at the fall fairs this year by exhibitors of purebred cattle. The department of agriculture has decided to introduce a system of judging such cattle, 50 per cent to be awarded for conformation, 25 per. cent. for records of ancestors and 25 per cent. for records of progeny, five points being allowed each daughter qualified in the Canadian record of performances.

HOW TO PRAY.

Rev. H. Wilson, Pasadena, Preached at Cathedral.

Rev. H. Wilson, of Pasadena, was the preacher at the cathedral last evening. Prayer, and how we should pray, was the burden of his remarks, based upon second chapter St. Luke, "Lord, teach us to pray—when ye pray say Our Father."

Man's ability to pray divided him from the animal creation. In spite of the wandering which afflicted so many who tried to pray there was hope for them by the fact that they did know that they wandered. To kneel was to place one's body in a position of humility and was conducive to one's soul humbling itself before God.

One should pray about the things one thinks most about. What we cannot pray about, is against God. Rev. Mr. Wilson concluded with an allusion to the most efficacious form of prayer in the Sacrament.

May Lose $291,000.

Boston, May 12.—F. Augustus Heinze, of New York and Butte Mont., may lose $291,000 under a master's finding that Almond F. Adams, a money broker, now in state prison, lent him $300,000 with fraudulent intent to obtain $596,710 of collateral and that Adams sold the collateral to innocent third parties.

The report was filed today in the supreme court by F. Rockwood Hall and is subject to confirmation.

The finding is in favor of all brokers who handled the collateral except Heinze and Adams.

Lady Tupper Dies.

London, May 12—Lady Tupper, wife of Sir Charles Tupper, died this morning.

PHOEBUS CREATED RECORD YESTERDAY

Thermometer 85 Degrees in the Shade—Great Demand on Ice Cream.

To invoke the aid of the poets yesterday "bright Phoebus" was indeed "in his strength." "Gee, it's warm," said one of a bunch of a dozen dusty motorcyclists as he did a fancy stunt down the smooth slope of Columbia street. He had been trying the bumpety road out over the bridge and had given it up.

In the grass under the trees everywhere men stretched themselves and slept, or smoked and talked. The ice cream stores did a roaring trade, the aesthete crept to his cold water tub, and—it is rumored—the waters of Coquitlam lake dropped two feet.

Up at the meteorological office Mr. Wilson attended to his instruments with exceptional interest. The maximum temperature recorded was 85 degrees in the shade, minimum 47 degrees, a mean temperature of 66 degrees for the whole day.

This is the highest maximum temperature registered since early last summer and the highest that has been registered at this time in the month for many years, although it is not so unusual a temperature for the end of the month.

"Coats off" is the order from now on.

PATENT MEDICINE SUSPECTED AS CAUSE OF DEATH

The inquest over the body of Carl Stevan, who dropped dead on the Pole Line road, Burnaby, a week ago last Saturday, was again adjourned pending an investigation by the Burnaby police as to whether they can take criminal action against a firm manufacturing patent medicine. Dr. Wilson gave evidence on Friday afternoon that in his belief deceased came to his death not entirely through an organic heart decease, but from taking some medicine which is advertised as a heart disease cure. Stevan, it is known, visited a Vancouver physician a few weeks ago for treatment, but later sent for the suspected prescription.

Chief of Police Parkinson was in Vancouver yesterday and it is surmised he was making inquiries as to whether the municipality have any power to take legal action against the American concern on a criminal charge.

DECORATED AUTO AWARD.

Miss Lavery Receives First Prize—Mr. Guttridge Second.

It is a matter of much gratification to the May Day committee that so many of the citizens who own automobiles responded to the invitation to turn out and take part in the parade on May Day. Nearly all of those there represented were decorated for the occasion, and the publicity committee which was appointed to adjudicate thereon, had a very strenuous time in settling the matter.

The cup was, however, finally awarded to Miss Lavery's charmingly decorated car. Second and third places were allotted to Mr. W. Guttridge and Mr. W. Gifford, respectively.

The presence of some ultra-smart individual driving a car proclaiming the merits of someone's tyres was the only feature to attract adverse comments in an event which was purely designed for the pleasure of the children.

SUMMER WEATHER LOADS B. C. E. R. INTERURBAN CARS

The summer weather yesterday attracted a large crowd to the Fraser valley, unusually heavy traffic being handled on the B. C. E. R. Some fair baskets were reported by the piscatorial enthusiasts, although the recent warm weather has caused the snow on the mountains to melt, making the waters too muddy for any record catches. A series of mishaps befell several of the electric cars in operation, no less than four of the interurban and one of the city lines complaining of internal trouble which necessitated their being removed to the car barns for repairs. Traffic on the Burnaby Lake and Eburne lines became so heavy at times that the company was forced to place the multiple-unit trains on the run, this being about the first time of the two car trains being used on these rapidly growing branches of the system.

HOSPITAL FOR BLUES.

Boston to Treat Those Whose Brains Are Out of Gear.

Cambridge, Mass., May 12.—Boston is to have a hospital for "the blues," the first of the kind in the world. The hospital for "the blues" will be a branch of the Boston State Hospital and will be conducted on the theory that all insanity cases are simply forms of physical sickness which can be alleviated with proper treatment.

To that end, the place will be a sort of clearing house for those whose brains have gone out of gear.

There will be an out-patient department, to deal with incipient insanity, and it is expected that this will afford striking opportunities for relief of mildly insane persons without subjecting them to the stigma of insanity.

REBELS LOSE IN FIERCE FIGHT

Five Hundred Killed and Wounded--Federals in Pursuit.

Insurrectos Admit Retreat After Twelve Hours Hot Fighting—Ten Cannon Abandoned.

At federal front, Conejos, Mexico, May 12.—Twelve hours of brisk fighting on the desert plains 300 miles south of the American border, between a force of five thousand rebels under General Orozco and an equally strong body of federals under General Huerta, resulted today in a decided advantage to the government.

The fighting was begun at daybreak and at nightfall the sandy mesas between here and Yermo, 14 miles north, where the insurrectos were gradually forced back, were covered with dead and wounded. Nearly five hundred are believed to have been killed and wounded on both sides. A courier brought the information that General Trucy Aubert, the dashing federal commander, had been shot in the leg.

The rebels abandoned ten cannon and much ammunition in their retreat. General Joaquin Tellez, who had been stationed in the rear of Huerta's vanguard, at noon was sent around to the eastward to flank the rebels and cut off their retreat. Tonight federal headquarters assert the rebels are completely surrounded and that the second day of fighting will prove equally decisive.

This town, only yesterday occupied by the vanguard of the rebels, was riddled with bullets when the federals galloped into it at sunset. Over the foothills to the north the insurrectos could be seen retreating.

General Huerta has been receiving many telegrams of congratulation on the outcome of the day's fighting. Should the advantage gained today be followed up by equal success tomorrow, the federal leaders are confident it will mean the annihilation of the insurrecto army. General Huerta considers it probable, however, that the rebels will make their last stand at Escalon, their central base, 14 miles to the north, where they have built fortifications and trenches in the last fortnight.

Rebels Admit Defeat.

Juarez, Mexico, May 12.—Rebel leaders here concede that General Orozco evacuated Conejas today to the federals. Details of the fighting have not reached here. It is admitted that many are killed.

FIRST STEP FOR DIOCESE SYSTEM

Result of Report of Committee of General Conference of Methodist Episcopal Church.

Minneapolis, Minn., May 12.—What is considered by many Methodists the first step toward a diocesan system in the church is embodied in the first report of the committee of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

The report which probably will be presented tomorrow divides, it is said, the bishops of the church group and the conferences of the church into four zones a charge of the conference who have official residences in those four fiones a charge of the conference therein continuously quadrienium.

According to the report the resident bishop shall have charge of all conferences contiguous to his residence except when a bishop comes to preside at an annual conference, when the latter will have charge of the conference for one month before and one month after the session, when the conference automatically reverts to the resident bishop.

The committee on temporal economy probably will recommend the establishment of a commission, consisting of four bishops, three ministers and eight laymen, to handle all funds ordinarily turned into the boards. The commissions also will arrange the apportionment and will have in charge the division to the church boards when collected.

LOCAL MANAGER TAKES POSITION WITH COMPANY

Mr. D. Roy Donley, formerly local manager of the Bank of Vancouver, is in Seattle on a business trip in connection with a large financial company just organizing to start business in British Columbia, with headquarters in Vancouver, of which concern Mr. Donley has accepted the Vancouver management. Mr. Donley, who has been manager for the Bank of Vancouver here since the branch was opened, will take a two months vacation before actively entering upon his new duties.

BISHOP RETURNS FROM JOURNEY

Reaches Home After Visiting Eastern Provinces and Kootenay.

Great Progress Everywhere—Committee in Toronto—Revision of Prayer Book.

After an extended tour of Eastern Canada and the Kootenays, his lordship the Bishop of New Westminster reached home at 6 o'clock last night, in time to take part in the evening service at the cathedral.

The bishop left here on Easter Monday, April 8, and spent the following Sunday at Cobalt and Haileybury, visiting his sister, and paying calls on many old friends. Development has gone ahead very fast in that part of Northern Ontario, and one may now ride on the electric car between the two cities named. Haileybury, on the shores of Lake Temiskaming, is more than ever a resort from the bustle of the mines of the sister city.

The next night found his lordship in Toronto, where he attended a meeting of the sub-committee which has in charge the revision of the Prayer Book, and which took place that evening in St. James' cathedral school house. Several committees are at work on this matter, and will be doing so for the next three years, drafting a revision in readiness for the general synod of the church which will be held at Vancouver in 1914.

Bishop of Japan.

During the same week the bishop was present at two other important committee meetings relative to the general synod, namely the Sunday school commission in the synod hall and, on the Thursday, the meeting of the Missionary Society of the Canadian Church, when Rev. Heber Hamilton was elected bishop of the church in Japan. He will have charge of all the work of the M. S. C. C. in that country.

On Sunday, April 21, the bishop took part in the campaign in Ottawa city on behalf of the Diocesan Missionary society, preaching at St. John's in the morning, and St. Luke's at night. A week later saw him hurtling out west again, and stopping off at Brandon his lordship had the pleasure of preaching once more in his old parish church of St. Matthew in the morning, visiting the two mission churches of St. George and St. Mary in the afternoon and evening, both of which churches he built himself.

He arrived in Nelson on Wednesday, the last day of April, and attended a meeting of the executive committee of the diocese of Kootenay, and on the following day preached at the opening of the annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of that diocese. This event was a most successful one, both in point of attendance and in the business accomplished.

Leaving Nelson last Friday week, the bishop visited in the order named, Phoenix, Grand Forks, Rossland and Trail, holding confirmation services. The journey up the Arrow lakes swallowed up the following Monday and Tuesday and his lordship then toured through Mara, Enderby, Armstrong and Vernon, meeting the church committee at the latter place, and consulting with that body as to a successor for the Rev. C. A. Seager, who is resigning that parish in order to accept the principalship of Mt. Mark's Hall, Vancouver.

On Saturday morning last the bishop left Vernon, and arriving at Mission City yesterday morning, held a confirmation service there, and also officiated at the service of the benediction of the new bell. This was quite an unusual and picturesque event, the blessing of the bell in the church tower.

Church's Growth.

"In every parish," said his lordship," the work of the church is most encouraging, the number of parishioners has increased immensely owing to the rapid immigration, and church committees and incumbents alike are energetically trying to cope with the fresh demands made upon them. The parish of Vernon has made wonderful strides in a year, having increased the stipend of its clergyman by $600, as well as making provision for a curate. This is now the largest parish in the diocese of Kootenay and the people of the town generally regret exceedingly the coming departure of Mr. Seager."

Bishop for Kootenays.

The bishop added that he expected that this would be the last season that he would have to take the general confirmations in the diocese of Kootenay, as he expected that there would be a new bishop appointed early next year for that diocese. With help promised from England the necessary funds would be forthcoming around January 1 next.

His lordship was looking forward to a busy time during the next week or two, as preparations have to be made for the synod which meets in Vancouver during the first week in June.

He expected the arrival in the city immediately of the new incumbent of St. Mary's, Sapperton, in the person of Rev. Frank Plaskett, who comes from the diocese of Quebec and is a graduate of Lennoxville.

PINKERTON VISITS SCENE OF CRIME

Famous Detective Talks with Chief of Police—Two More Men to Be Arrested.

Mr. William A. Pinkerton, head of the famous detective agency, visited Westminster on Saturday afternoon and had a long chat with Chief Bradshaw, the two going round the city together in an automobile. Mr. Pinkerton has come west on his annual tour of inspection.

The detective is a smallish man with little bullet head and a lively talker. He was very enthusiastic about the Bank of Montreal robbery case and was convinced that Dean and McNamara would be extradited. He was also confident that the two other robbers whom he believes implicated in the crime will shortly be brought to justice. "The getting of the men is only a matter of detail. We know them well," he said. Dean will be extradited on the charge of robbing the bank and McNamara on the charge of stealing Mr. Trapp's automobile.

Mr. Pinkerton told the chief all of what he had told the newspapers in Vancouver. "The money that was taken from the bank, to our minds, is almost intact and it is probably somewhere in this vicinity," he said.

He stated that only ten men on the continent were capable of pulling off the job; it was not the work of ordinary yeggmen. These sufficiently experts were narrowed down to five with the result that McNamara and Dean are now in custody.

The characters of the two men now in the toils were graphically described by the detective. McNamara is of a very smooth gentlemanly address, while Dean is the man who does the work, an expert mechanic, and a surly one at that. Mr. Pinkerton denied the report that either of the men had confessed.

Before leaving Westminster the detective expressed a hope that he would meet the chief again at the International Association of Chiefs' meeting in Toronto to be held shortly.

I. W. W. WILL RENEW FREE SPEECH FIGHT

Five Hundred Start for San Diego—Police Arrest Would-be Grand Marshal.

Los Angeles, May 12.—Approximately 500 Industrial Workers of the World will leave Los Angeles for San Diego to renew the "free speech" fight at the conclusion of the demonstration tomorrow morning in connection with the burial of Joseph Mikolasek, who died of wounds received in a battle with San Diego police.

This was the announcement made today at a meeting of Industrial Workers of the World at which arrangements were made for the funeral of Mikolasek. The funeral parade will pass through the principal business streets of the city. A police permit has been issued and no trouble during the parade is expected. A force of 150 police reserves will be kept at the central station, however, in the event of possible disorders when the paraders return from the crematory.

Louis Feyer, of San Diego, who was said to have been selected as grand marshal of the parade, was arrested early tonight on a charge of horse stealing. It is alleged that he stole the horse with which he made the trip from San Diego to Los Angeles.

SOCIALIST'S CITIZENSHIP PAPERS CANCELLED

Seattle, May 12.—U. S. District Judge Cornelius H. Hanford, has ordered the cancellation of the citizenship papers of Leonard Oleson, a Socialist agitator, on the ground that he committed a fraud when he swore that he was attached to the principles of the constitution of the United States. This is said to be the first case on record where a man has been deprived of citizenship because of alleged seditious utterances.

CIVILIAN RIFLE SHOOT.

Some Fine Scores Made—Much Practise Going on.

The members of the Civilians' Rifle association are getting in a lot of practice these fine days, preparatory to their clash with the Regimental association which is scheduled for May 24. W. J. Sloan won the spoon at the weekly shoot on Saturday afternoon with a fine score of 97, making a possible on the 500 yards range.

The shooting on the whole was of a good standard, the average score per shot per man being 4.1. The following are the scores:

	200	500	600	Ttl
W. J. Sloan	32	35	30	97
George Burr	33	32	27	92
W. A. Robertson	30	30	31	91
H. Lindahl	31	31	28	90
E. W. Dewhurst	29	32	26	87
J. C. Chamberlin	28	30	27	85
A. F. Menzies	24	28	28	80
V. D. C. Abbott	28	29	22	79
D. Lightbody	23	30	22	75

U. S. A. FARMERS RUSH TO CANADA

Immigration Records for Manitoba Break All Records.

Lake Shipping Enjoys Great Activity—All Boats Chartered—Business for Whole Season.

Winnipeg, May 12.—Immigration from the U. S. A. into the prairies is creating records again this year. American farmers are pouring over the boundary and are bringing their horses, cattles and goods with them in great quantities. The figures for the immigration via Manitoba ports of entry during April are 3380 souls. With them there came 3213 horses, 617 cattle, and 585 carloads of effects, a total value of $692,371.

During the same month last year not half this number of immigrants entered, but they brought with them a somewhat larger percentage of goods per capita. The immigrants numbered 1479 and the value of their possessions amounted to the big figure of $452,930.

Extraordinary activity prevails in the lake shipping trade. All boats are chartered either for the wheat or ore carrying trade. There is plenty of business in sight for the whole season which will be one of the busiest on record.

MANCHURIAN CITY LOOTED BY TROOPS

Officials in Chaoyang Hard Pressed—United States and German Financiers Disagree.

London, May 12.—Troops in the vicinity of Chaoyang, Manchuria, mutinied today and are engaged in looting.

A news agency dispatch from Tien Tsin says the officials in Chaoyang are hard pressed.

In consequence of a disagreement on the subject of the loan to China, the financiers representing the United States and Germany contemplate independent action, says the same dispatch.

RAILWAY SYSTEM PART OF SEATTLE PORT SCHEME

Seattle, May 12.—Announcement that the port commission intends to establish and operate a terminal railway system on the harbor front was contained in a tentative answer framed by Gen. H. M. Chittenden, chairman, to the list of nine questions sent in by Charles Fenn and C. P. Spooner, local representatives of the Pacific erminal Company.

The information is in reply to the last of the questions as to whether the port commission would aid the Harbor Island terminal concern in securing franchises for its terminal railways.

The answer framed by Gen. Chittenden was in substance that the commission would do all in its power to aid the company in securing proper terminal facilities, but with the understanding that the port commission intends establishing a system of terminal railways itself, or, at least, to control and operate the main service tracks to the docks.

Confer With Members of Chamber.

The answer as framed by Gen. Chittenden were considered at a meeting of the commission, participated in by President J. D. Lowman, of the New Seattle Chamber of Commerce, and Judge Thomas Burke. The latter two were instrumental in opening negotiations with the Pacific Terminal Company, which proposes to erect a terminal plant on Harbor Island similar to the Bush terminals in New York, including manufacturing establishments, piers, warehouses and sidetracks.

At the end of the conference Mr. Lowman and Judge Burke told the commissioners that the tentative answers with reference to the questions of deferred rentals and leases on the piers and docks probably would result in finally ending the possibility of leasing to the Pacific Terminal Company. They urged that either a direct answer in the negative be given or that the commissioners frame a reply that would leave a possibility for further negotiations.

Commissioners Chittenden and Remsberg promised to consider the matter, and the final draft of questions will be framed and passed upon at a special meeting at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

Hincks Golf Champion of Northwest.

Victoria, May 12.—By defeating Mr. J. F. Arbuckle yesterday in the final round of the Pacific Northwest championship, Mr. J. N. Hincks, of Victoria, became the golf champion of the Northwest, winning the gold medal given by the Pacific Northwest Golf association, and also the cup presented by his honor Lieutenant Governor Paterson.

Classified Advertising

RATES.

One cent per word for day.
Four cents per word per week.
No advertisement accepted for less than 25c.
Birth, death and marriage notices 50c per insertion.

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED — BOOKKEEPER, THOROughly experienced, wants position. Highest references. Address Box 69, News office.

WANTED — BOYS TO LEARN plumbing, steamfitting or tinsmithing. Apply James & McClughan.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED STENOgrapher. Apply between 12 and 1 o'clock to the B. C. Brass Co., Ltd., room 3 Smith block.

WANTED—WOMAN WANTS WORK by day. Apply Box 72, News office.

WANTED—BY LADY ROOM AND board in private family not far from center of city. Apply P. O. Box 861.

WANTED—8 OR 10 CARPENTERS, $4.25 for eight hours. Call at 716 Fifth street.

WANTED—CARPENTERS AT ONCE, union scale. Call at Hub Cigar Store.

WANTED—ROOMERS AND BOARDers. 36 Hastings street.

WANTED TO BUY—ONE OR TWO lots in Buena Vista. State price on terms and for cash. Reply Box 71, this office.

WANTED—TWO GENTLEMEN FOR board and room; also table boarders without room. 814 Third avenue.

WANTED—DRESSMAKING BY THE day. 309 Keary street.

WANTED—AN OFFICE BOY IMMEdiately. Apply Diamond and Corbould, room 1, Lavery block.

YOUNG MAN (GOOD EDUCATION) requires work in city; any kind. Box 73 News.

WANTED — A ROOM WITH THE privilege of practising on the piano one hour evenings, by plain workingman. Please state terms. Address Box 77, Daily News office.

WANTED — A WAITRESS. APPLY Bohemian cafe, opposite C. P. R depot.

LOYAL ORDER OF MOOSE NO. 854, meets in Eagle's Hall, Columbia street, second and fourth Wednesdays, at eight o'clock. Visiting P. A. P. S. welcome. F. C. Cook, Dictator; J. J. Randolph, Vice-Dictator; H. L. Christie, Secretary.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—CHEAP, IN GOOD ORder, a four burner gas plate, with oven complete. Apply 210 Agnes street, city.

FOR SALE—STEEL MALLEABLE ranges on easy terms; $1.00 down, $1.00 per week. Canada Range Co., Market Square.

SCHOOL DESKS.

Tenders wanted for supplying school desks (single) in carload lots, a sample desk must be left at the Secretary's office.

Also tenders for teachers' sanitary desks, sample or cut to be left at Secretary's office.

Tenders to be at the office by noon of Wednesday, May 15th.

L. AVORY WHITE,
Secretary Board of School Trustees.
New Westminster, B. C., May 2, 1912.

CORPORATION OF BURNABY.

Engineering Department.
Notice to Clearing Contractors.

Tenders endorsed "Clearing" will be received by the undersigned not later than 5 p. m. Monday, May 13th., for clearing and grubbing the Easterly 33 feet of Boundary Road, from Barnet Road to the Great Northern right-of-way, approximately 106 chains.

Specifications and particulars may be had at Engineer's Office, Edmonds B. C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied.

The Council will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

W. GRIFFITHS,
Comptroller.

Edmonds, May 3, 1912.

OWNER will consider Highest Cash Offer for the following property in bulk:

Subdivisions 89 and 90, Lot 3, Suburban Block 14.

Act Quickly. Address:

BOX 190, DAILY NEWS OFFICE

TO RENT.

TO RENT—TWO SUITES OF FURNished housekeeping rooms on the corner of Agnes and Dufferin. Telephone L 638.

TO RENT — FURNISHED APARTments in Queens Court. Apply S. Fader.

FOR RENT—OFFICES ON SIXTH street, opposite Dominion Trust block. Apply H. P. Vidal & Co.

TO LET—THREE NICE LIGHT housekeeping rooms. $12 monthly. Adults only. 225 Eleventh street.

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms at 224 Seventh Street.

FOR RENT—LARGE FRONT ROOM suitable for two gentlemen or light housekeeping. Apply 213 Seventh street.

BOARD AND ROOM FOR TWO gentlemen; every convenience. Phone 1129.

LOST.

LOST — A POMERANIAN PUPPY about two months old, white. Reward offered to anyone bringing same to 316 Third street.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

West End Sewer.

House connections can now be made to the main sewers on the following streets:

(1) Fourteenth Street from Fourth to Sixth Avenue.
(2) Kamloops Street.
(3) Cariboo Street.
(4) Fifth Avenue between Thirteenth and Fourteenth Streets.
(5) Holland Street.
(6) Sixth Avenue between Thirteenth and Fourteenth Streets.
(7) Third Avenue from River to Tenth Street.
(8) Eleventh Street from Third to Sixth Avenues.
(9) Cornwall Street.
(10) Fifth Avenue from Tenth to Eleventh Streets.
(11) Maple Street.
(12) Sixth Avenue from Maple to Tenth Streets.
(13) Twelfth Street from Third to Fourth Streets.

Permits may be obtained from the office of the City Engineer.

J. W. B. BLACKMAN,
City Engineer.

May 6th, 1912.

TENDERS FOR CLEARING.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 5 p.m. Friday, May 17, for clearing, burning, grading and seeding the east half of the west three acres of the Church of England cemetery at Sapperton, and also for the whole three acres.

DIAMOND & CORBOULD,
Room 1, Lavery Block.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re the south half of the Northwest quarter of Section 5, Township 15 (except one-half acre thereof) in the district of New Westminster.

Whereas proof of the loss of certificate of title no. 430F, issued in the name of Catherine Oliver, has been filed in this office.

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

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar of Titles.
Land Registry office, New Westminster, B. C., April 22, 1912.

INVESTORS' INVESTMENT CO.
Phone 295 Office, Curtis Block

HOUSE AND LOT for $3000, five rooms modern except furnace; third cash; 6, 12 and 18 months for balance. No. 34.

ALL MODERN BUNGALOW, $3650. On Dublin street; well located; third cash; 6, 12 months. No. 18.

TWELVE-ROOMED HOUSE, $15,750. An acre of orchard, on Twelfth street; terms. No. 28.

CHOICE BUILDING LOT, corner St. Patrick's and Second street, $5000; size 132x120. No. 44.

SAPPERTON HOME SITES — Five lots 33x116, lane at rear; $500 each, one-third cash; terms. No. 46.

SEVENTH AVENUE — Lot between Second and Fourth streets on south side; $1500, third cash; terms. No. 32.

ON EIGHTH AVENUE—Large building lot, lane at rear, $615; terms. No. 6.

Fire, Accident, Employees' Liability, Auto, Plate Glass Insurance.

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Phone 295 Office, Curtis Block

STATUES OF DUMAS TRINITY OCCUPY SQUARE

Paris, May 12.—The Place Malesherbes will soon be unique in the world by having the statues of the Dumas Trinity, consisting of Dumas Pere, Dumas Fils and Dumas Grandpere, writes A. W. L'Amruveux. The statue of the grandfather is about to be reared on its pedestal, and the history of the grand old Mestizo general is one of the most curious ever recorded. We have all the details of it in the memoirs of Alexandre, but the story seems like a chapter from the Trois Mousquetaires.

The adventurous general began his career some twenty years too soon, or he would surely have been one of Napoleon's most distinguished lieutenants. He was born at Jeremias, in the Island of San Domingo, his father being the Marquis de la Pailleterie, and his mother a native half-breed. He was sent to his studies to Bordeaux, but enlisted with the dragoons of the Queen's Regiment, and started on a life of wonderful adventures. The story is told that he once escaped from an ambuscade of sixty Tyrolese, and instead of being captured himself, he drove the thirteen of them prisoners to his own camp. His promotion was so rapid that he was soon made colonel, and became brigadier-general before he was 30 years of age. He was a powerfully-built man, and could stand any amount of fatigue, and when he returned from the campaign of Egypt, after having been general in command of the army of the Eastern Pyrenees, he answered to the question as to where he had been wounded: "Look, and you will find marks all over me."

Even after two years' of imprisonment in a dark hole at Naples, the general still had strength enough to survive some years on his return to France, to marry and to settle at Villers-Cotterets. The clay model of the statue was made half a generation ago, when a committee headed by General Ferrier, decided to have it erected in the same square as that in which the statues of the son and grandson had already found a place. Moncel, the sculptor, had, at the suggestion of the committee, represented him in full uniform, with a feather in his hat; but when the grandson saw it he objected. He said: "You must represent the general as he was in life," and he is, therefore, shown as he appeared in battle, just after picking up a musket, and with his shaggy hair flowing in the wind. When the three statues are finally in place it is proposed to change the name of the Place Malesherbes, and to call it the Place des Trois Dumas.

An Artistic Thief.

If the Paris police have been unable to trace the "Gioconda," they have at least laid hands on a man named Rene Ferrand, who seems to know where it is. He says that she has taken a trip for her health across the seas, and is now in the United States. More than this he does not wish to say, and, in fact, he regrets that he said that much. Ferrand is a particular virtuoso in church and museum thefts. He has been making his living out of it for the last ten years and he is quite astonished to be told that it is an illegitimate profession. He had a free entry by night to all the museums and churches in France. How he worked it is a secret of his own, but once inside the churches and museums he took away whatever objects of art pleased him, and even if they were worth five thousand dollars he did not hesitate to sell them for ten or twenty to the nearest antiquary, to whom he always stated a false origin of the object.

This man is alleged to have raided numerous churches in France, Belgium, Germany and Holland. Only a few of his exploits are the carrying off of a Gothic group from a church at Gemenich, near Verviers, and two fine tapestries from the cathedral of Xanten, in Germany, worth $20,000, for which an antiquary gave him $600. Ferrand also left traces of his passage at Stavelot, Cambrai, Rheims and Nevers. He was accompanied latterly by a young woman known as "La Belle Germaine," and both passed as M. and Mme. Letellier. The "Belle Germaine" now regrets ever having joined him, as she has also been arrested, and laments the days when she was a happy dress model in the Rue de la Paix, when she had no cares and no worries, and spent her whole day putting on and taking off silk and satin dresses, in which she felt that she looked so beautiful.

"I wish I were back again in the Paix!" she exclaimed. 'How foolish I was ever to leave it." She traveled about with Ferrand. They took a handsome flat in the vicinity of the Buttes Chaumont, and for a while all seemed to go well. Ferrand constantly brought home beautiful works of art and quaint old images. When she asked about them he smiled, and said it was no business of hers, and that they were for the dealers. Both were arrested at the end of last week, after they had attempted to escape to another flat in Vincennes. Ferrand had two immense crates full of works of art. One of these crates has been found by the police, but the other is missing.

He Said Too Much.

It has now turned out that long before his arrest, Ferrand, who perhaps knew more than he intended to say, had declared that he knew where the Gioconda was, and that the picture was in America. I know it," he said to the people where he was living, and the police are now considering whether it was a mere boast or whether he really did know.

M. Cochon, the apostle of free lodgings for the destitute, has distinguished himself further by attempting to lodge a mother and her five children at the Ministry of Justice, because the father, who had been arrested during a demonstration, was in prison. It was in the Place Republique, while attending one of the meetings of M. Cochon, that the father was arrested. He had been given notice by his proprietor for having been too demonstrative, and he was sentenced to two weeks' imprisonment. While he was in prison an order for his eviction was granted and carried out. M. Cochon was informed and he and his friends went to the rescue of the evicted family. Loading all the furniture on handcarts, they proceeded to the Ministry of Justice, in the Place Vendome. M. Cochon argued that the Minister of Justice by permitting the sentencing of the father should give the rest of the family a free lodging at the ministry, but two policemen at the door turned the intruders out, and took the children to the police station, where they and their mother were provided for.

Declines High Honor.

A professor of the university is giving a remarkable example to the world by gently but firmly declining a decoration of the Legion of Honor, which his friend, M. Guist'hau, Minister of Public Instruction, is offering him. The minister and the professor met a few days ago. They had been students together at the Lycee of La Reunion, and had not seen each other for years. Surprised to see his former fellow-student who had become one of the distinguished professors of the University, without a decoration, M. Guist'hau proposed to decorate him on the spot. The professor immediately declined, saying that such an honorable decoration was reserved for merit, not for mere friendship. The minister insisted and the professor, hearing that in spite of his modesty the red ribbon was to be bestowed upon him, went to the director of the Faculty to beg him to intercede with the minister not to decorate him. The example, we are assured, is unprecedented.

Lieut.Col. Alexis Bourotte, stationed at Douai, has been accidentally shot at a wedding which he attended at Fourchambault, in the Nievre. The wedding guests were assembled in a large room after the banquet, and a young man, who had a revolver, which he thought was not loaded, was showing it to some of his friends, the colonel was standing near him and looking on, when a shot went off and struck him near the heart. He died almost instantly, and the young man who did not know that the revolver was loaded, tried to commit suicide. Lieut.-Col. Bourotte had been director of the army engineering works at Douai since 1909, and was a very capable officer.

Murdered His Family.

Walla Walla, Wash., May 12.—Rafaella Sebastiano, an Italian recently acquitted on a murder charge at Pasco, Wash., will be sent back to San Celino, Italy, to serve a 20-year sentence for shooting his father and other members of his family. According to Immigration Officer E. L. Wells of Walla Walla, it has been discovered that Sebastiano was a member of a famous bandit band headed by his father. It is said that when the older Sebastiano divided the booty from an especially good haul years ago, he overlooked Rafaella, and the latter shot him and several of his uncles and cousins. He escaped to America, but was tried without his being present and sentenced to 20 years.

TEACHERS WANTED.

Wanted. Teachers for all grades in Public schools, including Principals. Applicants are requested to write stating qualifications and salary required and must be prepared to undergo an examination by the School Medical Officer if required. Applications to reach the Secretary's office by noon of Thursday, May 23rd.

L. AVORY WHITE,
Secretary, Board of School Trustees.
New Westminster, B. C.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.

Local Improvement Notice.

The Municipal Council of the City of New Westminster having by resolution determined and specified that it is desirable to carry out the following works, that is to say: To seed, cover with mould and plant shade trees on the boulevard on Third Street from Royal Avenue to Sixth Avenue.

And that said works be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General By-law, 1912."

And the City Engineer and the City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of the said by-law upon the said works giving statements showing the amounts estimated to be chargeable against the various portions of real property to be benefited by the said works and other particulars and the said reports of the said City Engineer and City Assessor having been adopted by the Council.

Notice is hereby given that the said reports are open for inspection at the office of the City Assessor, City Hall Columbia Street, New Westminster, B.C., and that unless a petition against the proposed works above mentioned signed by a majority of the owners of the land or real property to be assessed as charged in respect of such works representing at least one half in value thereof is presented to the Council within fifteen days from the date of the first publication of this notice the Council will proceed with the proposed improvements under such terms and conditions as to the payment of the cost of such improvements as the Council may by by-law in that behalf regulate and determine and also to make the said assessment.

Dated this Eighth day of May, 1912.

W. A. DUNCAN, City Clerk.

Date of first publication May 9, 1912.

CORPORATION OF BURNABY.

Engineering Department.
Notice to Contractors.

Sealed tenders endorsed "Cracked Rock" will be received by the undersigned not later than 12 noon on Saturday, May 11th, for the supply of 2000 yards of cracked rock.

Particulars and specifications may be had at the Engineers' Office, Edmonds, B. C.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on forms supplied. The Council will not be bound to accept the lowest or any tender.

W. GRIFFITHS,
Comptroller.

Edmonds, May 1, 1912.

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Good Form

The Well Bred Voice.

One of the elementary laws of good manners prescribes that we shall practice self control, says Florence Howe Hall. Cultivated society goes a step further and demands of us personal refinement. Americans understand this very well so far as dress and outward appearance go. There is perhaps no other nation that pays so much attention to dress as we do. Our countrywomen are admired in Europe for their well made clothes, as well as for their own good looks.

But when they open their lips to speak, alas, all is changed! The harsh nasal tones jar most unpleasantly on the ear. The truth is we do not pay proper attention to the way in which we speak. We do aim at distinctness of utterance, and this we usually achieve. Speech should above all be intelligible, and Americans endeavor always to be understood. This is an excellent thing so far as it goes, but it does not go far enough. Why should we be more slovenly in speech than we are in dress?

The woman who has her hands manicured, her hair and face massaged, but who utterly neglects the cultivation of her voice, has not a proper appreciation of values, as the artists say. She should take lessons in singing or in voice culture, and she should have for a text in her boudoir the lines:

Her voice was ever soft,
Gentle and low, an excellent thing in woman

When we hear Englishmen or Frenchmen talk it is evident that they have a respect and admiration for their own language. They try to pronounce it so that it will sound well. They seem to understand instinctively that beauty of speech is as great a pleasure to the ear as a beautiful object is to the eye.

If the American woman is wise she does not adopt the British peculiarities of intonation and accent. Nor does she endeavor to make her vocabulary agree with that of the English. She understands that our common language has developed along different lines in the two countries. "Apothecary" and "lawyer" are old Shakespearian words quite as good if not better than the modern British "chemist" and "barrister."

The endeavor to make oneself heard above the din of traffic and conversation is in part responsible for our natural harshness of utterance. At an afternoon tea, where the voices of the women soar higher and higher till they almost reach the screaming point in the vain effort to make themselves heard, the result is disastrous. The habit of calling up and down stairs is also very bad for the voice.

Entertaining Guests.

There are some strict rules indorsed by those who know what is "good form" and others who do not concerning the entertaining of a guest.

A hostess should not accept any invitation that does not include her guest, and she may with propriety if cards of invitation are received not including a guest let the prospective hostess know that an invitation is expected. This can be done by telephone or note, simply stating that "I have a young lady (or a man) friend visiting me and should like a card of invitation for her (or him) to your dinner (or ball or what ever) for such and such a date."

If there are callers who are not aware of the presence of a guest a hostess may say she has a friend visiting; then the caller asks to meet who ever it may be. An excellent plan and one generally adopted by those who entertain a great deal and are consequently invited out often is to give an afternoon "high tea," when simple refreshments are best form and everybody in the line of acquaintances invited to meet "Miss Dash."

In the case of a man guest the men of the family see that he has a chance of meeting other men. There may be an evening arranged as well as "bachelor" affairs, where he can be delightfully entertained.

It is good form to just inform a hostess when invitations are received to a dinner, a card party or an affair when special arrangements are to be necessary that one will bring a visiting guest. This is all that is needed.

If one has a reception or affair of any sort the hostess should see that her guest of honor, the one that is visiting her, meets every one present if possible. If a dance the guest should have the men brought to her to fill her dance card and the host sees that she is cared for in every way.

Also a hostess should defer to the wishes and plans of a guest. There may be friends the latter wishes to see that her entertainer is not acquainted with.

On Shaking Hands.

The woman who offers her hand upon accepting an introduction conveys thereby a sign of cordial welcome of the acquaintance, but in formally fashionable society none but the hostesses pursue this course. The inclination of the head, a smile and a murmur of the name constitute a full recognition of an introduction in the eyes of many who regard their bearing as the expression of the best form. In a rather crowded drawing room this mode is to be commended, but at other times a woman, whose prerogative it is to take the initiative on this point, will not greatly err in almost unvaryingly offering her hand.

INSTEAD OF FLANNEL.

Virtues of Half Cotton Cashmere Are Manifold.

"There is one material," said the wise house mother, "which to the modern woman takes the place of the old fashioned heavy flannel for undergarments and even for negligees without having the disadvantage of bulk and a great capacity for shrinkage if it has to be sent to the laundry often. That is a half cotton cashmere, which can usually be bought in white and delicate colors for 25 cents a yard, yard wide. It washes beautifully and wears so well that to put a little handiwork on it will prove no waste of time, while the proportion of wool in it gives the needed warmth.

"One of the prettiest and best wearing kimonos I ever had was made from the half cotton cashmere in pale blue. The color was a trifle more blue than I would have preferred at first, yet not at all garish. I trimmed it with two inch taffeta ribbon in the same robin's egg tint. It has done service for four years, having gone in and out of the tub unnumbered times, grawing softer and prettier—to my mind—every time. During the last year it has grown so pale in tint that I've had Margery use an extra allowance of bluing in the rinse water, but that has been all it needed to restore the charming color. When I say 'growing softer,' by the way, I mean in texture as well as hue.

"For little embroidered underskirts or combinations this cashmere is most desirable, and I have seen a really Frenchy negligee made of the cream white variety, embroidered with heavy white and black floss and trimmed with a heavy creamy lace. When I say that there is almost no 'wear out' to it, I mean that to my personal knowledge four years of hard service from a garment made of it is none too much to expect."

The Cordeliere Parasol.

What a handy notion it is, this swinging of the parasol from the shoulder on

PARASOL SWINGING FROM SHOULDER.

a long cord handle, as the reticule has been swinging all winter.

Such new cordeliere parasols are smart affairs with long sticks and cord handles that match the silk cover.

An Afternoon Cup For the Sewing Meet.

If the afternoon cocoa served in place of tea at the sewing meet or at the little supper is especially delicious it might be well to inquire into its secret if such familiarity is warranted by acquaintance with the hostess. The mixture of some such delicious cup is often a surprise to women who have always supposed that chocolate is chocolate and cocoa cocoa. For instance, one woman flavors her cocoa with cinnamon, sherry and vanilla and often adds a cupful of strong coffee to the potful. And she gives a creamy consistency by using a tablespoonful of arrowroot for every quart of hot milk. Four tablespoonfuls of cocoa are allowed to this amount, and it is cooked slowly for twelve minutes with the cinnamon, arrowroot and about three tablespoonfuls of sugar. At the end of this time a tablespoonful of sherry is stirred in with a teaspoonful of vanilla and a saltspoonful of salt. Then the cocoa is whipped with a revolving egg beater until it is a mass of foam. The coffee, very strong, is turned in at the very last if it is wanted.

Cough Sirup.

The following is a family recipe for cough sirup: Have ready one stick of black licorice, 5 cents' worth of horehound, the juice and rinds of two lemons, one pint and a half of molasses and one large onion. Boil the horehound, the onion and the rind and juice of the lemons in a quart of water until the whole is reduced to one pint. Then pound the licorice to a powder and put it into the molasses. Let the two boil until the licorice has been dissolved in the molasses. Then strain into the other mixture and pour in into wide mouthed bottles. The bottles should have mouths that are large enough to permit the entrance of a spoon. The dose is one teaspoonful every two hours. For a very mild cold use only occasionally when needed.

BOOKS FOR WESTERNERS.

Aberdeen Association Is Doing Kindly Work.

"The Aberdeen Association," said a man belonging to the great Canadian West, "is doing more to keep the women on lonely farms out of the asylum than any other organization I know of."

The Aberdeen Association is a means of education in the isolated places of the Dominion, and its way of working is to send out parcels of reading matter to those outlying places far from the railways, cut off from civilization to a great extent.

The association includes eighteen branches. It was organized in the early nineties by Lady Taylor, of Winnipeg, aided by the counsel and interest of the then Governor-General's wife, after whom it was named.

The application form to be filled asks for information as to locality, circumstances, number in family and name of each, nationality, religion, and so forth, all of which is a guide to the one who chooses the reading matter sent.

The association is made up of subscribers paying 50 cents a year, which furnishes funds for the extra postage so often needed; but the real work is done by the executive committee, who prepare the parcels; the room committee, who receive and sort over the literature sent in; and the despatcher, who once a months sends out the parcels already prepared.

The list of clients is divided among the executive committee, each having eight, ten, or even more names, and being responsible, also, for a bi-annual letter to each. To this letter a reply is expected, giving information as to changes in needs, etc.

The matter of selecting reading matter sounds easy, but it isn't.

Here is a family living at the very edge of things in Saskatchewan. There are eight children, including the last baby, two months old. The executive member keeps herself well posted as to names and ages, so she will not send Thomas, aged eighteen, a story in one syllable, or Mary Ann, a young woman of fifteen, a book of nursery rhymes.

Then there is the widow with two little boys, who took up a section adjoining her brothers. Her occupations alternate between an attempt to do a man's work in summer and not enough in winter. She writes to say she is not fond of reading unless she's lonely, but likes "fashions and sentimental stories." Her barren life needs both, so she gets the fashions only a few months old, and in the same magazine the fiction she craves.

One lone bachelor, evidently well educated, though luck has been against him so far, asks for historical novels. If his good fairy at the other end of the line cannot find one in the depository, she begs it from her friends, and so, one after another, there go out, "The Cloister and the Hearth," "The White Company," "When Knighthood Was in Flower," "The Abbot," and "Kenilworth."

The Ontario Provincial Government generously lends the society the use of a room for the repository in its big home in Queen's Park, and also free postage on a two-pound parcel. But there are times when freight is paid on a large parcel to a home missionary, or a catechist who distributes to a large clientele, managing it on the principle of a circulating library.

Age of the Earth.

Prof. Frank Allen of Manitoba University, stated in a lecture on "The Age of the Earth," in Winnipeg that radium had upset all the theories on this subject. "Lord Kelvin," said he, "who computed that the earth was 20,000,000 years old, declared that unless some new way of producing heat in the earth's surface could be found his calculations were correct."

"Such a new way has actually been discovered in radium which has the power of giving out heat without diminishing in weight. One pound of radium would keep a house warm for 2,000 years. Radium is scattered throughout the earth's surface, and, therefore, Lord Kelvin's calculations are worthless.

"Radium gives off helium, and helium is scattered throughout the earth's crust," added Prof. Allen. "The amount of helium given off by an actual piece of rock could easily be measured. By comparing the amount of radium and of helium in a piece of rock it would be possible to form an estimate of the earth's age, and if this were done it would be found that the earth was over 1,500,000,000 years old."

Foster Tries the French.

The green dragon of jealousy is gnawing at the heart of Speaker Sproule. One afternoon recently Hon. George Eulas Foster, in an overflow of youthful exuberance, excited no doubt by the epithet of "my frivolous old friend," applied to him the day before by Dr. Clark of Red Deer, cut loose Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux expressed lingual preserves.

curiosity as to whether the Government intended to appoint a successor to a commercial agent in France named Anatole Poirdron.

"En response a la question de honorable Depute de Rouville," began the Minister of Trade and Commerce, and the loud and prolonged applause which broke out on both sides of the House almost obscured the limpid loveliness of Mr. Foster's alsatian accent. He stuck at it, though, and Mr. Lemieux was informed that the Government had no intention of naming another Frenchman as commercial agent.

Jews Predominate.

Foreigners in Toronto number between 40,000 and 45,000, nearly all living in the down town section.

Languages spoken by the people of foreign extraction, 46.

Languages spoken in Canada, 100.

There are 20,000 Jews, 11,000 Italians, 2,000 Chinese, and several hundred Bulgarians. The remaining 8,000 are split up into small numbers, from a hundred or more to lots of twenty-five and less.

The situation has developed within the past few years, and matter is now under investigation.

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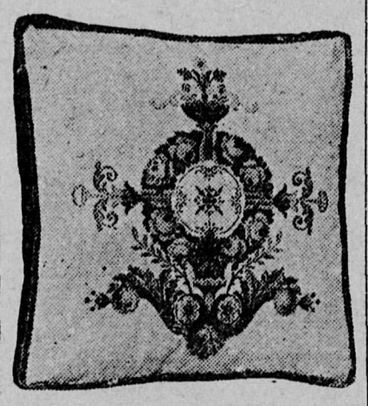
The all white handkerchief is, of course, always with us, yet every now and then comes some pretty and novel fashion of using delicate colors on the sheer white or white embroidery on a mouchoir of palest blue, pink or lavender, and it must be confessed that the result is one to be desired.

One of the prettiest of these handkerchiefs with the color touch and one that any woman with a taste for needlework will enjoy making for herself has delicately tinted butterflies appliqued in the corners with a fine hemming stitch or the tiniest and most even of feather stitching.

The butterflies should be traced on sheer, fine, fast colored batiste or



DRAWING ROOM PILLOW OF FORMAL TYPE.

lawn, allowing enough material outside the outline to turn under. In sewing them on great care must be taken to keep the knots and fastenings underneath the body of the butterfly and out of sight. Featherstitching should be done with very exact evenness, and the stitches that show on the under side can be wrought into ornamental effect by a second line of stitchery, caught into the original working threads, but not going through to show on the upper side. French knots can be used for the "feelers" and even—set close together—for the bodies, but all work done on the butterflies themselves should be done before they are cut out and applied.

Palest yellow on white will suggest the first butterflies seen in the spring, and these are of a shape easy to copy, but any illustration may be copied and stitches adapted to give either natural or conventional effect, as the worker's choice may dictate.

Sofa cushions are always being made by the needleworker, and new designs are constantly being put forward for her benefit. The pillow pictured is intended for use in a reception room, and naturally there is no hint of lounging in its makeup. Squares of tapestry with very conventional patterns in pastel shades on a cream satin ground make charming pillows for the drawing room, and the satin back should match the general tones of the furnishings. These squares are for sale in the upholstery department of all the large shops.

Economies of Women.

Men say that women are "penny wise and pound foolish" when it comes to the question of economy; that while they often pride themselves upon their pet economies they are sometimes guilty of quite unnecessary extravagance.

All of which means that many women economize in one direction only to spend all they have saved and more besides in the ever ready bargain, which they seem unable to resist.

If this is true—and it really is true of many of us—the best remedy in the world is the habit of keeping accounts. This means, in fact, sure economy, if one is at all inclined to be practical.

Women who keep regular accounts and carry carefully and thoughtfully made out lists when they go a-shopping are seldom tempted to extravagance. They are able to retrench with a system that brings quick results when the time of pressure comes.

If each item is written down on the date of purchase, where it stands as a mute witness at the end of the month on the day of reckoning, it must be faced. There's no getting around it.

And it's a simple matter to study every column and take note on the things that were necessaries and the things that might just as well have been left out.

Certain dishes may be banished, certain pleasures foregone, certain innocent but costly amusements sacrificed. Only by thus taking with system each department and then consistently knocking from it as many dollars as is compatible with the family health can a regular economy be practiced.

Sun Worn Curtains.

In cases where a pair of curtains must do for another season and they are too sun worn in the middle to serve cut away the sun worn portions and sew across, then where sewed use a cord of ribbon, and if neither of these is at hand make a couple of straps of old linen and use them to tie the curtains back at the place they are spliced. Old linen bows well starched are neat.

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TWELFTH STREET IMPROVEMENTS

Schedule showing the Real Property immediately benefited and the proportion in which the assessment is made on per foot frontage.

Blk.	Lot.	Sub.	Re-Sub.	Assessed Owner.	Frontage. Feet.	Amt.
S 10	17	1		McMartin, Jane	49.50	$ 50.97
		18		Quaggan, R. H.	46.73	48.12
		17	S.½	Quaggan, R. H.	27.50	23.17
		17	N.½	Ovens, Thomas	27.50	23.17
		16		Ovens, Thomas	45.00	46.34
		15		Adams, Ellen	45.00	46.34
		14		Adams, Ellen	45.00	46.34
		13		Adams, Ellen	45.00	46.34
		N.E.pt.		Brenchley, Louisa B.	157.27	161.66
	16	1		Tubbs, C.	66.00	67.99
		2		Simcock, James T.	66.00	67.99
		7		Sands, Wilhelmina	66.00	67.99
		8		Sands, Wilhelmina	66.00	67.99
		11	S.½	Sands, Wilhelmina	33.00	34.00
		11	N.½	Wintemute, Ada M.	33.00	34.00
		12		Wintemute, Ada M.	66.00	67.99
		15		Wintemute, Ada M.	66.00	67.99
		16 & 17	1	Turnbull, Wm.	66.00	67.99
			2	Turnbull, Wm. Sr., Estate	66.00	67.99
S 11	7	1		Adams, Ellen	61.88	63.71
		2		Adams, Ellen	61.87	63.71
		3		Hunt, Margaret A.	61.87	63.71
		4		Macaulay, Bertha Maud	61.88	63.71
		21		Wallace, John S.	61.88	63.71
		22		Wallace, John S.	61.87	63.71
		23		Robertson, Robert	61.87	63.71
		24		Robertson, Robert	61.88	63.71
	6	1		Mandeville, Frank	66.92	68.90
		10		City of New Westminster	71.26	73.37
		11		Dunn, Annie	70.95	73.05
		13		People's Trust Corporation	70.95	73.05
		14		Wiggins, John Estate	70.95	73.05
		15		Wiggins, John Estate	70.95	73.05
	8	5		Wiggins, John Estate	66.00	67.99
		6		Wiggins, John Estate	66.00	67.99
		7		Turnbull, Alex.	66.00	67.99
		8		Furness, W. H.	66.00	67.99
		17		Adams, George	66.00	67.99
		18		Adams, George	66.00	67.99
		19		Adams, George	66.00	67.99
		20		Adams, George	66.00	67.99
	5	46		Bartlett, E. P.	66.00	67.99
		45		Bartlett, E. P.	66.00	67.99
		34		Smithers, Alfred, Estate	66.00	67.99
		33		Smithers, Alfred, Estate	66.00	67.99
		32		Smithers, Alfred, Estate	66.00	67.99
		31		Smithers, Alfred, Estate	66.00	67.99
		2		Calvert, James	66.00	67.99
		1		West End Methodist Church	66.00	67.99
S 12	4	1		Zucchero, Enrico	65.16	67.09
		2		Zucchero, Enrico	65.09	67.02
S 12	4	19		Main, John	65.16	67.09
		20		Mandeville, Delmia S.	65.09	67.02
		21		Hale, A. E.	65.16	67.09
		22		Hale, A. E.	65.09	67.02
		39		Heaton, Robert	65.16	67.09
		40		Heaton, James	65.09	67.02
	3	1		Reil, Clifton P.	65.16	67.09
		2	S.½	Reil, Clifton P.	32.545	33.51
		2	N.½	Connelly, Alex. S.	32.545	33.51
		19		Arkle, Christopher	65.16	67.09
		20		Robertson, Don., and Atkinson, Jas.	65.09	67.02
		21		Insley, A. M.	65.16	67.09
		22		Main, W. M.	65.09	67.02
		39		Odin, Mary M.	65.16	67.09
		40		Odin, Mary M.	65.09	67.02
S 12	5			Roman Catholic Orphanage	1042.00	1072.39
					5129.48	5281.54

Notice is hereby given that the Corporation of the City of New Westminster intends to pass a Local Improvement Assessment By-law assessing the properties in the schedule above mentioned the sums of money annually for thirty years set opposite each lot, and a Court of Revision for the trial of complaints and appeals against the assessment so proposed to be made will be held on Monday, the 27th day of May, 1912, commencing at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Council Chamber, in the City Hall, New Westminster, British Columbia, and any notice of appeal from such intended assessment must be served upon the Clerk of the Municipal Council at least eight days prior to such Court of Revision.

W. A. DUNCAN, City Clerk.

Dated this 4th Day of May, 1912.

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MONDAY, MAY 13, 1912.

GRAND JURY'S PRESENTMENT.

It always seems to us that the Grand Jury's presentment should be taken seriously and receive due attention from the authorities. The Grand Jury is composed of as representative a body of ordinary, everyday citizens as can be found anywhere, and their presentments are apt to express very exactly the opinions of the general public.

On Saturday the Westminster Grand Jury brought in its report. At the end of this will be found a complaint that $2.00 a day is not sufficient remuneration for a juror. Obviously it is not. Few men in this country are earning as little as $2 a day, and serving on the jury may mean besides the loss of time, extra expense in hotel bills and other items. We believe we are right in saying that in England, where money has much greater purchasing power than in this country, jurors receive one guinea a day or slightly over $5. It would seem then that $5 might be a reasonable figure to fix on in this country where it would compensate most men for the loss of their time to an adequate extent.

Another noticeable feature in the report was that dealing with the jail. Some hard things have been said recently by a Vancouver judge about the Westminster jail, but the jury reports it to be run excellently, its only fault being its overcrowding and that can not be blamed on anything but the lack of prison accommodation throughout the province.

The jury recommends higher salaries for the provincial police, who are notoriously underpaid.

It also comments on the conditions prevailing at the Royal Columbian Hospital. While highly praising the work of the staff at the hospital, it recognizes the adverse conditions under which this work is done, and states that in its opinion, the building is too small, insanitary and unsafe. These facts were doubtless known before, but it does no harm to have them pointed out authoritatively once again. Happily plans are under way for the building of a new and up-to-date municipal hospital that will do away with this reproach and will give the lady superintendent and her assistants a chance to work unhindered on behalf of the health of the community.

CONVICTS' REVENGE.

Escaping Desperadoes Planned to Beat-Up Warden.

Kingston, Ont., May 12.—At the investigation held at the penitentiary touching the escape of the four western desperadoes, Jones, Bonner, Kelly and Brown and Vincent McNeil, of Woodstock, it was stated that part of the plan of the five was to murder Deputy Warden O'Leary. This is according to a statement of a high official in the penitentiary.

O'Leary was one of the officers who brought the four men down from Stony Mountain penitentiary, and was almost killed by them on the train when the prisoners attacked their guards just outside of Toronto. O'Leary used his club freely on that occasion, it is said, and his life was to pay the forfeit to the vengeful outlaws. As Deputy Warden O'Leary visits the isolation building every morning, the waiting convicts expected to see him instead of Dr. Phelan, the jail physician.

Intended to Kill O'Leary.

All the circumstances point to the fact that they intended to kill O'Leary for they were all waiting in the outer corridor of the isolation ward when the doctor came in. That a guard disobeyed orders by going to the assistance of his mate in danger seems to have been the cause of the escape of the convicts. Two guards go to the isolation building together. One goes in and the other remains on guard at the door after locking it. The convicts may assault or even murder the man who goes in, but they would be unable to leave the building because of the door being locked and the second man on guard at it. Knowing this the desperadoes used the cunning method to get the second man to come in and bring the keys with him. On Wednesday morning Guards Davis and Madden were detailed to the isolation building, Davis going in and Madden staying outside in the outer corridor to guard the door.

Used Ruse to Overpower Guards.

McNeil, who for that day had the run of the corridor in order to sweep, called Davis into his cell and told him there was something wrong with his cot. As the guard bent down to look, McNeil dealt him a vicious blow on the head with an iron rod he had previously taken from the cot, and Davis went down like a stricken ox. McNeil then took his keys and unlocked the cells of his four comrades and then ran to the door and called to Guard Madden outside to come in at once as Davis had fallen in a fit. His ruse worked, and his solicitude for his mate's welfare caused the outer guard to break the rules. As soon as he opened the door the five convicts rushed at him and overpowered him. They quickly stripped the clothing off the guards and two of the convicts donned them.

They then all went out into the outer corridor to wait for O'Leary. When Dr. Phelan came in Jones exclaimed: "Oh, it's the doctor; yell, doc, we'll trouble you for them duds you've got on." Some time later the doctor and the two guards were discovered locked in the cell clad only in their underclothes.

FOUND "LA GIOCONDA."

But It Was Only Fake—Waiter's Find.

Paris, May 12.—There was tremendous excitement the other day when the rumor was spread about that "La Gioconda" and actually been discovered in a very good state of preservation. Where had the missing picture been found, was the question that was eagerly asked on all sides.

Why, at a quiet little hotel in the Temple district of Paris, was the ready answer. Many people in their delight took the first cab that was handy and sped to the Temple quarter without asking any more questions, quite convinced that they would discover the street and the house as soon as they got there. Others, more practical, waited for some particulars and learned that it was in the Rue du Vert-Bois, an old street near the Square du Temple, that the wandering chief d'oeuvre of Leonardo da Vinci had found a retreat.

Provided with this information, they repaired to the Metropolitan, and were soon on their way to the hotel, which is a very neat and trim establishment, chiefly patronized by Italians. There was quite a procession of reporters and photographers, and when they introduced themselves to the office of the hotel there was a smiling face to greet them.

It was "La Gioconda," but, alas! of the picture there was none. It was only a modest chomo-lithograph which had already been smiling at the police officials who had preceded the visitors there, and it is smiling still.

To describe the disappointment which all callers felt when they perceived that the alleged discovery was no discovery at all would be no light matter. It had best be left to the imagination. The whole district had been agog for hours, and it is still, as fresh arrivals are pouring in every minute.

How did this horrible mistake occur? The answer is very simple. A hotel waiter called at the office of the local commissary of police, and, with considerable mystery, informed him that the missing picture was in a room occupied by a foreigner. Aware of the importance of such a discovery, the worthy official lost no time in proceeding to the house with an escort of several agents of the law—a wise precaution in these days of ready recourse to the revolver.

He entered the office to ascertain the precise room in which the 'Gioconda" was, and there she was, smiling at him so sweetly; but unfortunately, from a chromo-lithograph which had been affixed to a screen.

Some amateurs in their fury accuse the waiter of having played a practical joke, but the fact is that this was a case of trop de zele. The poor man, whose artistic knowledge is of a very rudimentary kind, had really acted in good faith, he being under the impression that this was the veritable and genuine "Gioconda," and he is as bitterly disappointed after his own fashion as anyone else can be.

As for the house, it has suddenly sprung into fame, but as it has been thus besieged from morning to night the landlord is not inclined to relish this sort of advertisement.

PULL TEETH BY ELECTRICITY.

New Jersey, N. J., May 12.—An ancient legend comes from a small town in this state which has been written up by a local journalist as follows: Mr. Tushmaker was never regularly bred as a physician or surgeon, but he possessed naturally a strong mechanical genius and a fine appetite, and finding his teeth of great service in gratifying the latter propensity, he concluded that he could do more good in the world and create more real happiness therein by putting the teeth of its inhabitants in good order than in any other way, so Tushmaker became a dentist.

He was the man who first invented the method of placing small cogwheels in the back teeth for the more perfect mastication of food, and he claimed to be the original discoverer of that method of filling cavities with a kind of putty which, becoming hard directly, causes the tooth to ache so grievously that it has to be pulled, thereby giving the dentist two successive fees for the same job.

The First Tooth.

Tushmaker was one day seated in his office in the city of Boston when a stout old fellow named Byles presented himself to have a back tooth drawn. The dentist seated his patient in the chair of torture and, opening his mouth, discovered there an enormous tooth on the right hand side about as large as he afterward expressed it, as a small polyglot Bible. "I shall have trouble with this tooth," thought Tushmaker, but he clapped on his heaviest forceps and pulled. It didn't come. Then he tried the turnscrew, exerting his utmost strength, but the tooth wouldn't stir.

'Go away from here," said Tushmaker to Byles, and return in a week and I'll draw that tooth for you or know the reason why." Byles got up, clapped a handkerchief to his jaw and went forth.

Then the dentist went to work, and in three days he invnted an instrument which he was confident would pull anything. It was a combination of the lever, pulley wheel and axle, inclined plane, wedge and screw. The castings were made and the machine put up in the office over an iron chair rendered prefectly stationary by iron rods going down into the foundations of the granite building.

Returned All Right.

In a week old Byles returned. He was clamped into the iron chair, the forceps connected with the machine attached firmly to the tooth, and Tushmaker, stationing himself in the rear took hold of a lever four feet in length. He turned it slightly. Old Byles gave a groan and lifted his right leg. Another turn, another groan, and up went the leg again.

"I can't help it," said the patient.

Well," rejoined Tushmaker, the tooth is bound to come out now."

He turned the lever clear round with a sudden jerk and snapped old Byle's head clean and clear from his shoulders, leaving a space of four inches between the severed parts. They had a postmortem examination. The roots of the tooth were found extending down the right side, through the right leg and turning up in two prongs under the sole of the right foot.

'No wonder," said Tushmaker, he raised his right leg."

The jury thought so, too, but they found the root much decayed, and five surgeons swearing that mortification would have ensued in a few months, Tushmaker was cleared on a verdict of justifiable homicide."

Removed Entire Skeleton.

He was a little shy of that instrument for some time afterward, but one day an old lady, feeble and flaccid came in to have a tooth drawn, and thinking that it would come out very easy, Tushmaker concluded, just by way of variety, to try the machine. He did so, and at the first turn drew the old lady's skeleton completely and entirely from her body, leaving her a mass of quivering jelly in her chair. Tushmaker took her home in a pillow case. She lived seven years after that and they called her the India rubber woman." She had suffered terribly with rheumatism, but after this occurrence never had a pain in her bones. The dentist kept them in a glass case.

After this the machine was sold to the contractor of the Boston custom house, and it was found that a child of three years of age could, by a single turn of the screw, raise a stone weighing twenty-three tons. Smaller ones were made on the same principle and sold to the keepers of hotels and restaurants. They were used for boning turkeys. There is no moral to this story whatever, and it is possible that the circumstances may have become slightly exaggerated. Of course there can be no doubt of the truth of the main incidents.

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Excellent lot on Nanaimo street near Sixteenth street, facing south with magnificent view. Only one block from cut-off. Price $1150. Terms to arrange.

You Can Make Big Money On These

Fine lot on Sixth avenue, near Sixth street. It is all cleared with lane at rear. Price $1350. Terms, one-quarter cash, balance in 6, 12 and 18 months.

Large lot 51½ by 148½ feet; cleared and graded; facing on Fourth street, near Fifth avenue. Price $1700. Terms, one-quarter cash, balance in 6, 12 and 18 months.

If you want to better yourself, if you want to make some money do as I tell you and invest in New Westminster property.

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New Westminster is the best place in Canada today where you and I should invest our money.

On this page I have selected for you the best of Westminster property—something that is good in location—is cheap—and something that you can't fail to make big money on.

I want you to read everyone of these carefully—select the one that suits you—and then come to my office and let me take you out and show it to you.

HERE IS THE CHANCE OF YOUR LIFETIME

Excellent apartment house site, facing on car line, good magnificent view of the Fraser river. Only a short walk from the post office. It is practically three lots, each 66 by 132 feet. It is situated on the corner of Dufferin street, Alice street and Royal avenue, having a frontage of 198 feet on Royal avenue, 132 feet on Dufferin street, and 198 feet on Alice street. It is cleared and has on it a large eight roomed house, thoroughly modern, with full sized cement basement, cement floor, furnace, fireplace, etc. There are also about 30 full bearing fruit trees on the place. Price for immediate sale $10,000. Terms $3000 cash, balance to range.

Look Them Over

New large seven roomed house, thoroughly modern; lot 50 by 132 feet, cleared, with lane in the near; magnificent view, facing on Edinburgh street, between Eleventh and Twelfth streets (facing south). House number 1107 Edinborough street. Price $3150. Terms, $350 cash, balance $25 a month. Purchaser to assume loan. This house is rented for $25 per month.

Then See Me As Soon As You Can

New Five roomed house in good location; one block from car line; thoroughly modern; lot 40 by 100 feet, cleared, fenced and graded. Has full sized cement basement, cement floor, panelled walls, and such. Price $2700. Terms $699 cash and balance in 1915.

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The homeseeker has found out that absolutely the cheapest and best homes amid the best environments to be found in New Westminster are in Sapperton. The following list of buys prove this statement:

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For $2680—Five roomed modern house on Buchanan avenue; lot 66x132; $650 cash, balance to arrange. No. 12.

For $2400—Five roomed modern house on Kelly street; well built; $600 cash, balance to arrange. No. 21.

For $1500—Four roomed house on Strand street; $250 cash will secure this. No. 32.

For $2750—Six roomed house on Hospital street. This is a new house and fully modern, full sized basement, etc. Will consider any reasonable offer on terms. No. 61.

For $3150—Seven roomed house on Simpson street, well built and fully modern. Will consider offer on terms. No. 93.

For $3500—Eight roomed house on Blair avenue. This house is fully modern, furnace, etc. Lot 66x165. Will consider offer on terms. No. 76.

For $3000—House and lot on Columbia street; lot 66x132; $1000 cash, balance to arrange. No. 129.

For $2500—Five roomed house on McDonald street; this house is modern and $500 cash, with $25 a month for the balance, will buy it. No. 145.

For $2200—Four roomed bungalow, fully modern, cement basement, $70 range connected. This house is just finishing and it can be bought for $500 cash and the balance to arrange monthly. No. 159.

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SPORTS

EXHIBITION GAME UNLIKELY.

Salmon Bellies Not Expected to Meet Terminals Saturday.

The prospects of the Salmon Bellies and the Minto cup holders playing an exhibition game in Vancouver next Saturday afternoon appear to be very slim at the present time.

The V. A. C. team and the Fairviews play a test game at Recreation park on that afternoon to decide whether the latter are fast enough to be admitted to membership in the B. C. Amateur Lacrosse league and it is said that Con Jones will order out his team for a half hour's practice prior to the amateur game.

Con Jones and Matt Barr arrived back from the east on Saturday noon. Newsy Lalonde, the famous gutted stick artist, whose name has been on the lips of pretty near every lacrosse fan throughout the Dominion during the past two weeks, blew into the Terminal City early Saturday morning, and turned out for practice with the rest of the boys that afternoon. With the arrival of Lalonde the line-up of the green shirts is about complete. Jones having in all nineteen players to select from. The Vancouver magnate was not very much impressed with the work of the Torontos and Tecumsehs, who played an exhibition game while he was in Toronto. "Vancouver and New Westminster," said Con, "have it on all of them and unless they manage to uncover some wonders this summer around Toronto, I don't think the Minto cup will leave the west for some time to come."

Coquitlam, Champions of B. C.

Victoria, May 12.—Coquitlam, the champion soccer team of the Senior Amateur league, yesterday defeated the Victoria Wests, in the final game for the McBride Shield, taking the game by a score of two goals to nil.

The Ranchers' victory was a great surprise to the Islanders, who having a lead of one goal from last Saturday's game, were confident in winning the championship of the province. The goal-keeping of Worrall, the ex-Sunderland player, was again the feature of the play, his work between the posts being responsible for his team emerging victorious. Being the youngest soccer combination on either the Mainland or the Island, the supporters of the Coquitlam aggregation are indeed in a jubilant mood at their victory, thus giving them the championship of British Columbia in amateur football for one year at least.

Jim Flynn Has Chance.

Jim Flynn, the recent conqueror of Al Kaufman and Carl Morris, "white hopes," originally rated his superiors, and big fellows, who have never fought to advantage since being flayed by the Pueblo fireman, reached Hot Springs last week in company with Jack Curley, his manager, and promptly began to condition himself for his big battle with Jack Johnson in Las Vegas, N. M., on July 4.

Jim Corbett, who tried to train Jeffries in the ex-champions's memorable fight with Johnson at Reno, will also be one of Flynn's handlers. Corbett made the ride south with Flynn and Curley. He boarded the train in St. Louis, riding as far as Little Rock, where he is showing. Corbett not only met Flynn for the first time, but got his first peek at the rushing, crushing Coloradoan.

The train pulled out of St. Louis at 9 o'clock Friday and the party of pugilistic celebrities were in Flynn's dressing room until almost midnight. Then after Jim declared it was past bedtime for him, Corbett and Curley withdrew to the observation car where the fight talk was continued until daylight. Flynn is a bright sort of a chap. He has a splendid personality, is well read, and as far removed from being a boob as New Haven, Conn., from Fort Worth, Tex. He and Corbett made friends of each other in a twinkling, and Gentleman Jim did not make any bones over the fact that originally, when the Johnson-Flynn match was built he refused to take it seriously. But after he learned from Flynn his plans and ideas, and discovered that Curley and his fighter mean business, which is proved by all the theatrical time they have cancelled and the long training trip they have arranged, Corbett declared that not only would be be on hand in Las Vegas, but that he would show up early and give Flynn every assistance he possibly could. Twenty years ago Corbett surprised the world by defeating the then invincible John L. Sullivan.

"Flynn, I was a bigger longshot down in New Orleans than you will be at Las Vegas," stated Corbett. "You remind me of my old self. Say, Jim, the whole world, every sporting writer and every sporting man, even my own father and my brothers said I was a fool to fight John L."

"Yes, Corbett," and this is a bad year for champions," chirped back Flynn. "Papke and Attell have just lost their crowns, and there is always room for one more."

Corbett can "see" the fight, and that is something he refused to do all along. As for Curley and Flynn, they are not saying much, merely getting getting ready so as to be ready on the Fourth. It's a ten-day rest for Flynn, and then on to Las Vegas for the real training period.

PADEREWSKI UNAPPRECIATED.

London, May 12.—Ignace Paderewski, the famous pianist, who has just finished a tour of South Africa, complained bitterly, before sailing for England, of the treatment he had received, and announced his intention never to visit the country again.

In an interview published in the Cape Times, the pianist related his experiences, while coming down the coast from Durban aboard the steamer. He was playing very softly on the ship's piano when a man came up and said: "Here, you, stop that noise."

"I stopped playing at once," he said, "and then the man went into the smoking room to his friends and they roared with laughter, when he told them that he had stopped me playing. He was not content with insulting me, but also must go up on deck, where my secretary was painting, and threw biscuit crumbs all over the picture.

"What a country! How could anyone be happy in a country where there is no understanding of art. They have no idea of art, no sentiment for it, and no desire for it."

"If we have disappointed the great performer as an artistic community," says the Johannesburg Star, it is only fair to say that he likewise disappointed us as a man of the world and a good sport.

"It is not our fault if an artist visits our towns and particularly Johannesburg, under the impression that we are an open gold mine. It has never been previously impressed upon such visitors that we have had little more than a quarter of a century's existence and that we are still in our artistic swaddling clothes."

SCENES AT LLOYD'S WHEN TITANIC SANK

Never since Lloyd's began has there been such a scene as was witnessed on Monday morning when the news of the collision of the Titanic off the Banks of Newfoundland, with an iceberg was announced in varying telegrams on the casualty board, says London Fairplay.

The collision of the Olympic in the Solent, the stranding of the Delhi off Cape Spartel, the sinking of the Oceana off Beachy Head, all of which have taken place since September 20, produced a crowd anxious to get news of what had happened, but all these put together were as nothing compared with the dense mass of underwriters, brokers and their clerks which crowded round the board eager to read the yellow flimsies giving the latest news of this Titan of the shipping world.

Needless to say, the lines taken by companies and underwriters are commensurate with the size and character of the vessel and her owners, and there was at once a desire on the part of some with heavy lines who also thought very badly of the telegrams, to get out of some of their liability. They were met with a demand of 50 guineas per cent, and even at that rate a good deal was done by those anxious to cut their loss.

Towards noon, the 50 guinea market being closed, the rate rose to 55 guineas, and even 58 was asked and paid. At 2 o'clock, no reassuring news having been received, 60 guineas was offered and accepted by a good many underwriters.

The afternoon dragged its slow length along amid excitement as intense as prevailed when the first news reached the 'room.'

Shortly before 4 o'clock a telegram from the other side intimated that The Montreal Star has published news that the crippled monster had been taken in tow and was making for Halifax.

So sensitive was the state of the market that this news brought down the rate to 35 guineas, and before 5 o'clock some of those who had taken the risk earlier in the day at 60 guineas were able to get out at 25 and even 20 guineas.

On Tuesday morning there was still a considerable crowd round the casuality board, but it seemed, to the praise of underwriters be it said, to have interests more of a humanitarian than of a pecuniary character. So conflicting was the news early in the morning that an amount, small no doubt, was effected at 90 guineas.

Victoria, B. C., May 12.—News was brought by the Sanuki Maru of rioting against Chinese at Lhassa, capital of Thibet, during which many Chinese were roasted alive after an attack on the Chinese quarters in which many on both sides were killed and wounded. The affair followed a statement by a Thibetan lama that Chinese were destined for divine punishment. A fight ensued and the lama fled to the Sela monastry which was fired. The Chinese quarters were then attacked by angry Thibetans and many were roasted alive.

A Holiday In Lucan.

In Western Ontario in the village of Lucan they do not get much excitement save an occasional murder. Consequently it was something of a public event when a wheel of fortune man blew into town. He set up his wheel in front of one of the two hotels there. In a few minutes the proprietor of the other hotel, seeing the crowd around the opposition hotel, told his hostler, Jim, to go down and tell the wheel of fortune man to bring his wheel up to his hotel. Jim went down, and a conversation took place something as follows:

"Will you bring your wheel up to Blank's hotel?"

"Why should I bring my wheel up there?"

"I tell you to bring your wheel up to Blank's."

"I'll not move my wheel, I'm doing alright."

"Well, you're gambling, and it's against the law, and I'll stop it," which he proceeded to do forcibly.

Sheep For Canada.

Prof. Elliott, the superintendent of the Canadian Pacific Railway demonstration farms in Southern Alberta, purchased, during his recent visit to England, a small flock of Exmoor sheep for breeding purposes. Prof. Elliott considers that these sheep will thrive well on the foothills of the Rocky Mountains, and the experiment will be watched with much interest. Prof. Elliott was greatly impressed with the Devon cattle that he saw on Exmoor, and he may induce his company later on to acquire a picked herd. Alberta is an ideal country for mixed farming and dairying, and every effort to widen the present narrow basis of agriculture in the West, which rests too exclusively on wheat growing, is to be commended.

Must Keep Stock.

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ROUND THE MESS TABLE

BY THE MARTIAN.

The National Reserve movement is growing apace in the city. Over 50 names have already been registered at the mayor's office, and it is confidently expected that the number will increase to at least ten times that amount in this district before very long. The movement in itself implies nothing more than the registration of the names and addresses of men who have served in any branch of the naval or military forces of the crown, but it is easily understood that in order to be of any practical use to the men themselves, something further must be done. The idea which has been evolved and carried into effect here embraces the formation of a "United Service Club." By this means it is hoped, indeed, arrangements are already under way I understand, to give the members a room or rooms, centrally located, where they can gather together and read the papers, more especially those of military interest, play games and talk of old times to their heart's content. It is also hoped to keep a register of men seeking employment so that members can mutually assist each other and also help all ex-service men arriving in the city to find work. Other schemes of mutual advantage will undoubtedly grow out of the idea as time goes on, and the membership increases and those who are at present in charge of the inception of the club's affairs are confident that the growth is going to be strong from the very start. The idea is to commence in a very modest way and with a subscription easy for all to meet—50 cents a month has been proposed, I believe, and to increase and furnish the quarters according to the growth of the membership. Application forms are being printed and will be obtainable from the secretary, Mr. Savage, on receipt of a letter addressed care the Daily News.

May Day has again come and gone, and every one must admit that it is a very pretty sight indeed, to see her youthful majesty driving to her coronation ceremony escorted by the lads of the Boys' Brigades and Scouts. I was very much struck by the martial bearing and neat uniforms of the various bodies as they marched by on the route, and it is hard to say which looked the most soldierly. One and all reflect much credit to their instructors, whose task must be indeed, a pleasant one. I must say that I was particularly impressed by the boys in the scarlet uniform who marched immediately in advance of the royal carriage, their uniform was exceedingly neat and well kept, and their marching was good and told of good and patient instruction. It is a pleasure to see how seriously the boys take their work, and one can observe a look on each face which denotes that the spirit which held firm the British squares at Waterloo and enabled "Every man to do his duty" at Trafalgar Bay, is just as much innate in the heart of every British boy of today as it was in the days when the history of our empire was made. It is a far cry from New Westminster May Day celebration to the bloody fields of our hard-fought victories, and harder fought defeats, but I am quite sure that there was not one old warrior, who saw the boys marching by, who did not go home feeling that the soldiers and sailors of tomorrow can well be left to guard the traditions of those of yesterday, and to add new honors to the annals of our race.

The performance of "Dandy Dick" so generously given by the Amateur Dramatic Club for the Boy Scouts, was a great success I believe, but the object to which the proceeds are to be devoted, as well as the efforts of the accomplished exponents of the various parts were certainly deserving of more support than was accorded them. Particularly noticeable by their absence were the officers of the militia. Surely their support should have been forthcoming (several non-commissioned officers were there in uniform), but I am sure that, since they were unable to attend, that they all had tickets.

Rumors of the formation of another infantry regiment in this city are very much in evidence just now. It is hard to say what degree of accuracy they may be credited with, but one thing is certain, that is that it would be the best thing that could possibly happen. Competition is the soul of progression, and the rivalry created by the advent of another corps would instil fresh life and energy into the 104th or else quiet forever the somewhat spasmodic efforts at existence which our regiment is making now. Dame rumor is an exceedingly fickle jade, but the forthcoming visit of the minister of militia to the city is ominous to say the least. There is undoubtedly something wrong with the conditions under which the companies here are endeavoring to serve and Colonel Hughes doubtlessly realizes that more can be learned on the spot in an interview with the officers in charge, than years of correspondence could ever effect.

On Saturday, the 18th Field Ambulance, Canadian Army Medical Corps, will have their annual inspection in Vancouver. This unit has been putting in some wonderfully good work of late. Every Sunday they attend St. Paul's Hospital for instruction in practical surgical and medical nursing. They boast a splendid concert troupe who have been giving several performances lately, with a view to endowing a ward in that hospital to be known as the "18th Field Ambulance Ward." It is understood that shortly a performance is to be given at the New Westminster Opera House which deserves good patronage.

Now that the Union Government of South Africa are getting their defensive arrangements into shape, the Imperial troops are gradually to be withdrawn, and the work of garrisoning the various localities is to be left in the hands of the South African permanent forces. It has been stated that the number of British Regiments in Egypt and the Soudan is to be very materially increased in consequence. The British regiments will undoubtedly welcome the change. South Africa is a splendid country, and a fine training ground, but the cost of even the smallest luxury, makes the pay of the Imperial Army look like a very poor joke. As far as strategical disposition is concerned, Egypt is undoubtedly more central and well within reach of, at any rate two possible, if not probable seats of political disturbance. Lord Kitchener is making his powers of organizing very strongly felt, and there is no doubt, that, although temporarily a civic servant, his influence will react for the benefit of the troops stationed in his jurisdiction.

Starvation in China.

Our attendant threw open the door of one home, a sort of lean-to. There was no light, no window; after we got used to the dimness, we saw sitting on the floor a young girl, with a very attractive face. On the floor in front of her was her little child lying on the mud floor, sobbing and sobbing. For quite a little while we did not see any one else in the room; but soon over in the corner we saw standing against the wall a little child of 2½ years. I asked the mother: "Why is the child crying?" To ask it seemed almost stupid; but the mother turned to the leaves on the skillet and said: "He won't eat those any longer, and he is dying of hunger." It seemed impossible to pull oneself away from this really bright young girl under such circumstances as these. Her husband had gone off, we learned afterward, to get some help from the station; but still to leave her in that little darkened room, to starve, made one feel almost as if I were a murderer. She was taking it gently as a matter of fate, not asking in the slightest way for any sort of help, but answering with a gentle courtesy.

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C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar,
New Westminster, B. C.

Dated at the Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B.C., this 12th day of April, 1912.

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10:50—Vancouver via G. N. R.	23:00
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18:00—Vancouver via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)	20:30
7:40—Victoria via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)	11.15
10:50—Victoria via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)	11:15
7:30—United States via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)	9.45
15:15—United States via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)	16:00
11:40—All points east and Europe (daily)	8:15
22:43—All points east and Europe (daily)	13:15
11:40—Sapperton and Fraser Mills (daily except Suuday)	8:15
18:10—Sapperton and Fraser mills (daily except Sunday)	14:00
11:40—Coquitlam (daily except Sunday)	8:15
12:00—Central Park, McKay and Edmonds (daily except Sunday)	11.15
14:00—East Burnaby (daily except Sunday	14:30
10:00—Timberland (Tuesday and Friday)	13:30
10:30—Barnston Islands arrives Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and leaves Monday, Wednesday and Friday	14:00
10:00—Ladner, Port Guichon, Westham Island, Burr Villa	13:30
10:00—Annieville and Sunbury (daily except Sunday)	13:30
10:00—Woodwards (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday)	13:30
16:45—Vancouver, Piper's Siding via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)	14:20
15:50—Cloverdale and Port Kells via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)	14:00
11:20—Clayton (Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday	14:00
11:20—Tynehead (Tuesday and Friday)	14:00
7:40—Burnaby Lake (daily except Sunday	16:00
18:10—Abbotsford, Upper Sumas, Matsqui, Huntingdon, etc. (daily except Sunday)	23:00
15:15—Crescent, White Rock and Blaine (daily except Sunday)	9:45
15:15—Hall's Prairie, Fern Ridge and Hazlemere (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday	9:45
11:20—Chilliwack, Milner, Mt. Lehman, Aldergrove, Otter, Shortreed, Surrey Centre, Cloverdale, Langley Prairie, Murrayville, Strawberry Hill, South Westminster, Clover Valley, Coghlan, Sardis, Sperling Station, Bradner, Bellerose, via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)	9:00
11:20—Rand, Majuba Hill via B. C. E. R. (Monday Wednesday and Friday	9:00
20:30—Chilliwack via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)	17:30
11:20—Abbotsford, Huntingdon, via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday)	17:30
15:50—Cloverdale via B.C.E.R. (daily except Sunday)	17:30
2:00—Fraser Arm and Alta Vista	23:00

THE OLD-TIME COWBOY.

He Is a Fast Disappearing Figure on the Prairie.

A gentleman in shaps and a Stetson hat pushed his way through the crowd which lined the bar in the Alberta Hotel in Calgary the other day, clinked a spurred heel on the brass rail and shouted:

"I'm a howling coyote from the foothills, and it's my turn to howl."

An aproned bartender was on the point of vaulting the counter to throw him outside to howl, when he saw a twenty-dollar bill flashed before his eyes.

"I'm howling for a drink," explained the stranger. "Bring up the bunch."

The bunch approached cautiously, like horses to an unfamiliar trough. They were a town crowd, with hard hats and white collars. When all had imbibed to the stranger's "here's ho," he continued:

"Gentlemen, you'll excuse me, but times have changed. When I first knew Calgary it was nothing but a little cow town with a Mounted Police barracks, Pat Burns and a line of shacks. Now—well—it's no place for me."

The stranger departed. A timid easterner followed him to the door. It was a short scene of what he had expected to see acted in the west every day—a page out of a book he had read as a boy.

"Come back and have a drink with us," coaxed the easterner, as they stood in the street.

"Not there," replied the howler, "but come with me. I'm not class for wheat any more."

And thus the east and the west got together, and, with their legs under the same table, as the parable explains, a mighty friendship sprang up.

It was the tale of the passing of the free range, the charge of the plow on the thousands of heads of fine fat steers, which, for the past twenty years, have made Southern Alberta wealthy and famous.

He was an old-time cow puncher, this westerner. He had come west when the west was a baby, had seen it grow and expand in its youth and vigor; and then, when the prairie became filled with so many voices that his own old voice was as a whispering wind, had retreated to the foothills to howl alone. First he punched cattle for the Circle. That was in the early nineties, when the range meant practically everything from the boundary to the Red Deer. Then homesteading commenced and he jumped out of the saddle to follow a plow. But that soon wearied and he returned to the range. It was the range he was riding now, the last range the west has left—up in the Knee Hills, where Pat Burns' herds, as strong and as numerous as in the golden days of twenty odd years ago, crop the grass for hundreds of miles, whilst, round about them, the railways and the wheat men draw the lines more closely and tie them more tightly year by year.

The day of the old cattle man is done, for the ranges have vanished, but there will still be cattle. The boy with the stick shooing the belled cow home is taking the place of the man with lariat, and the barbed wire fence is doing the work of the pony and saddle.—Forbes Sutherland in Canadian Courier.

A Problem In Hydraulics.

Archdeacon Renison, the new rector of the Church of the Ascension, Hamilton, has been for fifteen years the guide, guardian and friend of the Indians and inhabitants of the west coast of Hudson Bay.

He took the census of that country for the Dominion Government last year.

Speaking at the organization dinner of the Canadian Club of Porcupine on a recent evening, of which, by the way, he had the distinction of being made the first honorary member, he told the following story:

A Calgary real estate boomer was trying to interest an eastern capitalist in properties of that city. After dilating at some length on the city's virtues, he said, 'You know there is only one thing we need in this city's vicinity to make it perfect, and that is a lake.'

"Well," said the capitalist, "that doesn't seem impossible. I would suggest that you lay a pipe from here to Lake Ontario, and if you fellows up here are half as good at sucking as you are at blowing you should be able to suck Lake Ontario up here in a very short space of time."

How Grenfell Got Cars.

That the farmers of Grenfell, Sask., have had little trouble in obtaining all the empty cars needed for shipping their grain is the information given by G. D. Fitzgerald, of Grenfell, in an interview at Regina.

When the demand for cars became strong at Grenfell the farmers enlisted the assistance of the Board of Trade.

"The officials of the Board of Trade at once took the matter up," said Mr. Fitzgerald. "The result was that we had 25 cars in very short time, and have not experienced any great difficulty in securing cars since that time. My opinion is that much of the hardship and trouble from car shortage is caused by irresponsible farmers placing their names on the order book long before they need the cars. I believe the proper solution is to change the law so that a farmer must give the railway company seven days' notice to supply a car, and if the farmer does not take the car then, let him forfeit a penalty. That is the course I favor, and if such a change was made, I believe much of the difficulty now experienced would be overcome."

"Nursery" for Short.

A Stratford, Ont., druggist was much amused at a remark made a few days ago by a boy in his employ.

The boy was told to deliver a package to the hospital. Arriving there, he knocked at the door, but as no one answered he went to the nurses' home and left it there.

Getting back to the drug store he reported on his delivery of the package thus: "I couldn't make anybody hear at the hospital so I took it to the nursery."

MILADY GOES AWAY.

Now, don't forget the cat, my dear; his meat is on the shelf. Give Dick fresh water. See it's clear. Be careful of yourself. Be sure to lock the cellar door before you leave the house. Go all around and look things o'er; see if there is a mouse in any of the traps I've set. Don't let the furnace go too fast. The pipe is apt to get redhot and burn, you know. You'd better keep the curtains drawn—the rugs are apt to fade. You won't be home much while I'm gone, so draw the parlor shade. Be sure the big front door is fast before you go downtown and fix the furnace fire to last by banking it well down. Be sure to air the bedroom, dear. You know the proper way. I always feel a little fear when I am gone away!

Be sure to leave the milk crock out, so they can leave the milk. Observe if there are tramps about or any of their ilk. Make all the downstairs windows fast, so tramps can't get inside. I think there's bread enough to last; it's that new yeast I tried. Don't let the tin pan overflow beneath the icebox, dear. It's emptied twice a day, you know. I hope I make that clear. Be careful of the kitchen sink; don't let the drainpipes clog. Be sure to give old Tray a drink. He's such a faithful dog! Don't let the water faucet freeze; cold weather's apt to crack the pipes, so watch them closely, please, dear, until I get back.

And water my big fern, please, dear. It's just begun to grow. Be careful of the jardiniere; don't let it overflow. Don't let the goldfish bowl go dry. Please keep this on your mind. I know you've lots to do, but try to do what I've outlined. Don't leave the windows up too long and let the house get chilled. The butter might get soft and strong, so keep the icebox filled. Don't let the cat go roaming through the front part of the house, as he is very apt to do if he should hear a mouse. Keep the piano closed, my dear. Jane's a good girl, 'tis true, but when her mistress is not here no telling what she'll do. Be sure to snap the swing door lock that leads into the hall. Don't fail to wind the big hall clock, and—there, I think that's all! If Jane goes out be sure to see that she comes in right soon. Goodby, now, dear! I think I'll be back home tomorrow noon!

—J. W. Foley in New York Times.

Irreparable Loss.

He was a benevolent old gent. The mien of human kindness was part of him. From his monocle to his patent boots he beamed geniality.

It was a foggy afternoon, and the little boy upon whom the old gent happened was sobbing lustily.

"And what's the matter, laddie?" asked the elderly party cheerily.

The boy's grubby fists were rammed into his eyes, and he could not speak through his sobs.

"P-please, sir," chimed in the small boy's companion, "we was a playing marbles, and Freddie he's bin and lost his glass alley."

"Then don't cry," put in the old gent. "I wouldn't cry any more if I were you. Here's a penny. Go and buy some more alleys."

"But—b-b-but," sobbed the despairing boy, "it was father's glass eye!"—New York Mail.

Pomological Philosophy.

A woman doesn't mind being called a peach or even a Rome beauty, but who among the fair sex would want to be called a Spitzenburg?—Spokane Spokesman-Review.

Educational Systems.

"Look here," said the father, "every page of your book is covered with finger prints."

"It's an accident," replied the young student.

"Well, it is some relief to hear that. There have been so many changes in handwriting that I was afraid they had decided to make a clean sweep and substitute the Bertillon system."—Baltimore American.

Very Tired!

Johnnie—Auntie, my eyelids won't stand up any longer.—Journal Amusant.

Not Reassured.

It was a dark morning and Mr. Dorkins was groping around in the basement when somebody suddenly flashed a dark lantern on him. Mechanically he threw up his hands. "I'm the gas meter inspector," explained the intruder, whereupon Mr. Dorkins held his hands up still higher.—Chicago Tribune.

Advice to Youth.

The easiest way to acquire a fortune is to inherit it from your father.—Omaha World-Herald.

On Second Thought.

"You know," said the Chinese philosopher, "that our nation really invented gunpowder."

"Yes," replied the court official, "and when I see the trouble we are having I can't help thinking it was rather foolish of us."—Washington Star.

DON'T PULL OUT THE GRAY HAIRS

A Few Applications of a Simple Remedy Will Bring Back the Natural Color.

"Pull out one gray hair and a dozen will take its place" is an old saying, which is, to a great extent, true, if no steps are taken to stop the cause. When gray hairs appear it is a sign that Nature needs assistance. It is Nature's call for help. Gray hair, dull, lifeless hair, or hair that is falling out, is not necessarily a sign of advancing age, for there are thousands of elderly people with perfect heads of hair without a single streak of gray.

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CITY NEWS

Advantage of the fine weather was taken by the girls of St. Ann's academy on Saturday and a happy time was spent picnicing at Millside.

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A pretty window dressing on Saturday was that of the florist, Harry Tidy. He had some beautiful wreaths and crosses in his window symbolical of Mother's Day.

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The 72nd Seaforth Highlander band will render a military band concert in the local opera house next Friday evening under the auspices of Lieutenant Colonel W. Johnson and the officers of the 104th regiment.

How about your garden? Ring up phone L 184 and get Tidy, the florist, to quote you prices on the best stock that is grown in the country. They make a specialty of hanging baskets and window boxes. **

The funeral of the late Robert Gordon took place on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock from Center & Hanna's chapel. Rev. E. R. Bartlett, M.A., conducted the services, interment being in the Church of England cemetery.

The building permits for the past week were twelve in number, totalling $26,200. They are practically all for new work in the residential portion of the city, and will result in the addition of several fine houses in that quarter.

Owing to the examiations to be held at Columbian college there will be no meeting of the Westminster Choral society this evening, and the concert which was to have taken place tomorrow night has had to be postponed indefinitely.

The Ladies' Aid and vestry of St. Paul's Reformed Episcopal church will hold a social evening in the Sunday school room of the church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. All the congregation and friends are cordially invited to attend.

Did you see Harry Tidy's window on Saturday? Many people did and his beautiful Mother's Day decoration attracted many favorable comments and his lovely carnations were worn by a large number of people in honor of their mothers. For some like them phone Tidy, the florist, L 184. **

Queen Annie, Ex-Queen Kathleen and the ladies of the court, her maids of honor, to wit, the Misses Clara Martin, Doreen Thomas, Alice Bradshaw and Rachel Welsh, honored Mr. S. J. Ritchie on Saturday afternoon with a command to preserve the record of May Day, 1912, by taking their photographs.

The circuit pictures of the May Day events taken by Mr. H. E. Leash have proved an entire success. They measure eight inches in width by some four feet in length. There are two pictures of the ceremonies in the park, and one each of the procession passing the Crescent and the fire brigade outside the city hall.

Jumping off a fast moving Sapperton car brought L. Espland to grief last evening about 10 o'clock. Espland, who is said to reside in Sapperton, boarded the car and seeing his pal remain on the street, jumped off, falling heavily on the cement paving. He came to in a few minutes and was able to take another car to his home.

It was learned yesterday on reliable authority that Mr. G. H. Franklin, who until recently was interurban manager of the B. C. E. R. with headquarters in this city, is to be made manager of the new interurban line running out of Victoria to Saanich. Mr. Franklin, since he was superseded by Mr. Allan Purvis, has been on a vacation. The Saanich line is owned by the B. C. E. R.

The school trustees are anxious to effect the removal of the drill hall from Tipperary, and have approached Mr. J. D. Taylor, M.P., on the subject. He has informed the board that before the department can be approached with regard to the removal of the present building, it will be necessary to provide an alternative site. The building committee of the school board are investigating further.

At the manse, St. Stephen's Presbyterian church, on Tuesday last, by Rev. M. Gordon Melvin, Mr. Richard D. Baker, of Westminster, was united in marriage to Mrs. Catherine Thompson, late of Kilbirnie, Scotland. Mr Merrile Baker, of Seattle, acted as groomsman, and Mrs. McLaughlin was the bridesmaid. The bride was charmingly attired in a navy blue suit. The couple will take up their residence at 426 Seventh street.

A member of the Vancouver Motorcycle club named Thorburn, came to grief yesterday afternoon while trying to do a hillclimbing stunt up Lorne street from Columbia. Thorburn took the curve at full speed, hitting the opposite curb and tearing his clothes somewhat badly. Temporary repairs were made to the machine and the party accompanyir, him left later in the afternoon for home.

Just to what extent some people give a thought to the comfort of dumb animals was demonstrated yesterday afternoon, a horse and buggy being left hitched to a telephone pole on Lorne street without anything being placed under the wheels to take the brunt of the load from the horse. After an hour's absence, the owner came and unhitched the animal and rode away with but little concern.

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Mr. G. A. Keefer has reached Victoria none the worse for his trip, says a telegram received by Mr. C. N. McDonald, of the public works department, yesterday. The doctors there state that the condition of the patient is very encouraging and that he is getting along nicely. Mr. Keefer is now at his private residence, and there is every indication that his ultimate return to health will be brought about.

Depot Master Robinson, of the B. C. E. R., has, during the past week, been enjoying a well earned and perhaps a needed rest. The charms of the Fraser valley in the vicinity of Chilliwack caught his eye and donning his civilian clothes, the genial employee at the local station, hiked for the first car to that point. Record catches of fish, wonderful stories of strange bird life are anticipated on his return, which is scheduled for today.

MUSICAL RECITAL.

The music pupils in the department of music at Columbian College, will give their last recital for the term on Wednesday, May 22, at 8 p. m. at the college. The former recitals given this year were so well received that a cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend the final performance. This year the music department has met with conspicuous success. The number of pupils is double that of previous years, and great credit is due to both teachers and pupils for the degree of culture to which they have attained.

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