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BURIN ADRIFT IN GULF WITH PROPELLER LOST

For Two Days and Nights Steamer Bound for Westminster Zigzags Between Sandheads, Nanaimo and Point Atkinson—Distress Signals Pass Unnoticed—Gale and Current Carry Craft Back to Mouth of Fraser—One Man Injured.

With all three blades of her propeller stripped, lying absolutely at the mercy of the wind and tide, the steamer Burin, plying between Victoria and Westminster, drifted from the mouth of the Fraser and back again during a terrible two days and nights' vigil on the part of her crew. The Burin left Victoria on Friday afternoon last on her regular schedule bound for this port and carrying a full cargo of merchandise for Westminster and way points. In addition to her crew, who are all local men, namely, F. J. Frayer, master; F. Postlethwaite, mate; H. Greenland, engineer and a Chinese cook, she carried Mr. H. E. Rowley, manager of the Victoria and New Westminster Trading Co., who owns the craft, and his guest, Mr. S. Martin.

A call was made at Sydney Island and throughout Friday night the boat headed across the gulf to the Fraser. It was in the small hours that the Sandheads gas buoy was sighted and shortly afterwards the propeller blades broke off in the open sea, probably due to some flaw in the metal. This left the craft with no means of propulsion and there was nothing for it but to wait for the dawn.

With the first glimmer of light two of the crew put off in the boat in search of assistance. They report now that it took until 1 o'clock on Saturday to make the land, and that the tug then procured was unable to locate the Burin, which had meanwhile drifted considerably.

From the story of the men aboard her it appears that the boat was carried clear across the gulf and thence zigzagged across the waters, being at one time abreast of Point Atkinson and at another off Nanaimo. During the whole of this time her crew vainly endeavored to make sail with an awning and equally as futilely tried to attract the attention of passing craft. The usual signals of distress were shown, shots were fired off at intervals on the approach of passing ships, while as the engine could still be run the searchlight was fixed upon the distress signals at night.

Unseen or Neglected. Despite all these reports, which followed the usual custom of the sea, the fact remains that unseen or neglected the Burin rolled helplessly in the gulf during the whole of Saturday, Saturday night and part of Sunday morning, when by a providential com-

bination of wind and current she was carried off the Sandheads once again. It was blowing half a gale on Saturday night and when morning revealed to the tired men aboard the fact that they were again near the river's mouth, they tried once more to rig the awning. This time some measure of success was forthcoming and gradually they crept closer to the shore. Throughout Sunday morning efforts were made to attract attention from passing craft and Japanese fishing boats but nothing resulted. Finally the boat went ashore and the tide running out left her high and dry.

Fixed up Propeller. With the resourcefulness of true British seadogs, a temporary repair was effected to the propeller and with its help and a jury sail a start was made for Steveston, when the boat again floated.

The engine stopped on the way and in cranking it Mr. Martin received injuries which have necessitated treatment at the hospital in Vancouver.

At this juncture a Japanese boat passed within hailing distance and the Burin was finally towed safely to Steveston. Arrangements were made for a tug to bring the boat to Westminster. This was done on Tuesday and after freight had been landed unharmed at Ladner the vessel was brought by the "Stranger" to this port. Arrangements have been made with Mr. Henry Schaeke to expedite the fitting of a new propeller so that the inter-city service may not be inconvenienced.

Arduous Experience. Though observing a reticence to make complaint, Mr. Rowley, when interviewed by The News, admitted that his signals for help were disregarded by several ships which in his opinion could not well have failed to observe them.

During their long procession back and forth across the gulf the three men on the Burin had no sleep, their water gave out on Saturday night and their food supplies were running low. Although the two white men were well inured to hardship as most Royal Navy men are, the rolling of the boat, as she drifted stern first at the mercy of the waves turned all hands sick. Despite this they stuck gamely to their signalling and today with the exception of Mr. Martin, who is making a speedy recovery, are little the worse for an unprecedented experience.

GREEK LOSES LEG IN BOARDING CAR

Jumped for Front Tender on Wrong Side—Dashed Against Pole and Under Wheels.

Attempting to board a moving car on the wrong side, a Greek named John Sayles, was seriously hurt last evening about 4:30 o'clock by a Sapperton car near Leopold Place.

Sayles, according to the officials of the B. C. E. R., jumped on the foot-board of the moving car on the right side of Columbia street and coming in contact with one of the poles in the centre of the street was knocked off the car and fell under the wheels, one of his legs being mangled to such an extent as to necessitate amputation.

He was taken to the Royal Columbian hospital where Dr. Drew treated him but it was found later that the right foot could not be saved. The man's home could not be obtained last evening owing to his being unable to speak or understand English.

CONGESTED COURTS ALTERED HEARING

Solicitor for People's Trust Co. Will Ask for New Trial—Architect's Plans.

A new feature of the suit brought by Mr. W. A. Doctor, a Vancouver architect, against the People's Trust Company of this city, was made known by Mr. Adam S. Johnston, yesterday to a representative of The Westminster Daily News.

The case was heard by Mr. Justice Clement on Monday in Vancouver, when judgment was awarded to Mr. Doctor for fees for drawing the plans for the proposed ten storey building which the company intended to erect on Columbia street.

According to Mr. Johnston, the case was scheduled for Thursday, Nov. 21, but owing to the congestion in the Vancouver courts it was laid over until Monday, Nov. 25. Mr. Johnston was then away in Victoria and thus was unable to produce two material witnesses for the defence so that he sent one of his assistants to the Vancouver court Monday morning to ask for an adjournment.

The solicitor for the plaintiff objected to this arrangement and the case therefore, was proceeded with, no witness being heard for the defence.

Mr. Johnston has drawn up the papers necessary for an application for a new trial and he will proceed along this line within the next few days.

According to Mr. Johnston, the company he represents has an excellent chance of winning out in the suit as it is alleged that several glaring errors appeared in the plans drawn up by Mr. Doctor which would and could not be passed by any building inspector of any reputable city in the Dominion.

While not speaking officially for the company, Mr. Johnston made known the fact that the People's Trust Company still have the matter in hand regarding the building of a large structure on Columbia street on the site east of the city hall, but that the plans submitted by Mr. Doctor were totally unfit for such a proposition.

SOCIALIST TELLS OF ISLAND STRIKE

Alleges Government is Working Hand in Glove With Operators—Dreams of Syndicalism.

Declaring that the time is approaching when labor men all over the world will be in a position to squeeze whatever they wish from the capitalist class, and when they will take over the concerns, thus doing away with the profits the mouled men obtain, Mr. G. Pettigrew of Nanaimo, a member of the Industrial Board of the Mine Workers of America, told a story in vivid colors as to conditions which now exist among the miners of Vancouver Island, many of whom are now on strike at Cumberland, B.C.

Before the speaker was allowed to take the platform some little discussion arose as to the merits of this Industrial Socialism or Syndicalism, as it is styled, and on a vote being taken, the Trades and Labor Council supported the movement by a vote of 13 to 7.

The Typographical Union delegates were solid against the proposition, and speaking for his association, Delegate Maiden denounced the move as "Socialism with whiskers on—nothing more than Socialism in disguise." The motion carried, however, and also one to allow Mr. Pettigrew to address the meeting.

Mr. Pettigrew, who is a fluent speaker, and well versed in unionism, both on this continent and in Great Britain, depicted how the island

HIGHLAND PARK CUT OFF OPENS

New Service Between Cities Goes Into Effect on Saturday.

Freight Terminal Plans—New Dispatching System—Provision for Edmonds Service.

One of the biggest transportation adjustments in the history of the city in regard to the B. C. E. R. will be made on Saturday morning if the consent of the provincial government inspector of railways, Mr. F. G. Gamble, is obtained.

After months of hard work the Highland Park cut-off is now in a state of completion as far as tracks and wiring are concerned and, according to Mr. Allan Purvis, interurban manager of the company, the first passenger car service over the double track route will be inaugurated on Saturday morning.

This will mean a complete change in the car service in the west end of the city.

On Sixth and Twelfth. The residents of Twelfth street, who have been served by the interurban cars, will enjoy a city service between the Columbia street depot and Edmonds, two cars being operated, which meet at Sixth avenue, to which double tracks have been laid with the Hassam paving.

The breach between Edmonds and Highland Park will be filled by the Sixth street cars running to the junction at the cut-off which altogether will necessitate three more cars at least and probably more on that service.

Another feature of the change will be the making of a freight terminal on the site upon which the Eburne tracks are laid.

Freight Terminals. The Eburne car line will be cut in on the Highland Park line near Sixteenth street which will allow for a trackage capable of handling 250 cars as a freight terminus.

The present dispatcher's office at the corner of Twelfth and Columbia street will be moved to the Columbia street depot within the next two weeks thus having the control of trains running over the entire interurban system on the lower mainland operated from one office.

The land on which the dispatcher's office is located has been leased to the company by the city until March 1 and will be used to store the additional rolling stock which is daily arriving and also for the storage of equipment until the addition is made to the present car barns, plans for which are now being prepared.

Mr. Purvis, when interviewed yesterday afternoon, stated that the company had no intention of increasing the number of cars between here and Vancouver, for a few days at least, as it will take some little time for the schedule to be adjusted and brought into proper working order. The new interurban cars, however, are being repaired with all possible dispatch and will be placed on the run when the demand exists.

Cutting Time Down. This change will mean that the running time between New Westminster and Vancouver will be reduced at least ten minutes and the annoying delays that now occur at Highland Park and the Orphanage switches will be avoided.

The time could be materially shortened between the two cities were it not for the fact that Vancouver city cars make a congestion running from Cedar Cottage and until the company obtains a clear right of way into the city, this delay from the outskirts of the city will be unavoidable.

Rumors have been circulating during the past year that the B. C. E. R. has entered into negotiations with one of the big steam roads for running rights over its tracks into Vancouver but whether these have any solid basis remains to be seen.

The opening of the new line will mark the beginning of a new epoch in electrical transportation for both the two cities on the lower mainland. The work has been done in the fastest time ever attempted by the company, and, unlike previous announcements regarding other lines in the city it is believed that little or no delay will occur with its operation.

CALGARY PLUMPS FOR HIGH LEVEL BRIDGE

Calgary, Alta., Nov. 27.—Calgary citizens voted yesterday in favor of a bylaw providing almost a million dollars for the construction of a high-level concrete bridge spanning the Bow river, and two smaller concrete bridges. The bylaw carries a preliminary appropriation of \$800,000 for the construction of the bridges, and considerably more will be required for expropriation of the approaches.

The big bridge will be located at Center street, and will bring the populous district on the north side within a few minutes walk of the centre of the city. The total vote cast was 1540 or more than double the highest previous vote ever cast on a money bylaw. The result stood 1441 for and only 509 against.

ATTEMPT TO MURDER CHARGE PREFERRED

William Brownlee Arraigned This Morning—Gabriel's Condition Said to Be Improving.

William Brownlee, one of the proprietors of the Melbourne hotel, will be brought before Magistrate Edmondson in police court this morning and charged with attempt to murder.

This is the outcome of the finding by the local police of Andrew Gabriel who was lying unconscious on Columbia street late on Tuesday evening. Gabriel later made a written statement to the police which resulted in Brownlee being arrested by Sergeant Bruce and Detective Burrows.

So dangerous was the condition of Gabriel yesterday noon that Magistrate Edmondson journeyed out to the Royal Columbian Hospital where he witnessed the wounded man make another written statement which charges Brownlee with the assault.

The accused was brought into police court yesterday morning but the case was adjourned until this morning on account of the condition of his partner.

The police yesterday morning continued their search for evidence and found several valuables belonging to Gabriel hidden away in a part of the house occupied by Brownlee at the Melbourne hotel.

Enquiries at the hospital late last evening elicited the information that Gabriel had taken a turn for the better and was now on the way to recovery. A stone is said to have been used in beating up Gabriel and blood-stained clothes are alleged to have been found in the room of the accused.

COUNCILS AGREE TO PROTEST PROPOSAL

City and Municipalities Object to Contributing to Cost of High Level Bridge.

At a meeting held in the office of the mayor yesterday morning by delegates representing Burnaby, Port Moody, Coquitlam and New Westminster, it was decided to strenuously protest the proposition of the Great Northern Railway Company to build a high level bridge on the North road over the existing tracks of the G.N.R., which comes up before the Board of Railway Commissioners in the court house, Vancouver this morning.

Those present at the meeting were Reeve Mars, Coquitlam; Mr. G. L. Churchard, representing Port Moody; Reeve Weart, Burnaby, and Mayor Lee.

While it is understood that no opposition will be made to the proposal to build the bridge at this point what the municipalities balk at is the idea of paying part of the cost of the structure.

SURREY FARMER IS FOUND NOT GUILTY

Witnesses to Integrity and Reputation of Mr. Albert George Stevens Are Numerous.

After being absent for about ten minutes the jury returned a verdict of not guilty in the charge of perjury against Albert George Stevens, farmer, Surrey. The verdict was greeted with loud applause in court, which Mr. Justice Murphy mildly rebuked, saying they could not have that, and gentlemen should know it was not proper.

The case has caused a great deal of interest and indignation in Surrey, where Mr. Stevens was well known. The evidence for the defence was remarkable for the plethora of testimonies as to the integrity and high reputation of accused.

Mr. Stevens, on the stand, said he had given evidence in the case of Saunders versus Surrey Municipality, in reference to the horse being baulky. He said the evidence he gave that day in regard to the Market Square incident was that he saw Wolfe with his horse and cart, that the horse would not start for him, that he got off from the cart, took the horse by the head with one hand and the lines in the other, turned him round and led him along, facing Front street, then got into the cart and drove on.

Mr. McQuarrie asked if he had said anything about leading the horse up to the bridge, to which he replied: "No; I never mentioned it; nor leading the horse up to, or along Columbia street up to the bridge."

Mr. McQuarrie—When were you first approached to give evidence in the Surrey case?

Witness—On the second day of the trial when Sullivan was on the witness stand. Up to that time there was no question of my giving evidence. It was owing to a conversation with

AIM TO PROTECT CITY MERCHANTS

Council Has Long Debate on New Trades License By-law.

Outside Firms Must Pay to Transact Business in Westminster—Proposed Scale Outlined.

A wordy warfare developed in the city council last night when a clause in the new Trades License Bylaw imposing a half yearly license of \$50 on agents from an outside firm, came up for consideration.

Alderman Dodd set the ball rolling when he declared that if Westminster made such a provision as that the other municipalities, such as Burnaby, from which the business men of the city hoped to secure considerable trade, would retaliate and it would be impossible for the agents of local firms to canvass in these places. At any rate he saw no reason why he should not buy his clothes from Toronto or any other outside place if he wanted to.

Get the Right Spirit. Mayor Lee, in reply, vehemently declared that the local merchants must be protected. "If we are going to build up a community in Westminster we have got to protect the people who pay the price. That's just what is the matter with Westminster, the people have not got the real spirit of the city yet," he declared.

His worship stated further that if Alderman Dodd wished to buy his clothes in Toronto—manufactured in a sweatshop—while his fellow citizens starved, he could do so.

The alderman, however, answered that he certainly would not buy clothes if they were sweatshop manufactured.

Local Traders Agree. Several of the local tradesmen who, at the invitation of the council, had attended the meeting endorsed the taxation of outside agents.

Mr. J. H. Todd declared that it was a very necessary thing. He had known of people who had come over from Vancouver and had sold sewing machines at a less figure than local merchants. They paid no license. Mr. A. Hardman stated that as far as Burnaby was concerned he was forced to take out a license in order to solicit trade for his business in that municipality.

The council was firm in its opinion that the Westminster traders should be protected at all costs but the clause which gave rise to the discussion was laid over for consideration at a later meeting.

In conclusion Mayor Lee stated that unfortunately a good many Westminster people were in the habit of buying their necessities outside the city and "that is one reason why the city is not in the commercial position it should be at the present time."

Down on Peddlers. House to house peddling by outsiders is another thing that the council will endeavor to eliminate as much as possible by the new bylaw. Hawkers and peddlers will not be able to conduct their business after it passes unless they pay \$10 a day, \$20 a week or \$100 a month for a license.

The lodging house, restaurant and theatre provisions of the bylaw were gone into thoroughly and with a few amendments and emendations were passed. They will, however, come up for a third reading later.

Trades and Professions. Clauses covering a number of other trades and professions were laid over, but the following scale of charges for licenses was passed for the first time: Laundries and wash-houses, \$5 every six months; pawnbrokers, \$125 every six months; carriages and other vehicles (suggested), \$42.50 each vehicle; transient trader, \$250, six months; circus, for one day stand, \$200; theatre, \$100 per year (laid over); restaurants, \$5 six months; billiard saloons, \$1 a table (laid over); bowling alleys and shooting galleries, \$5 each month; retail and wholesale merchants, \$5 a month; wax-working, exhibitions, etc., other than those put on by churches or associations, \$30 each day (laid over); astrologists and palmists, \$50 six months; transient realty traders, \$100 six months; contracting stavedores, \$10 six months; photographers, \$5 six months; dentists, \$5 six months; vegetable and milk vendors (suggested), \$5 six months; architects, \$5 six months; book agents \$5 six months; real estate dealers, \$12.50 six months; druggists, \$5 six months; physicians, \$5 six months.

A number of other licenses came up but were laid over as the hour of the meeting was then getting late.

Nothing was done with reference to the sale of a street to the Brunette Mills or with regard to cutting down mountain ash trees.

Likes Nanaimo. Picturing a bright future for the Coal City, Mr. Charles Sutherland, a late resident of New Westminster and now managing editor of the Nanaimo Herald, was in the city yesterday morning. He left on the afternoon boat for the island.

COQUITLAM THEFT CASE BEING TRIED

Partners in Cartage Company at Variance—Cross-Examination Begins Today.

Frank Van, partner in the firm of the Coquitlam Cartage Company is at present undergoing trial before Mr. Justice Murphy and a jury on a charge of stealing a cheque of \$228.20 from the partnership. The other partner is Westley Routley, Coquitlam. Accused was defended by Mr. Adam S. Johnston.

P. O. Bilodeau of the Windsor hotel, gave evidence of cashing a cheque for \$228.20 by the Coquitlam Construction Company in favor of the Coquitlam Cartage Company. The name Van was endorsed upon it and prisoner averred that he was authorized to sign cheques for the firm. Witness only consented to cash it when Mr. Freeman of the Central hotel, added his endorsement.

Westley Routley deposed that accused was his partner and detailed the conditions of partnership. Van kept the books and looked after all the bills and accounting. The arrangement was that all monies should be paid by cheque signed by both partners.

The cheque for \$228.20 was not entered in the day book which was the only book he had found. He never got any part of that cheque nor was it accounted for. Van made an excuse to go to Vancouver one day in July last. He paid no attention to his absence for at least five days, when the Construction company informed him the cheque for \$228.20 was paid out.

He saw Van afterwards in jail when accused asked him: "What are you going to do about it?" He replied: "You will have to take your chance." When witness was going away accused called him back and said: "I played those races too hard." Van was away a month or six weeks and only came back under arrest.

Cross-examined witness denied that Van had two teams in the partnership against his one. The third was paid for by the company. The business was

a paying one. He, witness, might have collected a small bill like \$2 but he would hand it to accused. He knew accused about seventeen years, "I never heard him say he was going north on a survey party."

Frank Van, examined by Mr. Johnston, stated he had two teams in the partnership to Routley's one and was entitled to twice the amount Routley was. He admitted cashing the cheque. He wrote Routley saying he was going north on a survey party. He stayed in Vancouver about a week and then went to Eburne. He made no attempt to conceal himself and it was generally known where he was.

He thought there would be from \$800 to \$1000 on the books due the firm, which would be ample to defray the firm's debts and pay Routley something. There was no arrangement about paying by cheque and he paid Routley cash all along. He pointed out one entry in the day book "Paid Routley \$7."

Cross-examination was postponed until today and the court adjourned.

ABOMINABLE METHOD OF HANDLING MILK

City's Health Representatives Inspect Dairies—One Only Meets With Approval.

Conditions perhaps not dangerous, but not entirely favorable to the health of the citizens were found to exist in a number of dairies from which the city derives its milk supply by Dr. A. L. McQuarrie, medical health officer, Alderman Dodd and S. J. Pearce during a trip of inspection made yesterday morning.

The tour was for the object of securing data to be embodied in a report on local and district dairy conditions. This will be presented at the meeting of the Provincial Commission in the City Hall at 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon, together with several recommendations.

Speaking of the trip last night Alderman Dodd stated: "We only found one dairy that came up to the standard of what we thought a dairy should be. The conditions in some

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WANTED—YOUNG SCOTCH GIRL wishes position to assist with house work. Box 158 News Office. (158)

STENOGRAPHER WANTS POSITION Apply 159, Daily News. (159)

RELIABLE WOMAN WANTS DAY work, 25c per hour. Mrs. Lacy, phone 1099. (160)

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WANTED—COMPETENT NURSE OR mother's help. No downstairs work. Apply 731 Sixth street. (153)

WANTED—ORGANIST FOR OLIVET Baptist church. Duties to commence on December 8th. For particulars apply F. T. C. Lever, Box 777, New Westminster. (145)

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FOR SALE

FOR SALE—TWO DOUBLE CORNER lots on Douglas road, near Edmonds road. Burnaby, size 54 1/2 x 175, all stumps blasted and brush cut, \$1000 each; one-quarter cash, balance to arrange. This property is \$500 below market price. Apply owner, J. Bone, Colonial Pool Room. (140)

FOR SALE OR TO RENT—SHOE-maker's shop at Matsqui, with full outfit for repairing. Good business stand. Apply to Jens Berg, Box 586, New Westminster. (139)

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LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Board for the City of New Westminster for a license to sell liquors by retail on the premises known as the Hotel Lytton, situate on Front street and Lytton Square, in the said City of New Westminster.
 NORMAN D. CAMERON.
 New Westminster, B.C., Nov. 22, 1912. (132)

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Board for the City of New Westminster for a license to sell liquors by retail on the premises known as the Premier Hotel, situate on Carnarvon street and Eighth street, in the said City of New Westminster.
 A. G. PETERS.
 New Westminster, B.C., Nov. 22, 1912. (133)

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Board for the City of New Westminster for a license to sell liquors by retail on the premises known as the Hotel Windsor, situate on Columbia street and Begbie street, in the said City of New Westminster.
 F. O. BLODEAU.
 New Westminster, B.C., Nov. 22, 1912. (134)

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Board for the City of New Westminster for a renewal of license to sell liquors by retail on the premises known as the Kings Hotel, situate on Columbia street, in the said City of New Westminster.
 WILLIAM ORME.
 New Westminster, B.C., Nov. 22, 1912. (135)

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

Notice is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Board for the City of New Westminster for a renewal of license to sell liquors by retail on the premises known as the Central Hotel, situate on Columbia street, between Alexander and Eighth streets, in the said City of New Westminster.
 JOS. I. FREEMAN.
 New Westminster, B.C., Nov. 22, 1912. (136)

LIQUOR LICENSE ACT.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply at the next sitting of the Licensing Board for the City of New Westminster for a renewal of license to sell liquors by retail on the premises known as the Royal City Hotel, situate at the corner of Customs House Square and Columbia street, in the said City of New Westminster.
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 New Westminster, Nov. 15, 1912. (55)

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TO RENT—FURNISHED FLAT, 416 Ash street. (157)

TO RENT—ROOM AND BOARD, 527 Carnarvon street. (162)

TO RENT—FURNISHED BED-rooms, heated. Apply 701 Agnes street, opposite Library. (147)

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TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSE-keeping rooms, hot and cold water. Apply room 9, Knights of Pythias hall, corner Eighth street and Agnes street. (5)

LOST.

LOST OR STRAYED—FROM RESIDENCE of J. P. Hampton Bole, small, Black Cocker Spaniel dog with strap collar. Reward. (178)

LOST—SMALL FOX TERRIER white with black ears and black spot on left hip. Finder please notify A. S. Moore, 412 Second street. (164)

TENDERS.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned for the plumbing and electrical work on the new Trapp block, Columbia St. Plans and specifications can be seen at the Architect's office, and tenders will be received on and up to noon of Friday the 6th December, 1912.
 The lowest or any tender may not necessarily be accepted.
 GARDINER & MERCER, Architects. (167)

CORPORATION OF BURNABY.

Notice to Holders of Registered Agreements of Sale.
 Holders of Registered Agreements, who have not transferred their interest, are requested to make the Statutory Declaration, in order that their names may be inserted in the Annual Voters' Lists. Such Declarations should be in the hands of the Clerk not later than the 30th day of November instant. The necessary forms may be obtained on application at the Municipal Hall.
 ARTHUR G. MOORE, Clerk.
 Edmonds, B.C., November 6, 1912. (37)

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ST. PAUL WOULD BE HELD A HERETIC IN MONTREAL.

Montreal, Nov. 27.—When the case of Rev. Dr. Workman against the Wesleyan Theological college for alleged unjust dismissal owing to unorthodox views came up in the court of appeals this morning an interesting episode occurred while C. H. Stephens, K. C. was presenting the case for Dr. Workman against the college.
 "Would St. Paul be held up as a heretic in modern times?" inquired Justice Trenchholme from the bench.
 "Yes, my lord, I think he would in the city of Montreal," Mr. Stephens flashed back.

WELL PLACED PRIZES.

Trophies That Have Been Justified by Their Recipients.

That famous journalist, Mr. W. T. Stead, began his career as an author by winning a prize in a competition organized by a boys' paper.
 It was in the 'sixties that a boys' journal, of which young Stead was a regular reader, offered a prize of a guinea, to be spent in books approved by the editor, for the best effort in a literary competition. The winner was announced as "W. T. Stead," and the books he chose were several volumes of the poets. It was this success which made Stead resolve to be a great writer and editor himself.

That prolific and most successful authoress, Mrs. Henry Wood, whose novels are said to have sold to the extent of over 4,000,000 copies up to now, began her career with winning the prize of \$500 offered by a Band of Hope organization for a temperance tale. Mrs. Wood's prize story was entitled "Danesbury House," and at the time the large amount given for the prize was regarded as wonderful. Delighted with this initial success, Mrs. Wood immediately began a second long story, which Messrs. Bentley purchased at once, for the authoress' name was then known far and wide as the winner of that notable prize. This new story proved to be "East Lynne," and thus commenced a wonderful run of success which lasted right away till the lamented death of Mrs. Wood a few years ago.

One day in the 'eighties of last century a young Jewish school teacher in London chanced to pick up a popular weekly, and saw that it was offering a prize for the best short story. Thinking how useful this prize would be to him, and imagining he had a good story to tell, that young Jew wrote a tale, and duly despatched it to the paper in question. A little while afterwards he had the satisfaction of seeing his effort announced as the prizewinner, and when a bigger prize of \$25 was similarly offered for a story he again had a shot at it.

Success once more crowned his effort, and henceforth Israel Zangwill made up his mind that writing tales, and not school-teaching, was his forte. So, in due time, he earned more and more by his stories, till he at length left teaching altogether, for "The Master" and other noted novels had brought him world-wide fame.

A recent instance of a lady becoming famous as a novelist through winning a prize is Mrs. Baillie-Saunders. She won the \$500 offered by Mr. Fisher Unwin, for the best story of a certain length sent in to him by a new writer. The winning story was "Saints in Society," and this was discovered, from the sealed envelope accompanying such tale, to be by Mrs. Margaret Baillie-Saunders. Since that time this clever lady has rapidly made her way to the front rank of present-day novelists.

A Cattle King.

Mr. Sydney Kidman, the Queensland Cattle King, holds more land than anyone else in Australia, probably more than any other individual in the world, his runs aggregating something like 50,000 square miles, which, he confesses, "far too much for any one man to have."

Leaving his parents' home, near Adelaide, forty-two years ago, at the age of thirteen, to seek his fortune, he secured employment as a cowboy on the Gipps Station at \$2.50 a week. Then he carted wood and drove bullocks on the Darling, and was one of the first at the Cobar rush.
 With his brother George he went in for cattle and horse dealing, and, in partnership with others, took "out-back" mail contracts in various states of Australia. There was a lot of money made in those days, and Mr. Kidman got his share of it. He is a very rich man to-day.

He finds the atmosphere of cities hard to breathe, and dislikes their roar and rattle. He is never so happy as when traveling in a buggy across the huge tracts in Queensland, where he is monarch of all he surveys.

Most millionaires talk disparagingly of riches, but go on acquiring them all the same. Mr. Kidman is not different from Carnegie, or any of the other money kings. "Get health, my friend; wealth will only bring you trouble," he is fond of saying.

A Famous Old Clock.

The redecoration of the famous clock by 'William in the Prime Minister's house in Downing Street, London, is a reminder that many Government departments are the possessors of grandfather clocks of considerable value. Perhaps the most interesting of all is one at the Admiralty which has a double dial, with two sets of numbers from I. to XII. It is believed to have been a gift from Queen Anne, who, like her husband, Prince George of Denmark, held the office of Lord High Admiral. It only requires winding up once in the course of the year, and is the work of the incomparable Tompion. It is stated that in 1700 he actually started on the construction of a clock for St. Paul's Cathedral which was to go for a hundred years without winding.

It Couldn't Be Turned.

There is in London a gentleman who has given up several years of his life to a crusade against the ordinary sheet. He has invented a sheet which cannot be turned by the maker of the bed, so that the sleeper is always sure of being between the same surfaces. He holds that very few hotels give to each boarder a clean pair of sheets, and that the proprietors have an unpleasant habit of turning them, or ironing them, and then calling them clean. "Few people realize," says the inventor, "that an ordinary pair of sheets can be put on a bed in 32 different positions. It is an appalling thought that one may be the thirty-second person to sleep between those sheets."

Egypt's Wealth.

The prosperity of Egypt lies almost entirely in its cotton crop, which approximates a value of \$100,000,000 a year. Last year's yield from 1,603,266 acres was 650,000,000 pounds.

PEASANTS OF RUSSIA.

They Can't Read and Have to Be Aided by Signs and Symbols.

All Russian shops have signs indicating the business carried on within them. Most of them have paintings describing the articles sold. For example, outside the fishmonger's is a large picture of fish; outside the butcher's, of meat; outside the poultryer's, of chicken and game; outside the tea-shop, of teapots, glasses and saucers.

Houses are painted red, green, yellow, blue, so that the peasants may easily differentiate them or explain the way. Trains are sent off by bells at the station because the peasants cannot read the time tables. The first bell, one chime, is a quarter of an hour before the train starts; the second, two chimes, is five minutes before, and the third, three chimes, means the train is starting.

At postoffices men are employed to write letters for peasants or read them at a fixed tariff. For addressing an envelope, one farthing; for writing a postcard or a short letter, penny farthing; for writing a long letter, twopenny halfpenny, and for reading a letter aloud, one penny. Every pillar box has a picture of a letter on it, so that the peasant may know it is the place in which to drop his postcard or his envelope. Russia is, as a rule, free from billboards, because the peasant cannot read.—London Family Herald.

ENGLISH INN NAMES.

Some of Them Are as Quaint as Their Origins Are Queer.

Many explanations have been given of curious signboards for inns. The Goat and Compasses is supposed to be a corruption of a motto set over inns during the Puritan period, "Good compasses us;" Bag of Nails of "Bacchanals;" Why Not and Dewdrop Inn are described as invitations to the wayfarer; Bird in Hand and Last House, or Final, suggestions that he should not waste his opportunities to imbibe.

The Bull and Mouth is said to be a corruption of Boulogne Mouth, captured by Henry VIII. Bull and Gate, it is suggested, may possibly be a similar vulgarism for Boulogne Gate.

Great battles fought and fortresses taken are commemorated by Gibraltar, Waterloo, Battle of the Nile, and Trafalgar. Admirals range from Blake to Napier, generals from Marlborough to Wolseyley, Wellington, Nelson and Keppel being the most common.

It is surprising how many of the Nelson Inns are buildings three or four centuries old, "showing that the innkeeper was prepared to sacrifice the sign under which he had hitherto done business and trusted to make a new reputation under the aegis of the popular hero."—Westminster Gazette.

Fell Four Thousand Feet.

A tragic balloon experience was that of Brownlow. Accompanied by another balloonist, he made an ascension from St. Louis in 1902. The balloon rose rapidly to a height of about 4,000 feet. At this point Brownlow leaned over the side of the car to adjust some rigging. A sudden change in the wind, a lurch of the car, and Brownlow fell over the edge of the basket and, with a cry that his aerial comrade said would haunt him to his death, shot downward toward the earth. The balloon, thus lightened, sprang upward with a great leap, and Brownlow's companion lost consciousness. When he recovered the balloon was in full descent, and he managed to find the valve cord and so deflate it as to make a safe landing. Of Brownlow no further trace was ever found.—New York Tribune.

Wanted to Be Prepared.

A congressman tells of a little shooting party which he attended.
 "More than one of the party," said the congressman, "felt a trifle nervous about a certain young Englishman as he and his gun seemed strangers. Nothing occurred, however, until I felt something poking me in the side as we crept along. Turning quickly, I found the novice prodding me with the muzzle and fumbling with the hammers of his gun.
 "'Hi, Gus,' he whispered, 'before we get on to the birds you might just show me 'ow you let these 'ere trig gers down!'"—Boston Traveller.

Onion Soup and Fame.

Membership in the French academy was once closely associated with onion soup. During the restoration in France a club was formed under the title of "Dinner de la Soup a l'Onion." This organization contained twenty members. It met every three months, when the dinner was opened with an onion soup. The club was to endure until every academy was elected to the academy. This was accomplished in 1845, when the last banquet was held.

The Usual Way.

"Papa," said Jacky, "would you like to have me give you a birthday present?"
 "Yes, indeed."
 "Then now is the time to double my weekly pocket money, so's I'll have the money to buy it when your birthday comes."—Pearson's Weekly.

Nicely Turned.

Mrs. Peck—We have been married twenty years today, John. John (with a sigh)—Yes, for twenty years we've fought!—Mrs. Peck (scowling)—What? John (quickly)—Life's battles together, Maria.

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 Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.
 In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal subdivisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be stated out by the applicant himself.
 Each application must be accompanied by a fee of \$5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.
 The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated such returns should be furnished at least once a year.
 The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee will be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of \$10 an acre.
 For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

DEPARTMENT OF WORKS

Ferry, Fraser River.
 In accordance with chapter 85, R. S. B. C., 1911, "Ferries Act," the Government of British Columbia invite applications for a charter for a ferry to ply on the Fraser River between New Westminster, Port Mann, Annacis Island, and Coquitlam.
 Applications will be received by the Hon. Minister of Public Works up to 12 o'clock noon of Monday, the 9th December, 1912.
 The charter will cover a period expiring on 31st March, 1914.
 Applicants shall give a description of the vessel it is proposed to use, the method of operation, and the vessel must conform in all respects to the requirements of the "Canada Shipping Act" and amending Act.
 Applicants shall state the tolls they propose to ask for—
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 Passenger with horse and buggy.
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 Hogs, per head.
 Calves and colts under one year old, per head.
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IDENTITY CONCEALED TO SAVE HUSBAND

Supposed Victim of Iroquois Theatre Fire Discovered by Daughter After Nine Years.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Nov. 27.—Mrs. Ella Mayhew, who is said to be a travelling representative of the American Red Cross, and her daughter, Mrs. Sidney Burrows, of West Grand Rapids, have just been reunited after a separation of nine years in which Mrs. Burrows mourned her mother as dead, supposing she had perished in the Iroquois Theatre fire in Chicago with about six hundred others.

Mrs. Mayhew attended the theatre in 1903 with a friend. When the fire broke out they became separated. The friend escaped uninjured but as no trace of Mrs. Mayhew could be found but a charred skeleton wearing a ring bearing her initials, she was mourned as lost. Mrs. Mayhew was not dead, however. She had been badly injured and taken to the Red Cross Hospital in Chicago, where for a long time her life hung by a thread and her mind was blank.

Upon her recovery, she learned, that supposing her to be dead, her husband had married again and her only child, Mrs. Burrows, had changed her residence. Mrs. Mayhew thought best to conceal her identity under an assumed name and became connected with the hospital where she had been restored to health. Her existence probably would never have been discovered by her daughter but for the settlement of an estate in which Mrs. Mayhew was interested. Her name was mentioned in the newspapers and was seen by her daughter, who lost no time in communicating with her mother by long distance telephone.

MODERN JEAN VAL JEAN UNDER ARREST

Leading Model Life, New Orleans Man Charged With Crime Committed in Boyhood.

New Orleans, La., Nov. 27.—A petition for the pardon of a modern Jean Valjean is being largely signed here. The case is that of Emile Dealon, arrested two days ago for a crime committed 33 years ago. For many years Dealon had been declared a model citizen in New Orleans. His arrest was caused by an anonymous letter.

Before attaining his majority Dealon and Edward Broderick, who since has died, set fire to a church on St. Charles avenue and Broderick turned state's evidence. Dealon, who did not reveal his real name, was sent to the state prison for 14 years. After a few months he dug his way out from the prison and for years drifted about the world. Eighteen years ago he came back here, settled down and married. Three children were born of the union. His wife was prosecuted by the arrest and is now in the hospital.

PERJURY COMMON.

London Recorder Says Those Accused Make False Statements.

London, Nov. 27.—Addressing the recorder in a case of perjury at the Old Bailey, counsel for the defense remarked that cases of this particular character were rare.

The Recorder—What, rare? Perjury is committed before me in almost every case I try in this court.

In sentencing the prisoner to 12 months' hard labor the recorder said he was sorry to say that perjury by persons accused of crime was of repeated occurrence, committed practically every day that he sat in the court, and a similar observation had been made by other judges in different parts of the country.

MACLAREN FOR SENATE.

Report That Cheese Kings Will Be Given Seat in Upper House.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—Another senatorial appointment will have to be made shortly, when the seat of Senator Sullivan, of Kingston, is formally declared vacant by the Senate at the opening of the session. Senator Sullivan has been absent for two sessions, and therefore, forfeits his seat. It is understood the appointment will go to a Western Ontario man, and Alex. MacLaren, the millionaire cheese manufacturer, is slated for the position. Mr. MacLaren's large interests in British Columbia will in a sense make him a "Western" as well as a "Western Ontario" representative.

PARIS MANSONS FOUND GUILTY OF INSULTING ARMY

Paris, Nov. 27.—A jury in the Assize Court has found 19 committeemen of the Paris Mason's Union, guilty of conduct grossly insulting to the army and has sentenced them to three months' imprisonment and the payment of a fine. The defendants were charged with being the prime movers in the organization of what is known as the "Sou Du Soldat." ("The Soldiers' Cent.")

By this means it was sought to collect a cent a month from members of the organization to spread anti-militarism in the army. Its object was to promote in the army the propaganda of the General Federation of Labor.

Home Rule Fund Swelled.

London, Nov. 27.—The trustees of the Irish Parliamentary fund have received from the American United Irish League £2000. Treasurer Fitzpatrick writes: "Half came from the good people of Montreal, as their tribute in aid of the great cause of representative government."

WEARING LIZARDS.

They Reptiles Are Popular Adornments in London Now.

According to the London Daily Mirror, the fashion, introduced some time ago, of using live lizards as women's adornments is growing rapidly in favor, and bids fair soon to become the "rage." Many English women now pay afternoon calls wearing wriggling green lizards, which have little gold or silver collars around their scaly necks. So popular has the reptile become that it threatens to depose the fluffy beauties of the Pomeranian and Pekinese world from their posts of honor.

A lizard has many qualifications as a pet. It can cling around and decorate its owner's neck; get itself tucked up under the collar of a coat; snuggle under fluffy wraps and feather boas; be used as a live and elegant bracelet; carried with dignity in the hand, and shoved away in a bag should it happen to be temporarily in the way. And it has a further advantage—not that it is material—of being cheap; 60 cents will buy one, and eight meal worms a day—they cost 12 cents per 100—will satisfy its normal appetite.

"Scores of well-known ladies keep lizards as pets," said J. W. Seal recently. Mr. Seal is an authority on the subject. He has a shop where he has sold hundreds of lizards to well-known persons. "The fashion started last April. A lady artist had four blue Persian cats, but she wanted to add to the color scheme, and so she bought a few bright grass-green Dalmatian lizards, and now the blue cats and green lizards frisk about together on the floor of the lady's studio. Her friends were delighted with the idea, and the craze for lizards has become so popular that during the last two months I have sold hundreds."

"Dangerous? Not a bit. We tame them before selling them. We handle them over water—if they fall they don't hurt themselves—until they get accustomed to us and stop biting, and afterward they never give any trouble."

"There are various kinds of lizards—the wall, green horned, Gallot's, great spotted eye lizard and the Dalmatian are the best. They are about twelve to eighteen inches long, and ladies carry them about while walking or motoring. As a rule a pet lizard has a tiny gold or silver collar around its neck, and attached to it is a chain, so there is no chance of the pet getting lost while out with its mistress."

"Lizards are no trouble to keep. You put them in a glass case when they are not being fondled, and all they require is a glass of water and a few meal worms. These worms—they are about an inch long—come from Germany, and from eight to ten form a complete meal. They like just a pinch of lettuce, but worms are their favorite dish. They need to be fed only once a day—in the evening."

"One of my customers has named her lizard Fritz. 'Fritz!' she calls, and the lizard goes to her and actually holds up its head to be fed."

"It's the same in my shop. All the lizards know when it is feeding time, and when I approach them with the worms they put up their heads and open their mouths. They won't touch dead worms."

"Properly cared for, a lizard will live for many years."

Insured Against Elopement.

They will take any risk at Lloyd's. It should be understood that this great corporation has nothing to do with it, but that the brokers issue the policies as individuals. Here are a few specimens of risks actually insured:

The uncle of a rich English heiress took out a policy for ten thousand guineas against her eloping with a certain man before a specified date. He paid a thousand guineas premium and the girl did not elope, so the broker was in a thousand guineas.

A young man sued by a girl for damages for breach of promise to marry paid eight hundred guineas for a policy covering any amount of money the jury might award to the plaintiff. It gave her seven hundred pounds, so the broker made more than a hundred pounds profit.

A cablegram arrived at the office of a ship owner stating that one of his steamers was on the rocks in a dangerous place. The owner took out a policy for £5,500, to be paid to him if the ship was lost. He paid for this a premium of £5,000. The ship was saved, so he lost the money.

Pansy's Controversy.

Amid matters of greater importance it will interest garden lovers to learn that the year 1912 is the centenary of the pansy as a cultivated flower. In 1812 the daughter of the Earl of Tankerville took up from the bedgerows of England a number of plants of the wild heartsease. These she carefully cultivated, and from year to year she selected the seeds of the finest specimens for reproduction. By this means she made the pansy a recognized garden flower.

The finest pansies to-day are three to four inches in diameter, whereas the wild heartsease is a small and inconspicuous flower. A true red pansy has been developed. Red pansies will be something of a novelty, and it remains to be seen whether the public will take kindly to them. The red pansy means much as an evidence of man's ability to mold nature to his fancies.

When some genius of the horticultural world shall develop the sweet-scented pansy—already there are some scented pansy—already there are some kinds with a faint perfume—that flower may rival the rose and the sweet pea in popular esteem.

Seditious Literature.

The 47th annual bluebook on the moral and material progress of India for 1910-11 points out that the Press Act of 1910 did not affect the literary output as a whole, but was distinctly useful in checking the production of seditious literature. Among the English works translated may be mentioned Shakespeare's "Measure for Measure" into Marathi. This was published in Bombay. In the Punjab Smiles' "Self-help" was translated into Hindi.

ALLEN CRITICIZES PILOTAGE SYSTEM

Three Accidents Due to Incompetent Guilding Inexcusable on St. Lawrence, Says Steamship Man.

Quebec, Nov. 27.—Mr. Andrew Allan, of the Allan Steamship Company, who arrived in Quebec today in connection with the berthing of the company's two new steamers, the Alsatian and Galgarian, which will be placed on the St. Lawrence route next season, and make the port of Quebec their terminus, is very emphatic in his opinion that there must be a change in the present system of pilotage on the lower St. Lawrence in the interests of shipping.

In an interview Mr. Allan said it was positively lamentable to think that three disasters to important steamers, including the Royal George, should have taken place under inexcusable circumstances of careless navigation, almost simultaneously, east of Quebec.

He proceeded to tell of the organization of the Quebec Pilot Association, which is a close organization, that not only precluded good men from entrance to the calling, but actually controlled the earnings of all pilots, the good as well as the bad, by forming a pool, which, at the end of the season was divided in practically equal shares, in which the incompetent shared equally with the competent.

He gave instances of the earnings of the pilots in the employ of the Allan line, and referred to one man who had earned \$3,500 this season, who will only be entitled to draw \$1,600 out of the pool. He also spoke of non-education of the pilots, especially in the school of navigation, and said that candidates should, for their own perfection at least, take a course in navigation in England or France, in lieu of there being no such course of education in Canada. In the meantime drastic efforts should be made to improve the pilotage system of the Lower St. Lawrence in the interests of shipping and the good name of Canada, "particularly if we hope to obtain a reduction of the insurance rates."

FEELING IN RUSSIA FOR BALKANS GROWS

Collect \$100,000 for War in Streets of Moscow—People Resent Government's Attitude.

London, Nov. 27.—Public opinion is slow to express itself in Russia, says a St. Petersburg despatch to the Reuter Telegram company, but indignation has been growing the last few weeks at the alleged lack of virility in upholding Russia's international and military dignity. A few brief statements have been issued denying all military preparations and Russians are allowed to know nothing more about the government's attitude.

"In a country where every family is represented in the army," the despatch continues, "serious resentment is inevitable. The officers complain that they are treated as superiors, while any display of enthusiasm for the Balkan States has been repeatedly repressed."

"Nevertheless the pro-Balkan feeling is developing and societies to carry on the campaign are being formed in St. Petersburg and the provinces. A street collection at Moscow yesterday for the war reached \$100,000."

"The fourth duma will assemble on Thursday and the government policy of secrecy will undoubtedly be assailed. Official manipulation failed and the constitution of the Fourth Duma is practically the same as the third but more adverse to bureaucratic methods."

"In the meantime the working classes are unsettled and the university troubles have started again. Opinions differ concerning the morale of the rank and file of the army."

MUST SHOW FIFTY DOLLARS.

Regulations Will Be Enforced on All Immigrants After Dec. 1.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—After December 1 the Immigration Department's regulation requiring that every immigrant shall be insured against being a care on the State during the winter months, by having in his possession upon landing on Canadian soil the sum of \$50 in cash, will come into effect in connection with all classes of immigrants.

The department's provision against vagrancy, as a matter of fact, came into effect on November 1 in the case of all but British immigrants with sure prospects of positions. In connection with the latter the time was extended for one month by special request from the authorities on the other side. After Dec. 1 the regulation will be enforced upon all classes and the \$50 cash insisted upon.

In the summer months, owing to the great demand for men and the consequent certainty of work for the newcomers, the "property qualification" whatever was insisted upon.

TRIED TO KILL HIMSELF FOR FOOLISH REASON

Edmonton, Alta., Nov. 27.—Because his foster father, John B. Fassett, 72 years of age, refused to accompany him to a homestead north of Edmonton last week, James Starr went to a barn in the rear of his home, and placing a .38-calibre revolver to his right temple, fired. Fortunately the aim was bad, and the bullet did no damage. Constable Gudgeon of the city police was called, and Starr was placed under arrest on a charge of attempted suicide.

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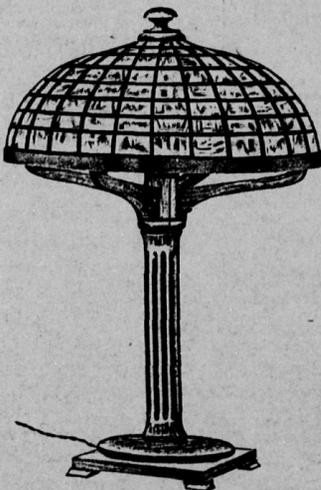
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PAPER CONFISCATED.

Vienna Publication Prints Peace Manifesto of Socialists.

Vienna, Nov. 27.—Because of the publication by the Arbeiter Zeitung of the peace manifesto issued by the International Socialist Congress at Basel, Switzerland, today's issue of the paper was confiscated.

The President of the Chamber refused to allow an interpellation on the subject by the Social Democrats. Herr Stolz protested against the confiscation, and the president's ruling caused an uproar in the chamber. The president said that in view of the present difficult position of the state the matter should be considered behind closed doors.

Herr Stolz said that the people wished peace, but it must be peace with honor. The people were ready to defend the honor and integrity of the Empire with all their guns and with all their power. The sitting proceeded behind closed doors.

To Have Bear Drive.

Chico, Cal., Nov. 27.—Bears are so numerous this autumn in certain sections of the coast range mountains that a "bear drive" is projected by foothill ranchers. Dozens of trees have been broken down in orchards already plucked by bears searching for the few stray apples left. As many as fifteen and twenty bears have been tracked through one orchard.



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ALEX. JOHNSTON, Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Department of Marine and Fisheries, 30689, Ottawa, October 28, 1912.

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THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1912.

EUROPE'S DANGER.

News from the seat of war during the past few days had given rise to hopes among all interested onlookers that the conflict might be confined to the Balkan peninsula, but today the clouds have gathered thicker than ever and only the most optimistic can hope that the trouble between Serbia and Austria may be settled by peaceable measures.

The London Times lays the blame for the war to which "the nations are drifting" at the feet of the chancelleries of Europe, but it is not alone in diplomatic councils that peace and war is made as we have recently had witness in the attitude of the Balkan peoples before the present war and in the public demonstrations in Russia in aid of the Balkan allies, which feeling now appears all too likely to result in more strenuous support.

It is earnestly to be hoped that Austria may yet stay her hand, but at though Germany now appears in the role of a peacemaker the recent conferences between the Austrian crown prince and the kaiser and between the military heads of both nations has here to be taken into account.

Great Britain's attitude throughout the past has been to throw the might of her superior force into the balance for peace. Today that superiority is far less than of yore and, consequently it is not to be wondered at that the British people, realizing this, are beginning to glimpse the awful consequences to them and to the whole empire should they be not strong enough either to dictate or to stand aside from the threatening melee of European nations.

A MAN WHO SERVED CANADA WELL.

William Ogilvie, ex-governor of the Yukon Territory, is dead, leaving behind him no means of much account. This mere statement is food for thought. William Ogilvie had opportunities such as are afforded a few men to become a millionaire. He was in the Yukon, carrying out surveys for the Dominion Government, when gold was first discovered there.

The average man would have thrown up his government job to go after gold. Ogilvie thought that his duty called on him to remain at his post, and not merely to do that, but while at his post to refrain from dabbling in gold locations. Remember, his official duty had nothing to do with gold claims. He was not debarred, legally or officially, from dealing in them. But he took the view that he owed all his time and energy to the government whose salary he was taking, and he did not meddle with gold.

Also, he did good work for the government in various ways not directly connected with his surveying. As a result he was appointed Commissioner of Police for the territory in 1887. Here again, opportunities for enriching himself were large. Most men would not have considered themselves precluded from taking advantage of such opportunities. Ogilvie did. He never touched speculation in either gold or real estate.

A tribute to his independence and courage was paid in 1898 when he was appointed a government commissioner to examine charge against other Yukon officials. Later in the same year he was made governor of the Territory. He held the post for three years, neither profiting himself, nor helping any relative to profit.

Here was a Canadian who measured up to the highest type of British administrative honesty. He gave to Canada work far beyond the value of what Canada paid him; and he did Canada the highest honor by exhibiting one of her sons who counted money as nothing compared with duty to his country.

All his life, practically, was spent in government employ. Had he been an ordinary member of the civil service, he would have been entitled to superannuation before his death. He has left little or nothing to his widow. She should be considered to have just claim for recognition from the country, which William Ogilvie served.—Ottawa Evening Journal.

BRITISH EMIGRANTS AND THE DOMINIONS.

The increased efforts, not only of this Dominion, but of the other overseas nations of the Empire for several years past to secure people from the British Isles have resulted in what the London Times regards as "really a somewhat disappointing success." In the ten years, 1901-1910 no less than 7 per cent of the emigrants from the British Isles went outside the Empire,

and only 28 per cent to countries within the Empire, whereas in the ten years 1901-1910 only 44 per cent, still remained under the flag. This aspect of the matter, needless to say, is not the aspect which the London Times finds "disquieting;" the Times points to this aspect as "very greatly qualifying the alarming aspect" of the other outstanding fact in regard to British emigration, namely, that the British Isles are steadily losing by emigration every year more than one-half of the total annual excess of births over death.

Not alone the Times, but other British journals as well are pointing out that this annual loss by emigration, which numerically is well over half the natural increase of the population of the British Isles, is a state of affairs calling for consideration. The Times contrasts the showing of the birth and deaths statistics and the emigration statistics for the British Isles with the fact that Germany, having already a population almost a third as large again as that of the United Kingdom, with a higher, though falling, birth-rate, has actually made a net annual gain of immigrants over emigrants for several years. Another aspect of the situation, which the Times draws attention to, is that a very large percentage of the population which Great Britain is losing is population of the most capable working class. "It is neither penniless nor out of employment," says the Times, "as may be judged from the proportion which travels second class, as well as by the restrictions imposed upon admission in most Dominion ports."

Says the Times: "Few things are more observed by visitors from the Dominions than the hold of poverty upon large sections of all British towns. Emigration in its present form is doing little to mitigate that distressing fact, for it takes away the more able and leaves a larger proportion of the incapable for society to support. It is, moreover, tilting the balance wrong in yet another way. In all the Dominions men are much in excess of women; in Great Britain women are more than a million more numerous than men. The obvious moral, if only it could be practically applied, is that women should emigrate in greater numbers than men. The reverse is unfortunately the case. Of the adult British emigrants who left the country last year, 158,190 were men and only 102,720 women. Had the figures been inverted they would have fitted more truly with the need on both sides."

The Times suggests that the Dominions should find ample material for their needs in the classes which at present they repel." This suggestion as the Times is careful to explain, is not to be taken as meaning that "what is no good in England will be good elsewhere. Its meaning is that town-bred and slum-bred population is as good as any, if it is saved from its surroundings young enough and brought up in ample air." There lies a source of emigration, continues the Times, which "will give the Dominions the sound British stock which they desire, and mitigate, instead of aggravating, the burden of society in these islands." All of which the Dominions will exercise the privilege of questioning.

There is another lesson to be drawn from the statistics and the facts which furnish the text for the Times article. It is that the lesson that every possible means should be opened up in the British Isles for furnishing better prospects at home for the classes of the population whose departure from the British Isles is rightly spoken of by the Times as a matter of serious import. The whole question is one which is of imperial bearing. Canada and the other overseas countries of the Empire want British immigration; but it is not desirable in the best interests of the Empire that there should be an exhausting drain upon the strength of the Mother Country.

NEW MACHINE IS BIG IMPROVEMENT

Cancels 250 Letters Per Minute—Can Now Keep Count of All Missives Handled.

With the installation of a new electrical cancelling machine at the local post office, another item, which has tended towards delaying the shipment and sorting of mail in this city, has passed and gone. The machine, which is manufactured by the International Postal Supply Company of New York has been in operation at the office for the past five days and according to Postmaster McDonald, is giving every satisfaction.

Heretofore the work has been done by hand and has kept one of the staff busy practically throughout the day. The new apparatus cancels all incoming and outgoing mail at the rate of 250 per minute, being operated by a small electric motor attached to the base.

A feature of the machine is an indicator which will give the postmaster an opportunity of keeping count of all letters being handled by the office in this city.

THE MANAGER'S CORNER.

"Do your Christmas shopping early," is a phrase that is over-worked at this season, but nevertheless the advice is good, and those who can should follow it. There are plenty who cannot, for one reason or another, do their shopping as early as they would like to, and they will swell the crowd that besieges the stores the last two or three days. Those who can will comfort suit their own comfort and that of the merchants and their clerks by buying their gifts now, besides having the advantage of first choice.

EMERGENCY MAIN ANSWERS PURPOSE

Is Now Laid and Operating Across Lulu Island Bridge—Plans for Repairing Leak.

The eight inch emergency main across the Lulu Island bridge was put into operation yesterday and found to answer to the satisfaction of Waterworks Superintendent Wootton. The section of the submerged main under the river has been cut off on either side by valves and the new pipe has been connected in its place. It is not anticipated that any difficulty will be experienced with the pipe as a great deal of care was taken with its installation. Three men working singly in eight hour shifts are stationed on the bridge turning the water off and on every time the swing is opened to let boats past. The work of repairing the submerged main will probably be started about the first of next week. A meeting of the water committee will be held this week to decide on what course should be adopted. The services of a diver will be secured and the leak surveyed first.

MERRITT'S SURPRISING GROWTH.

Now Shipping 1500 Tons of Coal Daily A City in Being. New Westminster residents who have not paid a visit to Merritt, B.C. within the past year, would be much surprised at the growth now evident in this bustling four year old city. Everywhere is evident a spirit of progress and what was a few years ago nothing more than a small country village is fast becoming a metropolitan city.

An entirely new waterworks system covering all parts of the city; complete new fire equipment; ten miles of sidewalk and a new and modern municipal building are some of the things which have been accomplished within the last year and to which the citizens of Merritt point with some pride. An electric light plant is now being installed and will be operated within a short time.

Besides the various civic improvements, private ventures are numerous and there is a strong building movement on. Real estate is active and the prices of property in Merritt are constantly being advanced. Four modern hotels are striving to care for the business but until the additions now being made are completed they are forced nightly to turn people away.

Mr. Harold Greig, one of Merritt's enterprising citizens, in another part of this issue has an announcement which should have the effect of further increasing Merritt's population and the value of its realty. When the city was established four years ago, there was a portion about 1,000 feet from the business section which was tied up by the C. P. R. He has been fortunate enough to secure 31 acres of this at a bargain price and has subdivided the section into lots which he is now offering for sale at prices far below property in the same district. A great many of the sites have already been disposed of, among the purchasers being ex-Mayor Isaac Eastwood, who is erecting a building on his site.

Mr. Greig is very enthusiastic over Merritt's future and is one of the strongest boosters of the many in that city. "Don't forget," he says, "to mention the fact that Merritt is shipping out about 1,500 tons of coal daily."

SURREY FARMER IS FOUND NOT GUILTY

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Constable Matheson, of Surrey, at Suldivn station, when I told him of the Market Square incident. I had a similar conversation with Mr. Kennedy, of McBride & Kennedy, long before the trial and before there was any question of my being a witness.

Cross-examined by Mr. Grant—You knew that it was a very important point in the case to prove it was a "balky" horse, and that you should exercise very great care in giving evidence.

Witness—Certainly. Witness, proceeding, stated the Market Square incident occurred about a month before the accident. He struck his story that it was a two-wheeled cart. Mr. Wolfe was driving that day. He based his knowledge of the fact that the horse that was killed was the same horse he saw Wolfe with, on the Market Square, on the fact that Mr. Wolfe had told him he had only one horse except the little pony. He did not know from his own knowledge that it was.

Mr. Grant—Could any person pick out that particular horse from the description you gave of it?

Witness—If he knew the man had only two horses, this one and the pony, he would know from my description it was the horse. Continuing witness said he had never seen Mr. Wolfe drive in a cart at any other except on the Market Square.

Reeve T. J. Sullivan confirmed accused's account of how he came to give evidence during the hearing of the Saunders versus Surrey case. He never heard Mr. Stevens say anything about leading the horse to the bridge or anything about the bridge. Neither was there any mention of leading the horse along Columbia street, or of Stevens following Wolfe. Stevens bore the best of reputations.

Cross-examined, he directed Stevens' attention to the fact that it was important to prove the horse was balky.

J. D. Kennedy corroborated Stevens' testimony as to his relating the Market Square incident to him long before the trial, Saunders versus Surrey.

G. L. Cassidy, barrister, engaged in the Saunders case, was confident Stevens had never mentioned anything about leading the horse to the bridge

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or on Columbia street, or of following Wolfe.

Councillor Inglis testified that he never heard Stevens say he saw Wolfe lead the horse to the bridge, or along Columbia street, or follow Wolfe.

Constable Matheson also corroborated this testimony.

J. E. Hardy spoke of seeing the horse stop opposite his house once, for five minutes, without any apparent reason.

This closed the case for the defence. In his address to the jury Mr. McQuarrie characterized the charge as one of the most iniquitous outrageous cases of persecution that anybody had ever heard of. "Dastardly" and "ridiculous," were other epithets used by counsel. The charge had been laid by Wolfe for his ulterior purpose and he roundly accused that gentleman of having committed perjury a thousand times. He and his wife had a civil case pending at this assize based on the same accident and it was important to prevent Stevens giving evidence.

Mr. Justice Murphy summed up in seven minutes, strongly in favor of accused. The only reason why he had not withdrawn the case from the jury at the close of the case for the crown, was because of the evidence of Mrs. Wolfe. A case of perjury required two credible witnesses, or one credible witness and corroborative testimony on some material point. Mrs. Wolfe swore that John Wolfe could not have driven the horse that was killed without her knowledge. That did not prove that Wolfe was not on the Market Square with the horse, but they might draw an inference that he was not.

The evidence of Bothwell and Hardy proved that there was no corroboration. The learned judge laid stress upon what was a reasonable doubt and explained at length the law of perjury.

Liberal Association

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Liberal Association of New Westminster will be held in EAGLES' HALL

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AUSTRALIANS MEET THIRD B. C. DEFEAT

Victoria Wins by Two Points After Splendid Game—End of Waratah's Tour.

Victoria, Nov. 27.—The visiting Waratah met their third consecutive defeat during their tour of B. C. at the hands of the Victoria Rugby fifteen this afternoon. It was one of the finest games played on the local field and the Australians were beaten at their own game. The final score was 13 points to 11. During their tour the Australians have met five defeats out of 18 games played. Three of these defeats were administered in this province while Stanford and Berkeley each registered a victory.

HOCKEY PLAYERS COME POURING IN

Prodgers, McDonald and Oatman Arrive on Coast—Four More Stars on Way Here.

Goldie Prodgers, Jack McDonald and Eddie Oatman, three of the six hockey players who materially assisted Quebec to win the Stanley cup last winter, blew into Vancouver yesterday afternoon and announced themselves as ready for practice at the Arena. Cyclone Taylor and Kendall came along with the party as far as Calgary but stopped off at the prairie city for a few hours visiting friends. They will arrive sometime this morning. Sibby Nichols and Captain Jimmy Gardner of the Royals are now on their way and their addition will just about fill the quota necessary for the three teams. Two other players are packing their grips but the coast moguls are not divulging any names until they are certain of their men.

SOCCER FOOTBALL SPREADS IN VALLEY

Langley and Hope Have Good Teams Projected.—Games With City League.

Soccer football in the Fraser Valley is apparently not confined to New Westminster alone. During the present season several teams have made their appearance in the valley and from reports received the attendance is gaining every week. Last Saturday afternoon Langley Fort played Hope, the score being two all. Out at Chilliwack the enthusiasm is just as strong and the games between the terminus of the Fraser Valley line of the B. C. E. R. and the neighboring towns is exciting the interest of old country people besides the full quota of Canadians who have settled there. Plans are being prepared for the staging of games between the valley teams and the aggregations comprising the City Soccer League, and should these be consummated it will tend to an uplift of soccer, not only in New Westminster, but throughout the entire Fraser Valley.

CITY SOCCER LEAGUE.

City Versus Sapperton—Moose Tackle Burnaby on Saturday. Two games have been decided upon by the officials of the City Soccer League, to be played Saturday afternoon. The City and Sapperton will meet at 2:45 o'clock on Moody Park, and this game will have a bearing on the outcome for the championship of the City League. Sapperton are going strong at this time but the City are lining up their best players, and hope to block the winning streak of the Sappertonians and also materially to assist them in having a say as to who's who in the organization. Mr. W. Newsome has been delegated to handle the whistle. At Sapperton Park the Moose and Burnaby will mix matters. Tim Mahoney has been selected as official of this contest.

WILL SETTLE FIRST PLACE.

Hustlers and Y. M. C. A. Basketball Teams Training for Game. The basketball game of the season will be staged on the Y. M. C. A. court Friday evening, when the Hustlers and the Y. M. C. A. come together for the second time in the schedule. At the present time both teams are tied for first place and the coming game will have a material bearing on the championship of the city. Both teams have been training hard

for this event and should take the floor in the pink of condition. The calibre exhibited by the four teams this winter has been above the ordinary and a five selected from the cream of the players should be able to hold their own with those of Vancouver and Victoria when they come together later in the season. A fast preliminary will be staged between two well-known teams tomorrow night.

FINE SPORT CARD DOWN FOR TONIGHT

Cream of Lower Mainland Mitt and Mat Stars at Moose Meeting.

One of the best amateur cards ever arranged by an athletic club in the city will be staged at St. Patrick's hall this evening when local and Vancouver mat and ring artists will perform before what is expected to be a bumper crowd. The affair has been arranged by the Moose Athletic club, one of the junior organizations of the city and is held under the sanction of the B.C.A.A.U. If these events are to be continued and an organization perfected that will hold its own against the best, support from the city and district is needed. The proceedings open at 8 o'clock and there are enough events carded to last until 11 o'clock.

WILL HAVE STRONG TEAM TO MEET NATIVE SONS

New Westminster will turn out the strongest rugby team of the season when they meet the Native Sons at Queen's Park on Saturday afternoon. It will be remembered that in the first game against the Native Sons the Royals lost out in the last two minutes of play, the score being 9-6. A good game is therefore assured. The players are entering into the game with the right spirit and many of them have been turning out for practice during the past few days. The selection committee have drawn up the following lineup: Back, Shildrick or Smith; three-quarters, Lloyd, Maroon, Stacey and Hoult; half-backs, Durnford, Dart, forwards, Savage, Ratton, Turney, Biggs, Loate, Decker, Walker and Andrew.

SOCIALIST TELLS OF ISLAND STRIKE

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miners are fighting to the last ditch against the Canadian Collieries, Ltd., which, he stated, was nothing more than the Canadian Northern. "If we lose this fight," he stated, "it will be heralded forth throughout the whole Dominion as a great victory for the Canadian Northern and the many unions which are employed under this great system will receive the same treatment which we are now receiving from the coal operators." "The government are working hand in glove with the operators and are filling the town of Cumberland with foot police so that when the attempt is made to import strike-breakers, they will have all the protection necessary for the company to operate the mines. "You don't want to believe all the newspapers tell you about the company producing 1,000 tons of coal per day from the Cumberland mines. They are not getting a quarter of that amount and if we have the money, we can assist everyone of the workers over in the Island in completely tying up the plants."

"Mr. Pettigrew did not quite agree with the premier when he talked of 'Die' McBride and his white Canada." He charged the government with aiding and abetting the Canadian Collieries, Ltd. by reason of the immigration authorities refusing to allow a Chinese interpreter to set foot upon Canada from the United States. This man, he said, had been engaged to work among the Oriental laborers on the Island to try and induce them to join the ranks of organized labor. "It is necessary," he stated, "that the Chinese and Japanese be brought in the union if we wish to win the fight."

In conclusion, he gave a resume of the great strikes which have taken place in Great Britain during the past few years, which he claimed were victories for the upholders of Syndicalism. The speaker was accorded a hearty vote of thanks. Delegate Grant, secretary of the Trades and Labor Council, caused a rift in the proceedings when he moved that the secretary be instructed to write the different city unions regarding the strike on the Island and to ask for their financial support. Delegate Shaw thought this a reflection on the delegates present as being incapable of doing the work and in the end Delegate Grant withdrew his motion. In the absence of President R. A. Stoney, the chair was taken by Delegate D. S. Cameron who has just returned from a trip to the Trades Congress of Canada held in Guelph, Ont.

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WEST BURNABY MAN TO RUN FOR REEVE

Mr. H. M. Fraser Comes Out—May Be Four Cornered Contest Before Nomination Day Arrives.

WEST BURNABY MAN TO RUN FOR REEVE

Edmonds, Nov. 27.—The Burnaby municipal election campaign which has five more weeks to run, has taken new life with the announcement that Mr. H. M. Fraser of West Burnaby has decided to enter the arena for the reeveship in opposition to Councillor D. C. McGregor.

This was made public at a meeting of the Work Six Progressive Association held in McKay hall last evening. The situation as it stands today makes it practically certain that the residents of the eastern portion of the municipality will enter a man in the contest with a possibility of a four-cornered affair before nomination day arrives. The residents of Edmonds feel aggrieved at the action of the West Burnaby people in placing a man in the field as it was the Ward Six association which first advanced the idea of calling a meeting and asked the Edmonds Ratepayers' Association to call a meeting of delegates from the whole of the municipality. They take the stand that two years is enough for any one district to hold the reeveship honors and it is almost certain that strong opposition in the candidature of a well known resident will appear from Edmonds.

At the present moment Mr. Alec Macpherson is the only candidate for the Edmonds district as councillor but he is not letting the grass grow very long and is keeping in touch with all municipal matters. In the Central Park district Councillor Mayne will have opposition but this will not be decided for a few days at least. Altogether the situation has taken a turn which should delight those who look for a spirited campaign, while for the present councillors seeking election clouds are looming everywhere.

ABOMINABLE METHOD OF HANDLING MILK

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institutions and the way in which the milk and cream was handled were fairly passable, but in a few they were abominable. Dairies both inside and outside of the city were visited. Inside the town they came up to a fair standard but outside the conditions were subject to the most adverse comment from the three inspectors. Alderman Dodd though the report has not been prepared as yet, expects to recommend that a government inspector be stationed in this district whose sole duties would be to inspect the dairies, test the milk and in general see that the health of the city was being protected.

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AT IT AGAIN. Comedy, Keystone.

SPECIAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE WORKING

The special campaign fund committee of the Progressive Association is taking steps to interest the business men of the city in the general meeting to be held next Wednesday at 3:30 in the city council chamber. Up to date the expenses of the association have averaged about \$300 a month after allowing for initial and extraordinary expenditures. Nearly \$1,900 have been raised from the ordinary subscriptions and another quarterly installment falls due on the first of December. This, however, it is said, leaves no margin on which the association can push forward aggressive work or in fact do any more at the outside than barely meet a minimum expenditure of \$200 a month. This is the reason why the executive determined that something had to be done and why special efforts are being made to interest the merchants of the city more intimately in the work than they have been before. Most of them have already joined as members but their interest has been too ready to stop at that. To make any organization a success the committee holds, it is necessary to command as wide and continued an interest as possible.

DON'T FORGET THE BASKETBALL GAMES

AT THE Y. M. C. A. TOMORROW NIGHT at 8:15 p.m.

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Four club suits per month \$1.50

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FOR VANCOUVER. WEEK END EXCURSION. Reduced rates are offered over the Fraser Valley line for week end trips covering all points on the division.

Tickets for these special excursions are on sale Saturday and Sunday, good to return on Monday.

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THURSDAY

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A \$20,000 Stock to Select From

FILM CENSORSHIP IN GREAT BRITAIN

Upkeep of Office Will Cost \$20,000 Per Annum—No Mixed Bathing to Be Shown.

London, Nov. 27.—"The British Board of Film Censors" is the title selected for the new organization promoted by the Incorporated Association of Cinematograph Manufacturers...

From that date every film made in the United Kingdom or imported for exhibition purposes within these islands will have to bear the hallmark of the board before taking a place in a public performance.

The list prohibited subjects includes mixed bathing scenes, films representing in an objectionable way suicides, murders, or deaths by violence, dog fights, cock fights, or combats between beasts or birds revealing unnecessary cruelty...

FROM THE SEVEN SEAS.

The public is keenly interested in the progress towards completion of the vessels of the Royal Australian navy. Their arrival in these waters will be made the occasion of great demonstrations.

The Primate, Archbishop Wright, in an address to the Synod at Sydney, said he regarded the compulsory military training law as a moral asset, it contributed to discipline, and helped to teach self-control.

The appointment of Major-General Sir Harry Barron as Governor of Western Australia, is well received in Perth, although the departure of Sir Gerald Strickland is regretted.

The substantial prosperity of the residents of Queensland is well indicated by the growth in the Savings Bank deposits during the past five years.

The situation at the North Lyell Mine, Tasmania, remains unchanged. Generous help has been forthcoming for the widows and children of the miners who lost their lives.

The transfer of Sir Harry Barron, the Governor, to Western Australia, is generally regretted in Tasmania.

The stream of nominated immigrants to Victoria is increasing, and the quality of the new settlers arriving under this scheme is very good, though some complaints have been heard to the effect that the proportion of city workers among the newcomers is rather too high.

The Prime Minister, the Hon. W. F. Massey, has informed Parliament that it is impossible to make public the naval policy of the Government at present.

Some land owned by Mr. A. J. Balfour at Pahiatua has been valued at £40,000. Mr. Balfour originally purchased 4673 acres at £1 an acre, but he subsequently sold a portion of the land, and now holds 3300 acres.

An Australian woman, known as Annie Reed, who has been masquerading as a man for a number of years, is reported to have been found dead at Dunedin with the body of a female infant beside her.

The worst drought experienced for 40 years prevails in Tembuland, Pondoland, and the Transkei generally. The natives are said to be on the verge of starvation, and murders are being committed in order to obtain food.

long range between the Hon. J. B. Hertzog, Minister of Justice and Native Affairs, and prominent members of the Opposition. Speaking at Nylstroom, Mr. Hertzog described several of the Opposition leaders as foreign adventurers, and said that South Africa would decline in future to be ruled by any persons who were not Afrikaners.

The Prime Minister and Mrs. Botha have been visiting Natal. During his stay in Pietermaritzburg, General Botha was kept busy receiving deputations. In reply to delegates from the Women's Enfranchisement League he advised the ladies to educate the country as a whole into the views of the League.

Carload of Apples Seized. Victoria, Nov. 27.—A carload of apples from Oregon was seized by the provincial inspector because of its infection with the Codlin moth.

Already a provisional list of prohibited films has been drawn up by Mr. Redford. It will probably be found to be a close copy of the unofficial censorship adopted in the United States.

PREMIER AND MANSON ON WAY BACK FROM TRIP

San Francisco, Nov. 27.—Sir Richard McBride, Premier of British Columbia, and Hon. W. J. Manson, left for Seattle and Portland today on their way to their homes after two days spent here.

The visitors cut short a stay scheduled for four or five days, and departed without having been shown over the exposition grounds.

No Interruption of Mail.

Ottawa, Nov. 27.—The post office department announced that owing to the fact that the G. T. P. railroad is now in operation between Prince Rupert and Hazelton, B. C., and is expected to be running continuously during the winter, there will be no restriction on the mail service during this winter to Skeena river points as has been customary in previous years.

No Jurisdiction in Canada.

Washington, Nov. 27.—The Interstate Commerce Commission disposed today of a fight of the Humboldt Steamship Company, operating between Seattle and Skagway, Alaska, to get through routing and joint rates to Dawson, Yukon Territory, and other Canadian points, by ruling that it had no jurisdiction over railroad and steamship lines located, owned and operated entirely in an adjacent foreign country.

What Titanic Enquiry Cost.

London, Nov. 27.—Mr. Buxton, president of the board of trade, said in the House of Commons that the fees paid to the attorney-general (Sir Rufus Isaacs) in connection with the Titanic disaster enquiry were £2458 and to the solicitor-general (Sir J. Simon) £2425.

Mexican Minister Resigns.

Mexico City, Nov. 27.—Flores Magón has resigned as Minister of Public Instruction. It is probable he will be succeeded by Lucas Cabrera.

Virginia Selects Site.

San Francisco, Nov. 27.—To select a site and make arrangements for an exhibit at the Panama-Pacific Exposition in 1915, the fair commission from West Virginia is here today.

A Booming Country.

An immigrant was coming over from Ellis Island on the ferryboat as the sunset was discharging. "That's that?" he inquired of his friend, rather alarmed.

Embarrassment of Riches.

Alas, the speeches which I read New pangas of disappointment start. For, though I struggle hard indeed, I cannot learn them all by heart! —Washington Star.

A Hustling Job.

"If I give you a meal will you do some work in the garden?" "Yes, mum. I'll work at the regular occupation."

Back on the Job.

Vacation now no rupture holds. To tell is now our wish. We caught about a dozen colds And not a single fish. —Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Way of Womanhood.

"Oh, Bobbie," cried little Elsie, "there come the boy scouts! Come, let's hurry where we can see them when they go past."

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Winter Schedule

7:55 for Toronto and Nicola branch. 14:00 for St. Paul and Kootenay points. 18:20 for Agassiz Local. 19:55 for Imperial Limited, Montreal and Okanagan points.

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LOTS ON Lulu Island

Rising Sun Realty Co's

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B.C., November 20th, 1912.

In the matter of a certain Agreement of Sale and purchase of Lot numbered Forty (40), in the subdivision of the easterly part of Section Thirty-six (36), Block Four (4) North, Range Seven (7) West, New Westminster District, dated the 2nd day of October, 1911, and made between James A. McKinley of the one part and Evans J. Davies of the other part.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re the northwest quarter of Section 35, Township 13, in the District of New Westminster.

Whereas proof of the loss of Certificate of Title Number 10154F, issued in the name of John Smith, has been filed in this office.

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CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

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 lay Main Sewers, Laterals and Connections and works contingent thereto in Section 2, B. District of the Sapperton Sewerage Scheme, to which the following area is tributary: DeBeck street from Cemetery street to Columbia street.

street to 470 feet west. Knox street, All. Cedar street, All. Buchanan avenue from Hospital street to Sherbrooke street.

Blair avenue from Hospital street to Sherbrooke street. 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 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 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 12th day of November, A. D., 1912.

W. A. DUNCAN, City Clerk. Date of first publication, Nov. 13, 1912. (68)

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District A.—Columbia Street from Cumberland Street to Braid Street. Keary Street from Columbia Street to Brunette Street.

District B.—DeBeck Street from Cemetery Street to Columbia Street. Strand Street from Cemetery Street to Columbia Street.

District C.—Eighth Avenue from Richmond Street to 400 feet North of Winthrop Street. Richmond Street from Eighth Avenue to Lee Street.

District D.—Elmer Street, All. Burnaby Street, All. Surrey Street, All. Ladner Street, All. Kent Street, All. Lee Street, All.

District E.—Carnegie Street from Matsqui to 300 feet North. Digby Street from Matsqui to 300 feet North.

District F.—Carnegie Street from Matsqui to 300 feet North. Digby Street from Matsqui to 300 feet North. Macdougall Street from Matsqui Street to 300 feet North.

District G.—Elkth Avenue from William Street to Richmond Street. Carnegie Street from Scott Street to Matsqui Street.

District H.—Digby Street from Matsqui Street to Burnaby Street. Langley Street from William Street to Scott Street.

District I.—Richmond Street 150 feet South of Alberta Street to Eighth Avenue. Archer Street All. Devoy Street All. Munday Street All.

District J.—Alberta Street from Richmond Street, 700 feet Westward. Shiles Street from McKay Street to Richmond Street.

District K.—Sherbrooke Street from Eighth Avenue to Richmond Street. McKay Street All.

District L.—Carnegie Street from Matsqui to 300 feet North. Digby Street from Matsqui to 300 feet North. Macdougall Street from Matsqui Street to 300 feet North.

District M.—Elkth Avenue from William Street to Richmond Street. Carnegie Street from Scott Street to Matsqui Street.

District N.—Digby Street from Matsqui Street to Burnaby Street. Langley Street from William Street to Scott Street.

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Dated this Twelfth day of November, 1912. W. A. DUNCAN, City Clerk. (70)

BUSINESS DIRECTORY

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER.

Specifications, agreements of sale, deeds, business letters, etc.; circular work specialist. All work strictly confidential. M. Broten, Room 8, Merchant Bank Bldg. Phone 715.

FRATERNAL.

L. O. O. M., NO. 854—MEETS ON first, second and third Wednesdays in each month in K. of P. hall at 8 p.m. H. J. Leamy, dictator; J. H. Price, secretary.

I. O. O. F. AMITY LODGE NO. 17—The regular meeting of Amity lodge No. 27, I. O. O. F., is held every Monday night at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows hall, corner Carnarvon and Eighth streets. Visiting brethren cordially invited. C. B. Bryson, N. G.; R. A. Merrithew, V. G.; W. C. Coatham, P.G., recording secretary; H. W. Sangster, financial secretary.

PROFESSIONAL.

ADAM SMITH JOHNSTON, Barrister-at-Law, Solicitor, Etc. 552 Columbia street, New Westminster, B.C. Telephone 1078. Cable address "Johnston." Code, Western Union Offices, Rooms 6 and 7 Ellis block.

J. STILWELL CLUTE, barrister-at-law, solicitor, etc.; corner Columbia and McKenzie streets, New Westminster, B. C. P. O. Box 112. Telephone 710.

J. P. HAMPTON BOLE, BARRISTER, solicitor and notary, 615 Columbia street. Over C. P. R. Telegraph.

McQUARRIE, MARTIN & CASSADY, Barristers and Solicitors. Rooms 7 and 8, Gulchon block, New Westminster. George E. Martin, W. G. McQuarrie and George L. Cassidy.

WHITESIDE & EDMONDS—Barristers and Solicitors, Westminster Trust block, Columbia street, New Westminster, B.C. Cable address "Whiteside," Western Union. P.O. Drawer 200. Telephone 69. W. J. Whiteside, H. L. Edmonds.

AUDITOR AND ACCOUNTANT.

H. J. A. BURNETT, AUDITOR AND Accountant. Tel. R 128. Room, Trapp block.

BOARD OF TRADE—NEW WESTMINSTER Board of Trade meets in the board room, City Hall, as follows: Third Friday of each month; quarterly meeting on the third Friday of February, May, August and November at 8 p.m. Annual meetings on the third Friday of February. New members may be proposed and elected at any monthly or quarterly meeting. S. H. Stuart Wade, secretary.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re the southwest quarter of Section 33, Township 10, in the District of New Westminster.

Whereas proof of the loss of Certificate of Title Number 7338F, issued in the name of George Seeley, 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., October 30, 1912. (1)

CANADIAN PACIFIC B. C. Coast Service

VANCOUVER-VICTORIA-SEATTLE SERVICE.

Leaves Vancouver for Victoria 10 a. m., 3 p. m. and 11:45. Leaves Vancouver for Seattle 10 a. m. and 11 p. m. Leaves Vancouver for Nanaimo 3 p.m. Leaves Vancouver for Prince Rupert and Northern Points 10 p. m. Wednesdays.

NORTHERN BOATS FOR PRINCE RUPERT.

Leaves Vancouver every Wednesday at 10 p.m.

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MERRITT AGAIN BOOMS

NEVER since the first building was erected in Merritt has there been such a vast amount of large and costly building under construction as there is today.

HOTELS CANNOT ACCOMMODATE the tremendous influx of people, the two larger hotels, the Coldwater and City, are adding large additions to their present premises, which will double their capacity. What is the reason of all this?

RAILROAD MAGNATES, Contractors and Surveyors are daily arriving in the city--- What is all this for? Something large and gigantic in view. Millions are being spent in railroads in and around the City of Merritt.

CAPITALISTS must have some great merger in sight or under way. Richard McBride's words are now coming true.---Do you remember what the premier said in one of his famous speeches in the Legislative in 1911? He said, "the people of this province might look to Merritt as one of the largest coal and agricultural producing centres in British Columbia and that Merritt would become one of the largest cities in the Interior."

COAL MINING EXPERTS are visiting the city almost every day. What is all this for? The coal fields of Merritt are proclaimed to contain an inexhaustible supply of coal (the present daily shipment of coal from Merritt exceeds 1400 tons.)

BANK OF MONTREAL This financial institution has erected a most handsome and large new building. WHY? Because the growth of business in Merritt has outgrown and staggered this institution's expectations and they could not handle the business in their old quarters. This alone is a good barometer of the progress that the City of Merritt is making.

REAL ESTATE is exceptionally active and property is changing hands every day. Prices are advancing in leaps and bounds and investors are encountering handsome remunerative returns] for their money invested.

IF YOU HAVE NOT got any Real Estate in Merritt, my advice to you is to **BUY RIGHT NOW.** There is not a city in British Columbia that offers the inducement to the investor that Merritt does, and mind you, the prices of Real Estate in the City of Merritt are such, that any person with the smallest mean can buy.

COMPARE other cities with the same population that Merritt has, and the age next; think of it, Merritt has only been in existence a little over four years, you will then be convinced that Merritt has made good and is yet the best investment field in B. C.

WIRE ME or write me at once for a plan of the City of Merritt, also for a descriptive booklet illustrating and describing Merritt---it costs nothing---and if you read the same very carefully---and invest accordingly---you are bound to make money.

HAROLD GREIG, MERRITT, B. C.
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DEMONSTRATION

All this week we will have with us Mrs. Healy, demonstrating Ridgway's Teas and Coffees. Come in and pay her a visit and incidentally inspect our store.

Once again and for the last time we will sell B. C. Cream 3 cans for 2 for 25c

Salmon, large cans, regular 15c, today 2 for 25c

Raisens, 16 ounce packages, 3 for 25c

Tomatoes 2 tins for 25c These are three pound cans.

40 oz. Bottles of Pickles today, each 25c

No. 1 Cooking Apples, box \$1.25

DELICATESSEN

New Swiss Cheese, a splendid cut, per lb. 35c

Oregon Cream Cheese, lb. . . 40c

Limberger Cheese, one lb. 35c

Two pounds 65c

English Stilton Cheese, lb. 60c

Roguefort Cheese, per lb. . 60c

Edam Cheese, per lb. 35c

14 lb. Boxes Butter, each \$4.70

THE Public Supply Stores
V. L. ADAMS S. K. BRIGGS
PHONE 2.

LOCAL NOTES

Weather Today.
Victoria, Nov. 27.—The weather report for the next 24 hours is as follows: Light to moderate winds, generally fair, stationary or lower temperature.

Secure tickets now for the Sons of Scotland dance Friday. (166)

The monthly meeting of the United Service Club will be held in the new quarters, Room 20, B. C. E. R. building, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

A pleasure launch, excellently equipped, to exchange for city property. Apply to Curtis & Dorgan (177)

It was announced in the assize court yesterday morning that no civil case would be heard before Monday next, December 2.

A Hard-man, the cake man. Get good bread, Eighth Street Bakery, Telephone 281. (9)

See the leaders in the City Basketball league in action tomorrow night at Y. M. C. A. Tickets 25 cents, juniors 15 cents. (173)

Mr. Thomas Wilson of Vancouver, accompanied by Mrs. Wilson, was in the city yesterday visiting his son, Dr. Wilson. They are leaving shortly on a vacation trip to California.

The Walsh Sash and Door Co. have been obliged to run nights to keep up to their orders. (122)

Work was started yesterday on the superstructure of the six storey block being erected at the corner of Lorne and Carnarvon streets. Several loads of lumber have arrived on the scene.

The ladies of St. Andrew's church will hold a sale of work in the school room on Friday afternoon and evening. Useful and fancy articles for Christmas and homemade candy. (174)

After November 28 you will find us in the big Westminster Trust Building, 711 Columbia street. W. E. Sinclair, the shoeman. (152)

The dormitory men of the Y.M.C.A. met at the banquet board last evening and enjoyed to the utmost an excellent fare prepared by A. W. Decker, boys' secretary, and a number of ladies. The occasion was purely social.

J. H. Todd announces a clearing sale of two and four minute wax phonograph records, offering an exceptional chance to owners of the Edison phonograph. Particulars will be found in his ad. on page four.

W. E. Fales, Agnes and McKenzie Sis. shows 100 different patterns of dresses and cheffoniers, 30 patterns of buffets and sideboards, 100 patterns of chairs and rockers at prices that defy competition. (172)

Mr. T. Baker who has been leader of the Olivet Baptist church choir, for practically two years, has resigned his position on account of ill-health. Mr. Baker has done excellent work during his connection with the choir and has made a host of friends.

Why does John Rindal, the tailor, sell a first class \$40.00 suit for \$30.00? Because the location of his business is out of the high rent district. John Rindal, 612 Carnarvon. (65)

The laying of the B. C. Telephone wooden outer conduits is proceeding forward up Sixth street and the trenches were opened past Queens avenue yesterday. The leaden inner tubes for the conduits are being installed on Clarkson street.

Come to Miss Davey's private millinery parlors for correct styles. Retrimming a specialty. Prices always right; 35 to 50 per cent discount on all trimmed hats in stock. 204 Agnes street, nearly opposite St. Mary's hospital. (177)

The anniversary of Scotland's patron saint, St. Andrew, will be celebrated on Friday evening, 29th inst., by a supper and dance in St. George's hall. The function, which is under the auspices of the Sons of Scotland promises to be as successful as previous celebrations.

Doors, windows and frames made while you wait, at Walsh Sash and Door Factory. Phone 413. (122)

A grand concert will be given in St. Aidan's Presbyterian church, corner of Fourteenth street and Seventh avenue, tomorrow evening in aid of the church's subscription to the general assembly fund. Mr. James R. Duncan will preside. An excellent musical program has been arranged.

Special sale of girls' and misses' ready-to-wear felt hats in the newest shapes. Two dozen only, in shades of green, alic blue, navy, grey, red and black, trimmed self and contrasting colors. Prices ranging from \$3.50 to \$5.00 for \$2.00. Miss Davey's Private Millinery Parlors, 204 Agnes street, nearly opposite St. Mary's hospital. (177)

Mr. Arthur Sullivan, founder of the Caribou Brotherhood, is in the city on business connected with the order. This purely Canadian organization is meeting with great success, its prime object being to preserve and perpetuate the early and later history of B.C. The frontiersmen of the province are rallying to its ranks and many former prospectors and other old and young timers in Westminster are included therein.

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Don't forget about the grand concert tonight in St. Aidan's Presbyterian church (Cor. of 14th St. and 7th Ave.) The following will take part in the programme: Misses Chestey, Laird, Munn and Tidy, Mesdames Metcalf, Stein Gold Medal Elocutionist, and Thomas, Messrs. Graham, Hamm, Harvie, Lewis, Wheeler and Williams. Admission 50 cents. (171)

Mayor Lee has appointed Mr. T. S. Amundale as one of the judges in the competition being held among the retail grocery and meat merchants in Vancouver for the best window display of goods manufactured only in British Columbia. The contest was organized by a Vancouver commercial organization who conferred on the Mayors of New Westminster, Victoria and Vancouver the honor of appointing the judges. The competition closed last night and the results will be announced some time today.

LABOR MEN GATHER TO SELECT REPRESENTATIVES.

Labor men and representatives of organized labor will be out in full force tomorrow evening at the Labor Temple to discuss probable candidates for the positions of aldermen and school trustees at the coming civic election.

At the present time the labor men of the city are represented on the council by Alderman Walter Dodd. While not committing himself, Alderman Dodd is said to be agreeable to undertaking another term, but he will leave the question entirely in the hands of the labor men.

A strong fight is sure to be waged for positions on the school board. The Trades and Labor Council and the school board have locked horns on several occasions during the past year and from information received, the former will place candidates in the field to fill at least two or three vacancies. The meeting will open at 8 o'clock.

GOVERNMENT PROPOSES TO BETTER HIGHWAYS.

Mr. F. J. MacKenzie, M.P.P. for the Delta, announced yesterday that the engineering department of the Provincial government were preparing to make a survey of the section of the Yale road between Port Mann and the Fraser river bridge with a view to discovering if the sharp turn of the highway at the southern end of the bridge can be eliminated.

This curve has always been of a dangerous nature especially to auto-ists and it is believed that if it is cut down a great improvement will be made. It is also planned to survey the Scott road with a view to ultimately reducing the turns on it and securing a more satisfactory grade.



One of the society weddings of the season was solemnized yesterday morning in St. Peter's church, when Winifred Hilda, daughter of ex-Mayor and Mrs. W. H. Keary, became the bride of Mr. Roy Edward English of Vancouver.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father Lardon, O.M.I., in the absence of Rev. Father O'Boyle, who is ill. The bridesmaid was Miss McBride, while assisting the bride were a bevy of flower girls, Misses Mary Keary, Frances Doyle, Frances Fraser and Beverley Jones. The duties of the best man fell on the shoulders of Mr. Angus McColl.

The full choir of St. Peter's church was in attendance under the direction of Miss Freese and the musical parts of the ceremony were beautifully rendered. Special solos were sung by Mrs. Guernsey and Mr. Fligano. Following the wedding service, a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, the immediate personal friends of both contracting parties being present. Later in the afternoon the happy couple left for Victoria where they stay a few days, from thence visiting California where they will stay until the end of the year.

Mr. English is assistant inspector for the Bank of Montreal in Vancouver, and is well known throughout the lower mainland and also Vancouver Island.

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