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CELEBRATE BEST MAY DAY EVER

Westminster in Gala Mood--- Ex-Queen Kathleen Crowns Annie Staton Queen of the May--Judge Howay and Mayor Lee Do Homage--Spiral May Pole Dance

If the words of the cheery master of ceremonies are to be taken literally it is to Captain Peele, that veteran of many parades, that the thousands of children who yesterday revelled to their hearts content must give the praise. For Captain Peele is a friend of the clerk of the weather and so all was sunshine and smiles, waving of flags, tramp of ordered feet and general gaiety. Yesterday was May Day.

The May Queen held her royal court, her subjects in thousands greeted her passage to the coronation scene. State and city did her homage in the persons of Judge Howay and Mayor Lee. "Never," said an old time resident, "have I seen a May Day like this."

To begin at the beginning it was around noon when the signs of excitement which had all morning been manifesting themselves grew more and more visible. Steel track and road alike had poured its quota of children and people into the city and the tension increased as the hour of assembly drew on. There came the tap of drum down Columbia street and there swung past the boys of St. Louis college, all graded according to size, their leaders bearing a banner. Presently came the Boy Scouts and soon it was 1 o'clock. There was no need to look at a watch, every tug and manufactory which had something in the hooter line just used it, and kept doing so for some two minutes.

Along Agnes street the various units fell in and there was much stowing away of little white garbed people in the many automobiles there collected. Soon the state coach drawn by four grey horses and containing Her Majesty mounted the hill and all was ready for the start, just about 1:30.

Gay Procession Scenes.

The scene as the procession stretched its many colored length up Columbia street was indeed one which will linger long in the memory of those who witnesed it. Here is first a mounted policeman and hard on his heels press half a score of boys and girls mounted on Shetland ponies, followed by the chief of police and the fire chief. Then the band playing lustily, and the master of ceremonies which several high officials of state. There was another band present also, indeed a very wonderful band who wore strange dresses and did strange things quite outside the realms of music. And forward in the procession was the mayor and the aldermanic board, looking very stately in their top hats and frock coats. And then the boys' and girls' organizations.

Away ahead where they belong by right of seniority marched the Boys' Brigade, looking smart and soldierly, and lower down the column came the Boy Scouts. Surely if Westminster has never realized before what the Boy Scout movement was it had reason to be proud of the local representatives today. There was a cavalry troop which formed the escort to the Queen from her home to the parade, there was a cycle corps and some 60 or so of the ordinary khaki-dressed variety on foot. They looked well. Vancouver sent over a detachment from the Grandview and Mount Pleasant troops and there were present a Vancouver corps of the Boys' Brigade also.

Girl Scouts Prominent.

But next to the May Queen herself perhaps there was no more interesting sight than that provided by the corps of Girl Guides who also came from Vancouver. It was the first time that a living example of the movement has been seen in Westminster, and they certainly attracted great attention, their blue or brown complete uniforms were exceedingly neat, while the back view of the latter told of their mission in being, the red cross displayed.

The end of the column was made up of autos, decorated in keeping with the spirit of the day, and exceedingly well designed in many cases. There were private cars and trolleys specially rigged up, and all were full to the hatchways" with happy, smiling, flag waving little girls garbed in the dress of summer. The 24 young ladies who performed the real old Maypole dance had a car all to themselves, and all who could not find room on the many other vehicles clambered aboard the tram cars which three in number followed in the wake of the line.

Thousands of people, in the main mothers and their children, had gathered in Queens park. They filled the stand and they swarmed all over the field, thereby for some time impeding the progress of the ceremonies. In fact the boys' brigade and scouts with linked poles and rifles had to preserve an open space to prevent the overcrowding of everything. But eventually the court began.

Mr. J. J. Johnston, the retiring master of ceremonies, made a brief and lucid speech in which he introduced the new master of the ceremonies, Mr J. J. Cambridge, to the assemblage Mr. Cambridge fairly beamed with delight as he took up the task. He alluded to the weather in the good old way, but put all the credit on Captain Peele, and then called upon the children to be sure and enjoy themselves, the grown ups to forget for once that they were so and to be children again for a day. He then presented to the vast audience Miss Kathleen Welsh still Queen of May, and Miss Annie Staton, May Queen elect. It was a scene for an artist's brush, but failing it, there was no lack of picture taking at this and many other junctures. Upon the dais caparisoned with bunting, were the maids of honor in line by the queens, on either side stood the master of ceremonies, while grouped at the back were His Honor Judge Howay, Mayor Lee, the aldermen and members of the May Day committee.

the Coronation.

Miss Welsh has dark hair, Miss Staton's is light, and the pair formed a most pleasing contrast. Like the maids of honor they were dressed simply in white, and presented a charming example of the girlhood of the fairest city of British Columbia. The retiring queen then delivered her parting address to her subjects in these words:

"My Loyal Subjects: For the last time I have the honor of addressing you as such, and in so doing, I desire to express my thanks to you, one and all, for the many kindnesses shown me during the year that is now almost past.

"I shall, in the future, recall many pleasant memories of events during my reign; many are personal, some are of a public character, for even a young girl cannot fail to notice the many improvements constantly taking place in this city; and as your May Queen, I am specially pleased to notice that the citizens who so honored me are supporting the advancement of the Royal City in every possible manner.

"Our reign has been saddened by the loss of the world's greatest steamer, the Titanic; but even that great disaster has shown us that the spirit of those who established May Day in the olden times, still contines.

"I now welcome Miss Annie Staton as May Queen-elect, and in abdicating in her favor, I know that I now crown one who has won the love of her schoolmates by many acts of kindness. May Your Majesty have as much happiness on the throne as I have had, and may the reign of Queen Annie be long remembered in the annals of the May Queen."

At the conclusion of her speech she turned to her successor and placed upon her head a chaplet of flowers. At once the band struck up the national anthem, the boys' brigade, scouts and girl guides came smartly to the salute, each corps after its own manner, and the bugles blared. The newly crowned sovereign then turned to her people and said:

May Queen's Speech.

"Your Majesty, I thank you for the graceful words with which you have crowned me as May Queen of the city of New Westminster and this beautiful valley.

"Loyal citizens, and dear subjects of our throne, our first duty as your Queen of May is to thank the many friends who achieved the dignity of the position for us. We thank the noble men who have even now excelled all previous occasions in their efforts to make the day 'the brightest, happiest day of all the glad New Year.' We greet especially so many of our subjects from points far up the Fraser valley, and bid them make merry in our capital, where they are ever welcome visitors. The gallant show made by the royal guards in the person of our Boys' Brigade and Scouts, relieves us of all fear for the safety of our throne and kingdom. We confirm by our royal letters patent the appointment held by the officials who have so ably arranged for our coronation, and now declare them entitled to the rank of state councillors on all occasions of ceremonial.

"As loyal subjects, our mayor, aldermen and citizens, will under pain of our displeasure, do all that is in their power to beautify our capital and to improve and extend the good feeling existing in the various parts of our kingdom, so that happiness, courtesy and love of our country may become the motto of our reign.

"It is now our royal command that the Maypole dance begin, and that joy and mirth mark the commencement of our coronation festival."

The chief incident of the day thus happily consummated, twenty sweet little maids proceeded to execute a dance with garlands, and at its conclusion amid applause plunged into the mazes of the old May Day dance round the pole. As they tripped around, ribbon in hand, the pole was plaited in the good old way.

Presentation of Medals.

Then came the march past of the Boys' Brigade, Boy Scouts and Girl Guides, truly a most imposing spectacle, and the bodies were then drawn up in order for the presentation of medals to members of the first organization. The list is as follows, Queen Annie, shyly regal, making the presentation and each red coated boy saluting smartly as he received his reward.

Color Sergeant Gamon, for attendance and smartness on parade, presented by J. J. Cambridge.

Bugler Linn, for smartness on parade, presented by J. J. Johnston.

Sergeant G. O'Connor, for best section commander, presented by W. C. Chamberlin.

Corporal McCallum, best drilled

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ACCIDENT AVERTED BY SMALL MARGIN

Startled Horse Runs Away in Exhibition Grounds—Knocks Over Lady and Children.

Happily the May Day celebrations passed off with little hitch, but it was by the narrowest margin that a most serious accident was averted. Soon after the children had dispersed for the presentation of candies and oranges, and as the decorated automobiles were returning to Columbia stret, one of the cars by blowing its hooter startled a horse which was drawing a buggy in which were two young men named N. Newman and D. Armitage.

The horse dashed off at top speed, throwing the occupants of the buggy to the ground and careering away down towards the entrance gate. About 50 yards from this point a lady was walking with her two little girls and into them the excited animal dashed, knocking them down, but marvellous to relate not injurying any of them beyond the shock and a bruise on one of the little children. The buggy was overturned at the scene of this marvellous escape, and the horse having evidently jumped clean over them, continued its course until captured at the entrance by the mounted scouts.

OBSERVE MOTHER'S DAY ON SUNDAY

Old Custom Revived—Carnations and Simnel Cake—Comes from Philadelphia.

Sunday is Mothers' Day. On this day everyone is expected to honor the memory of his mother, whether dead or living, by the wearing of a flower. For a dead mother a white carnation is worn and for a living one a pink or colored carnation. Flowers are also put on the graves of mothers who have gone to the Great Beyond.

The origin of Mothers' Day is not very clear. According to one account the keeping of this day is an old English custom. In that country, however, it was observed on Mid Lent Sunday and its special feature was the "simnel" cake, a delicious delicacy for which the southwest of England is famous. According to the other story, Miss Anna Jarvis, of Philadelphia, desired to commemorate the anniversary of her mother's death and began the custom of wearing a flower. She wrote to the papers at the same time and very soon the custom was adopted throughout the United States. Miss Jarvis suggested the white carnation as the most suitable flower to be worn, because, as she said, "Its whiteness stands for purity; its form beauty; its fragrance, love; its wide field of growth, charity; its lasting qualities, faithfulness; all a true mother's attributes."

Whatever its origin, this touching observance is honored very widely in the United States and Canada. Not much attention has been paid to it in Westminster in the past, but there are signs that in the future many people will be seen wearing the carnation on the second Sunday in May in honor of their mothers.

FLOATING COURT.

How Justice Is Dispensed in Alaska—Judge's Movements.

Juneau, Alaska, May 10.—U. S. District Judge Thomas R. Lyons announced today that Judge C. D. Murane, of the Nome district, will come here next month to sit in the cases against the seven transportation and coal companies and their officers accused of violating the Sherman anti-trust law by conspiring to stifle competition at Skagway.

Judge Lyons will board a revenue cutter in July and hold floating court in the isolated communities far to the westward, where justice is meted out but once a year. Judge Lyons will also go north to Nome to hold court there while Judge Murane is here.

WHITE ROCK GREETS WESTMINSTER'S QUEEN

"The May Queen, care of the Daily News, New Westminster. May Your Majesty's reign be a happy one. White Rock again greets New Westminster's May Queen."

Thus ran the telegram received by Her Majesty Queen Annie, yesterday. Her reply was as follows:

"We, crowned May Queen of New Westminster, thank the good people of White Rock for their kind greetings. May equal gladness come to White Rock and New Westminster throughout our reign. Signed Queen Annie of Westminster."

THOUSANDS AT MAY DAY DANCE

Children and Grown Ups Revel In Mazes of Pleasant Dance.

May Queen and Her Court Attend—Opens Ball with the Master of Ceremonies.

Eight o'clock came round very swiftly and with it the great ball room in the exhibitions building filled with crowds of children and grown ups ready to receive the May Queen. Soon she entered with her court and the grand march took place. Surely there was never a happier man than the gallant master of ceremonies as with Her Majesty, a picture of girlish grace, leaning on his arm, he led off the march.

And after that what fun there was. There were great big men dancing with pretty little girls, there were girls of all ages dancing together, and there were little boys in uniform chasing each other around the pillars when they were not doing the same outside the circle. Around sat hundreds of parents and still more children watching the animated scene. The band played very nicely, and just when one was getting down into the swing of the dance it had a habit of stopping, just so that everyone could clap and wait anxiously until it started again, and then think how good it was to play a little longer. So at least the Daily News and a little girl reasoned it out.

It was much nicer to dance than to look on, because there were so many people crowding around the room, although the ball committee had provided seats for over half a thousand. From a dais raised at one end of the beautifully decorated hall the May Queen and her maids of honor surveyed the scene, that is when they were not dancing. And that was only between the various items. Busy men were the various members of the committee; Mr. J. J. Johnston, the ex-master of ceremonies, ran his successor very closely in the mazes of the two-step, but there were all kinds of dances, including one called the schottische, which many of the girls and boys danced in the old barn dance style, or if you will, the pas de quatre.

And as the time wore on—all too swiftly for little folk,—the grown ups began to arrive in increasing number, and at 10:30 p.m. the May Queen stepped down from the dais and withdrew with her court, leaving the hall to the revelry of all who chose to dance—and there were many of them—until the small hours grew long.

MAY QUEEN TOURS CITY INSTITUTIONS

Visits Columbian Hospital, St. Ann's Academy and St. Mary's Hospital—Regal Banquet Served.

It was a day of so many delightful episodes, this May Day which at last has come and gone, that it is hard to pick upon one which for any reason stands out above the others. But there is one side to the earliest functions of the May Queen which appeals to all in its meaning, one which is to some extent hidden from public view, but which is ripe in food for reflection as to the good effected by the observance of the grand old festival of spring.

Woman is nowhere seen to better advantage than when bent upon an errand of ministration to those who are in need of help in any sense of the word. So while the school children are eagerly diminishing the piles of candies and oranges in the big machinery building it may be of interest to follow the movements of the queen and her court.

The royal party has its presents, the grey horses are called and away they go down the hill, away to the left, and so come to the Royal Columbian hospital. It is a sight indeed to see the pain drawn faces light up with joy as the little maids pass through the wards giving flowers to the inmates. It is indeed as though a ray of sunshine has been wafted into the place. The matron and the nurses welcome the party, and after a little while off they go again.

The next halt is at St. Ann's academy and here a royal welcome waits. The girls of the institution are all drawn up in readiness to receive the queen and one of their number steps forward and presents her majesty with a delightful basket of the choicest flowers and an address breathing of tenderness and allegiance.

At St. Mary's hospital the party again stops, and again flowers are distributed by the girls to the patients there. Last of all the court proceeded to the home of the ex-queen, and there the regal banquet was enjoyed. To serve others as well as to receive homage is an attribute of a queen indeed.

GRAND JURY MADE ITS PRESENTATION

Higher Salaries for Provincial Police Recommended—Gaol Overcrowded—Hospital Too Small.

Having disposed of the cases brought before them, the grand jury yesterday made an investigation into various conditions and yesterday morning made their presentment to the presiding judge. In this they noticed the large calendar of indictments, 21 in all, submitted to them and regretted that crime in the province was on the increase, partly due they thought to the increase in population and the mixed nationality of the immigrants.

The provincial police force they considered was hampered by the smallness of its numbers, but they expressed their appreciation of its work under the present conditions. "We consider," they went on, "that the wages paid to this force are insufficient for the nature of their services they render and we recommend that the question of increasing their salaries should have consideration."

"The provincial jail we found to be in perfect order and everything spotlessly clean, but there is much overcrowding. This is a condition of things that ought to be remedied at once, and we recommend that there be an entirely separate building for the female prisoners.

"We wish to express our approval of the precautions taken at the land registry office for the prevention of fire and preservation of the documents, the institution in this respect being thoroughly up to date, but the work of filing applications, etc., is one year in arrears and still accumulating. This would seem to call for an increased staff and a larger building.

"At the Royal Columbian hospital we found that the matron, Miss Scott, assisted by a capable staff, is rendering efficient service under very adverse conditions. The building the grand jurors unanimously condemned as too small, unsanitary, and unsafe in case of fire."

The report also spoke highly of the conditions at the provincial hospital for the insane under the superintendence of Dr. Doherty; and of the Colony farm.

The report stated that it considered that the payment to jurors was insufficient and ought to be remedied at once. That the sum of two dollars a day is inadequate and in many cases jurors have to pay more than double the amount to substitutes to do their work while absent in the performance of this public duty. The report closed with a protest against the practice of pigeonholing grand jury reports, and was signed by the foreman, Robert W. Dick.

PICTURE MEN WERE BUSY.

May Day Scenes and Parade of Fire Brigade Were Recorded.

The moving picture operator was a busy man yesterday, so too were the city engineer, who steered the auto containing the machine, and also the publicity commissioner. Just before noon the whole of the fire brigade turned out and passing down Columbia street formed up near Eighth street and came back up the street as fast as the horses could run. It was a brave show with Fire Chief Watson in his red auto leading the way.

The cinematograph was used extensively during the time that the procession was making its way to the park, and the chief incidents of the picturesque ceremonies were recorded by it such as the crowning of the queen, and the presentation of medals to the boys' brigades, and the old English Maypole dance.

Messrs. Pathe Freres' representative assured the fire chief that the pictures were a great success. They will be shown at the opera house in about ten days time.

Besides the moving pictures several photos were taken by Mr. H. E. Leash, who recorded several circuit pictures, one at the Crescent and others during the proceedings at the park. His services were arranged for by the publicity committee to be used in articles which will appear in various magazines. They will be placed on view eventually in the Colonial Institute, the Canadian government office, and the office of the agent general for British Columbia in London.

The amateur knights of the bulb were there in their scores, and many good pictures were obtained.

THREE GUILTY BANK CLERKS PASS PENITENTIARY GATES

The big gates of the penitentiary swung open yesterday morning and three young men, who a few days ago, were regarded as faithful employees of two banking institutions in Vancouver, passed in, and there for many months to come, their proper names will be changed to numbers. Dressed in smart, well cut clothes, and handcuffed to sturdy Vancouver policemen, their appearance created a sad scene for the few people who caught a glimpse of the proceedings. The recent disclosures in the two banks involved, has created an impression throughout the towns on the mainland, and probably throughout the whole Dominion, for news travels quickly.

RAIN STORMS DO GREAT DAMAGE

Western Missouri Swept by Heavy Rain and Wind Storms.

In Eastern Kansas Streets and Mines Flooded—Thousands of Dollars Lost.

Kansas City, May 10.—A heavy rain storm, in some places accompanied by a high wind, which did damage of nearly $75,000, today visited Western Missouri and Kansas as far west as Ness county, in the central west portion of that state. In Ness county the rain amounted almost to a cloud burst.

In Eastern Kansas, Parsons reported that streets were flooded and that a high wind had done damage amounting to more than $50,000. One man was reported killed south of Parsons. In Galena and many smaller towns of Southeastern Kansas the rain was heavy.

The storm struck Kansas City shortly after dark and for two hours the downpour continued. At Joplin many small buildings were damaged and mining plants injured.

There also, as in other sections of the mining district of southwest Missouri, many mines were flooded.

JURY DISAGREED IN HOWARD CASE

Held Over to Next Assizes—Bail of One Thousand Dollars—Much Expert Evidence.

After being out for almost three hours the jury in the Howard case returned to the court room and reported that they were unable to agree on a verdict. Thereupon Justice Clements declared that he thought that the ends of justice would be served if he allowed the prisoner to go on his own recognizance in the sum of $1000. He said that the young man had had a good lesson even if he were guilty. The case is to come up again at the next assizes.

After a forenoon spent with the writing experts the court assembled again at 2:30 p.m. to continue the same kind of evidence. The defence put on two witnesses who testified that they did not believe the critical documents were the work of the same person. The accused did not take the stand.

In his charge to the jury, Justice Clements explained to them how they must deal with the writing and the expert testimony; that if they thought that such a witness showed bias then they should throw out such testimony. He also reminded them that the accused had the benefit of the doubt.

ARREST SOCIALIST PUBLIC SPEAKER

Seattle Police Run Orator in for Profanity—Others Who Follow More Cautious.

Seattle, May 10.—The police tonight arrested a Socialist speaker who was addressing a large street meeting at Fourth and Pike streets. He was booked for using profane language.

The speaker, who was evidently taken by surprise, asked the crowd to disperse in an orderly manner. When the patrol wagon rolled away with the prisoner, the crowd gave a cheer for him. His place on the soap box was taken immediately by another speaker, and still other speakers were made ready for the expected ordeal of arrest. However, the second orator, who avoided the profanity of his predecessor, was not molested. So far as known there is no intention of beginning a "free speech" crusade, but only to compel the Socialist orators to abstain from obscene and profane language. No Socialist street speaker has been arrested since the free speech war of several years ago, which was won by the Socialists.

PREHISTORIC SKELETONS FOUND IN WASHINGTON

Ellensburg, Wash., May 10.—Skeletons believed to be those of prehistoric people were found today in an excavation at Craig's Hill, 20 feet below the surface. The skulls showed practically no forehead, sloping sharply back from the eye sockets. One skull contained a complete double row of teeth in the upper jaw. One of the skeletons was six feet eight inches in height. The hill is being explored for other skeletons.

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LOST.

LOST — A BROWN PURSE WITH chain handle, containing railway tickets, money, etc., possibly in Queens park. Please return to this office.

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

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

West End Sewer.

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

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

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

J. W. B. BLACKMAN,
City Engineer.

May 6th, 1912.

TENDERS FOR CLEARING.

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

DIAMOND & CORBOULD,
Room 1, Lavery Block.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

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

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

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

C. S. KEITH.
District Registrar of Titles.

Land Registry office, New Westminster, B. C., April 22, 1912.

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MARKET REPORT

The fine weather, while keeping many from attending the weekly market, on account of seeding time, brought out a fine attendance yesterday morning. While loath to leave the farm work, which is important at this time of the year, the farmers, who have children in their household, had to respond to the call, and killed two birds with one stone, that of attending the market and also taking part as interested spectators in the annual parade.

Very little difference was noticed in the prices from those of last week. Eggs and butter found a ready demand, both these commodities keeping to the same figure, the former selling at 35 cents per dozen while butter found ready buyers at 35 and 40 cents per pound.

Vegetables appear to be scarce, very little being brought in. It is thought, however, that with the good weather now prevailing, there will be a plentiful supply from now on. Rhubarb was an exception in this respect, the growers up river sending down a plentiful supply by boat, which sold at 10 cents per bunch or five cents per pound.

The fish stalls had on sale a good supply of the finny tribe, the variety and quality being exceptionally fine.

Beef and mutton were as scarce as ever and the little offered for sale found ready buyers. Veal was the opposite, while quite a stock of pork was shown.

Tidy the florist, had quite a display of cut flowers, tulips selling at 35 cents per dozen, marguerites for 25 cents, and carnations for 60 and 75 cents.

The prices follow:

Vegetables, Wholesale.	
Beets, per sack	$1.25
Carrots, per sack	75c
Parsnips, per sack	$1.00
Turnips, per sack	60c to 75c
Potatoes, per ton	$33 to $35
Vegetables, Retail.	
Beets, per bunch	5c
Onions, per lb.	8c
Potatoes, per sack	$2
Carrots, per bunch	5c
Cabbage, per lb.	3c
Turnips, each	5c
Eggs and Butter.	
Eggs, wholesale, per dozen	28c
Eggs, retail, per dozen	35c
Butter, retail, per lb	35c to 40c
Honey, per comb	25c
Fish.	
Pink Spring Salmon, per lb.	20c
White Spring Salmon, per lb. (2 lbs. for 25c).	15c
Flounders, per lb.	10c
Sturgeon, per lb.	15c
Blue cod, per lb.	10c
Halibut, per lb.	10c
Steelhead, per lb.	15c
Smelts	2 lbs. for 25c
Retail Meats.	
Beef, best rib roasts	15c to 18c
Beef, loin	18c to 22c
Beef, round steak	18c
Boiling beef	10c to 14c
Veal	15c to 20c
Pork	18c to 20c
Sugar cured bacon	20c
Mutton	12c to 20c
Dressed chicken, per lb.	25c
Wholesale Meats.	
Veal, large	8c to 10c
Veal, small	12c to 13c
Beef, front quarter	9 to 10c
Beef, hind quarter	11c to 12c
Spring lamb	12c to 13c
Mutton	10c to 12½c
Pork	12c to 12½c
Poultry.	
Geese, live, each	$1.50 to $2
Hens, small, dozen	$6 to $7.50
Hens, small, retail	$7 to $9
Hens, large, retail	$10 to $12
Broilers, dozen	$5 to $6
Chickens, dozen	$7 to $9
Chickens, dressed per lb.	25c
Ducks, dozen	$10 to $12

G. T. P. PROGRAM.

Work for Year Delayed by Death of Hays.

Winnipeg, Man., May 10.—E. J. Chamberlin, vice-president and general manager of the Grand Trunk Pacific, is back in the city this morning. Mr. Chamberlin has been in the east for the past few weeks considering this year's program. He was to have met C. M. Hays at Montreal, and they were to decide on the program of construction and development for the G. T. P. As it is now, Mr. Chamberlin will return to Montreal next Wednesday to meet A. M. Smithers, chairman of the board of directors. Then they will decide on the work for this year.

Mr. Chamberlin states that the work will be somewhat late in starting as a result of the death of Mr. Hays, but the construction work now in progress will be continued. There are about six hundred miles of grade waiting to be tracked.

NEGRO AND MOHAMMEDANS.

Latter Do More Good Than Christian Missionaries.

Kansas City, Mo., May 10.—The African negro has become more of a man under the Mohammedan teachings than under Christian, according to Bishop C. S. Smith, who is attending the conference here of the African Methodist church. Bishop Smith has devoted many years to study of his race in Africa, Hayti, San Domingo and Liberia.

Bishop Smith in his address today said that the methods of the Mohammedan teachers had a tendency to make the negro self-reliant, whereas the Christian teachings make him a cringing nonentity. This was chiefly due, he said, to the fact that the white man caused the negro to look upon him as a master, while the Mohammedan teacher regarded him more as an equal and taught the negro to bow his head only to Allah.

A resolution offered by Bishop J. S. Flipper of Atlanta, Ga., endorsing a proposition to hold a semi-centennial celebration of emancipation at some place in the south in 1915, was unanimously adopted by the conference.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER, B.C.

Local Improvement Notice.

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

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

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

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

Dated this Eighth day of May, 1912.

W. A. DUNCAN, City Clerk.

Date of first publication May 9, 1912.

Parties intending building in Alta Vista or Burnaby and vicinity, get my estimates,; plans and specifications furnished. T. M. Moorhouse, Alta Vista P. O.

CORPORATION OF BURNABY.

Engineering Department.
Notice to Clearing Contractors.

Tenders endorsed "Clearing" will be received by the undersigned not later than 5 p. m. Monday, May 13th., for clearing and grubbing the Easterly 33 feet of Boundary Road, from Barnet Road to the Great Northern right-of-way, approximately 10 chains.

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

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

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

W. GRIFFITHS,
Comptroller.

Edmonds, May 3, 1912.

These Fit-Reform Suits are Fashioned in Strict Accord with London Styles.

Trig coats with natural shoulders, and soft fronts from collar to bottom of skirt.

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TO VICTORIA and SEATTLE, Saturdays and Tuesdays at midnight.

S.S. "PRINCE ALBERT" to Prince Rupert and principal way ports. Sailings 3rd, 13th and 23rd monthly.

Grand Trunk Pacific Railway connects at Prince Rupert for East with above boats.

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These items will appeal Strongly to the economically inclined who desire to get full value for money expended

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Well made, thoroughly up-to-date in style, with attached hose supporters. Each $1.00

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Ladies' Swiss Ribbed Vests; in good serviceable quality, with short sleeves or with no sleeves; a good 25c value. Each 12½c

LADIES' NEW HANDKERCHIEFS

Fine pure linen plain white hemstitched Handkerchiefs; a quality you would expect to pay 25c. For. Now, each 12½c

One lot same as above, except made from fine even lawn instead of linen; a really good 10c value. Now, each 5c

NEW HOSIERY 25c.

At this price we offer ladies' fine wool cashmere Hose; ladies' fine lisle hose in black, tan or black with white soles; ladies' heavy cotton Hose with double sole and high spliced heel; full regular made either black or tan; boys' heavy ribbed Hose, either wool or cotton, sizes up to No. 9; children's and misses' fine ribbed cotton Hose, a splendid 35c value in black, tans or white. We have placed the low price of 25c a pair on the entire lot above mentioned.

NEW KID GLOVES

Two clasp real French Kid Gloves in black, greys tans; all sizes; every pair guaranteed; a splendid wearing glove and a good fitter. A pair 95c

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SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Lusby and their son left last week for England, where they will spend the summer months.

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Archdeacon Pentreath of Vancouver, was a visitor in town on Wednesday.

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The Browning Club met this week at the home of Mrs. R. J. Rickman. Those present were Mrs. Rant, Miss Homer, Miss Rickman, Miss DeWolf Smith and Miss Elenor Martin.

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Miss Marion Martin left on Monday for Loomis, Wash., to visit her aunt, Mrs. Pearce.

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Mrs. M. G. Melvin, 420 Seventh street, will not receive again this season.

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Mrs. J. H. Cunningham of Fifth street, will not be at home again until the fall.

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Mrs. George Redmond, Thirteenth street, left for England yesterday, and will not return until August.

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The card party given in St. George's Hall on Tuesday evening, by the W. A. of Holy Trinity Cathedral, was very well attended. The first prizes were won by Mrs. Davis and Mrs. Percy Smith, and the lone hand prizes were carried off by Mrs. Shadwell and Mr. J. J. Jones.

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Mrs. H. A. Eastman, Third avenue, entertained at cards on Wednesday evening.

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Mrs. W. H. Macgowan entertained informally at a work tea on Thursday afternoon.

Publicity at Sea.

San Francisco, May 10.—Forty yachts of the Corinthian Yacht Club flew the Panama-Pacific International Exposition "1915" burgee on the annual opening cruise of the season last Sunday. The yachts attracted a great deal of attention and the flying of the "1915" flag was favorably commented upon by thousands who watched the boats skim over the bay. The burgee is the official flag of the exposition and will be flown on the yachts of the world. President Moore inaugurated this exploiting feature by flying a pennant on his yacht "Evian." When the steamship Cleveland entered this port it flew the exposition flag and the ships of many steamship lines have adopted the flag to exploit the exposition. It reads, "P. P. I. E., 1915, San Francisco."

PRISONER TAKES STROLL.

United Wireless Promoter Loose in Tacoma.

Seattle, May 10.—George H. Parker, United Wireless stock promoter, serving two years on McNeill Island, left that sea-locked fortress yesterday for a day's outing in Tacoma.

The motto of the City of Destiny wrought in huge electric letters appealed to Mr. Parker. As a motto "You'll Like Tacoma" was regarded by the high financier of the wireless scheme as nifty and particularly attractive on a sunny afternoon when one has time to kill.

Swinging along Tacoma's streets, chatting amiably with his son, Mr. Parker, clothed as becomes a man of wealth, appeared to enjoy his excursion outside the prison. The afternoon was alluring, and there appeared to be no need of hurrying back to the island.

Seattle residents who knew the United Wireless fiscal agent in the days when the stock was selling briskly gasped with surprise to see the man whom they thought to be in the stern clutches of Uncle Sam jauntily taking an airing. If Parker recognized anybody in the crowds in which he mingled he gave no sign.

The mystery of Parker's excursion was solved when it became known that he had gone to Tacoma to consult an ear specialist. For several years Parker's hearing has been somewhat impaired, and it was to receive a higher skill than the prison doctor could give that the trip from the island was arranged.

ELECTRIC SMELTING.

California Pig Iron—Professors and Iron Masters Co-operation.

San Francisco, May 10.—The first carload of pig iron ever shipped out of California and the first commercial lot of electrically smelted pig iron ever shipped anywhere, left Shasta county for Salt Lake City yesterday. The ore was mined from large deposits on the Pitt river close to the smelter which now has a capacity of 12 tons daily and has been in continuous operation for 23 days. A second furnace is building. Heat is generated by electricity transmitted from a water-driven power plant. The process has been perfected by scientists of Stanford university, co-operating with practical iron masters, after six years of experiments.

California is rich in iron but barren in coal and the cost of importing coking coal has made blast furnaces unprofitable. The company believes it can compete successfully in western markets with eastern and southern pig iron.

Encountered Heavy Weather.

Victoria, B. C., May 10.—The steamer Sado Maru reached Yokohama from Seattle three days late with five feet of water flooding her dining-room and her deck and upper works badly damaged as a result of heavy weather on the voyage, according to advices received from Japan. The cargo was slightly damaged.

ALL NATIONS REPRESENTED AT LETHBRIDGE CONVENTION

Lethbridge, May 10.—The interest of all nations in the forthcoming Seventh International Dry Farming Congress, at Lethbridge, Alberta, Oct. 21 to 26, grows apace with the sending out by the Dominion Government of Canada of engrossed invitations for each to participate. The cordial co-operation of the Canadian officials and the Honorable Ambassador of Great Britain to Washington, has been productive of numerous enquiries as to the preparations for the congress.

It is expected that fully 50 distinguished foreign agriculturists and diplomats will attend. There is a likelihood that every South American republic will be represented by two or more official delegates, while several will send delegations to the Congress of Farm Women.

Michigan and New York are becoming deeply interested in the dry farming movement, and delegations are certain to be sent by these states for the first time, while Dr. Liberty H. Bailey, the famous agricultural author, who is Dean of Agriculture of Cornell University, has accepted an invitation to participate. Minnesota and Illinois are also to be represented by both delegations and exhibits, and the co-operation of Governors Deneen and Eberhardt has been followed by the immigration and agricultural officials arranging for large state exhibits of dry-farmed products.

The executive secretary-treasurer, Mr. John T. Burns, is on a field trip through the middle western states, and everywhere is meeting with promises of a large attendance of delegates and fine exhibits. Mr. Daniel Morgan, of the board of governors, will shortly tour the Northwest and Pacific Coast states on a similar mission, and Hon. Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agriculture of Alberta, has been invited by the board of control to make a tour of the border states and several others to the south of the western provinces of Canada to extend formal invitations to participate.

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CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER

TWELFTH STREET IMPROVEMENTS

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

Blk.	Lot.	Sub.	Re-Sub.	Assessed Owner.	Frontage. Feet.	Amt.
S 10	17	1		McMartin, Jane	49.50	$ 50.97
		18		Quaggan, R. H.	46.73	48.12
		17	S.½	Quaggan, R. H.	27.50	23.17
		17	N.½	Ovens, Thomas	27.50	23 17
		16		Ovens, Thomas	45.00	46.34
		15		Adams, Ellen	45.00	46.34
		14		Adams, Ellen	45.00	46.34
		13		Adams, Ellen	45.00	46.34
		N.E.pt.		Brenchley, Louisa B.	157.27	161.66
	16	1		Tubbs, C.	66.00	67.99
		2		Simcock, James T.	66.00	67.99
		7		Sands, Wilhelmina	66.00	67.99
		8		Sands, Wilhelmina	66.00	67.99
		11	S.½	Sands, Wilhelmina	33.00	34.00
		11	N.½	Wintemute, Ada M.	33.00	34.00
		12		Wintemute, Ada M.	66.00	67.99
		15		Wintemute, Ada M.	66.00	67.99
		16 & 17	1	Turnbull, Wm.	66.00	67.99
			2	Turnbull, Wm. Sr., Estate	66.00	67.99
S 11	7	1		Adams, Ellen	61.88	63.71
		2		Adams, Ellen	61.87	63.71
		3		Hunt, Margaret A.	61.87	63.71
		4		Macaulay, Bertha Maud	61.88	63.71
		21		Wallace, John S.	61.88	63.71
		22		Wallace, John S.	61.87	63.71
		23		Robertson, Robert	61.87	63.71
		24		Robertson, Robert	61.88	63.71
	6	1		Mandeville, Frank	66.92	68.90
		10		City of New Westminster	71.26	73.37
		11		Dunn, Annie	70.95	73.05
		13		People's Trust Corporation	70.95	73.05
		14		Wiggins, John Estate	70.95	73.05
		15		Wiggins, John Estate	70.95	73.05
	8	5		Wiggins, John Estate	60.00	67.99
		6		Wiggins, John Estate	66.00	67.99
		7		Turnbull, Alex.	66.00	67.99
		8		Furness, W. H.	66.00	67.99
		17		Adams, George	66.00	67.99
		18		Adams, George	66.00	67.99
		19		Adams, George	66.00	67.99
		20		Adams, George	66.00	67.99
	5	46		Bartlett, E. P.	66.00	67.99
		45		Bartlett, E. P.	66.00	67.99
		34		Smithers, Alfred, Estate	66.00	67.99
		33		Smithers, Alfred, Estate	66.00	67.99
		32		Smithers, Alfred, Estate	66.00	67.99
		31		Smithers, Alfred, Estate	66.00	67.99
		2		Calvert, James	66.00	67.99
		1		West End Methodist Church	66.00	67.99
S 12	4	1		Zucchero, Enrico	65.16	67.09
		2		Zucchero, Enrico	65.09	67.02
S 12	4	19		Main, John	65.16	67.09
		20		Mandeville, Delmia S.	65.09	67.02
		21		Hale, A. E.	65.16	67.09
		22		Hale, A. E.	65.09	67.02
		39		Heaton, Robert	65.16	67.09
		40		Heaton, James	65.09	67.02
	3	1		Reil, Clifton P.	65.16	67.09
		2	S.½	Reil, Clifton P.	32.545	33.51
		2	N.½	Connelly, Alex. S.	32.545	33.51
		19		Arkle, Christopher	65.16	67.09
		20		Robertson, Don., and Atkinson, Jas.	65.09	67.02
		21		Insley, A. M.	65.16	67.09
		22		Main, W. M.	65.09	67.02
		39		Odin, Mary M.	65.16	67.09
		40		Odin, Mary M.	65.09	67.02
S 12	5			Roman Catholic Orphanage	1042.00	1072.30
					5129.48	5281.54

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

W. J. DUNCAN, City Clerk.

Dated this 4th Day of May, 1912.

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11 to 12 a.m. — 25c. Woven Ginghams, 36in. wide - 18c

12 to 1 p.m. — 12 1-2c., 24x34 Glass Towels - - - 9c

2 to 3 p.m. — 10c. 36in. White Long Cloth - - - - - 6c

3 to 4 p.m. — $2.50 Children's Gingham Dress $1.50

4 to 5 p.m. — $2.00 72 x 78 White Damask Bed Spreads Price - - $1.35

5 to 6 p.m. — 20c. White Bath Towels - - - 12½c

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CORPORATION OF BURNABY.

Engineering Department.

Notice to Contractors.

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

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

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

W. GRIFFITHS, Comptroller.

Edmonds, May 1, 1912.

TEACHERS WANTED.

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

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

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Westminster Branch. — Cars leave B. C. E. R. Co. station for Vancouver at 5:00, 5:45 and 6:45 a.m. and every 15 minutes thereafter until 10:00 p.m. After 10:00 p.m. half hourly service until midnight.

Sunday Service.—Cars leave for Vancouver at 6:00, 7:00, 8:00, 8:30, 9:00 and 9:30 a.m. Regular week day service prevailing thereafter.

Freight Service.—Cars leave New Westminster for Vancouver at 7:20, 11:20, 12:20 and 15:20.

Burnaby Branch.—Cars leave B. C. E. R. Co. station for Vancouver at 5:45, 6:45 and 8:00 a.m., with hourly service thereafter until 10 p. m. and late car at 11:30 p. m.

after and late car at 11:30 p.m. leaves at 8:00 a.m. Regular week day service thereafter.

Freight Service.—Leave New Westminster for Vancouver at 8:20.

Lulu Island Branch.—(To Vancouver via Eburne)—Cars leave B. C. E. R. Co. station at 7:00 a.m. and hourly thereafter until 11:00 p.m.

Sunday Service.—First car leaves at 8:00 a.m. Regular week day service thereafter.

Freight Service.—Leave New Westminster for Van. at 10:00.

Fraser Valley Branch.— Cars leave B. C. E. R. Co. station for Chilliwack and way points at 9:30 a.m., 1:20 and 6:10. For Huntingdon and way points at 4:05 p.m.

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UNION LABEL 4

SATURDAY, MAY 11, 1912.

CHINESE FAMINE FUND.

The Chinese famine fund does not appear to be growing with those leaps and bounds which would in all probability have followed an appeal, say for the Titanic survivors, or any other cause affecting more nearly our own kith and kin. We have the Chinese among us in British Columbia. Many people deplore their presence, perhaps many more go further than merely deploring, but, however, this may be, we should not let our attitude towards the Chinese in our midst interfere with our attitude towards their unfortunate countrymen in China itself.

The question at issue is upon a far wider plane than one of race or creed. It is one of humanity as a whole. Some 50 cents of our money will save a man's life. Surely if this could once be fully realized by the people of Westminster there would be no lack of contributions. Men, women and children are dying literally by the thousands in China. The failure of the harvest and the upheaval which has resulted in the birth of the Chinese republic is responsible for this state of things. Food supplies are short, and will be until the new harvest is gathered in. Pitiful tales are told of similar famines where numbers of people had not quite enough food to tide themselves over until the growing crops should have been garnered, and died in scores by the side of the fields of slowly maturing grain.

A few cents can easily be spared by every one in the city who will turn for a moment to call at either of the following places where contributions are received:

The Bank of Montreal, the City Hall (collector's department), the British Columbian office and the Daily News office.

Other cities in the Dominion are responding to the call. Here is how Westminster has to date, answered Mayor Lee's appeal:

Amount previously acknowledged	$101.00
L. W. S.	3.00
Hugh Burr	3.00
C. G. Major	3.00
G. H. Taylor	10.00
A Friend	5.00
J. C. Loree	5.00
Total	$129.00

MAY DAY BLOSSOMS.

It was sure some crowd.

Coronation weather favored the ceremony yesterday, the glistoning of the mighty Fraser, the bunting decorations and the summer dresses of the youngsters adding to the royal celebration.

Who said Mayor Lee liked to be amongst the girls?

The National Reserve should be invited to attend at the next May Day celebration. It is rumored that they are a weightier body at holding back a crowd than the Boy Scouts and Boys' Brigades. Surely May Day is a time of "dire national"—enjoyment.

The weather and the girls! Mr. J. J. Cambridge finds old friends the best.

Call me early mother dear. Not this morning, thank you.

The use of the equines for the May Queen's conveyance added a little distinction from the numerous buzz wagons in the parade.

Straw lids on the heads of the male sex were the order of the day.

The tet corn on the left toe of the left foot of Captain Peele indicated a sou' easter at exactly four-thirty yesterday morning. This was confirmed later by the old veteran taking a peek at his weather glass.

Trading on the main street was at a standstill during the passing of the parade.

The steam organ, a feature of a circus parade, was conspicuous by its absence yesterday.

The S. R. O. signs were placed on the electric cars long before the procession. Very few delays occurred with the service, special cars being placed on the Vancouver run following the ceremony.

WANTED!

Suggestions for Improving the May Day Celebration.

Every brainy man or woman present at yesterday's fete has at least one idea which he believes, if put into practice, would make May Day more successful. Out with it. Write your suggestion on a scrap of paper and mail it to P. W. Luce, chairman of the publicity committee, or write direct to the newspapers.

This year's celebration was the biggest and best ever, in spite of the postponement. The new features made it the big success that it was. Next year it will be even better if everybody works and helps. Do your share.

Here are some suggestions made yesterday:

The space around the Maypole should be roped.

The platform should be carpeted.

The bands should keep busy.

The speeches should be shorter.

What have you got to suggest? Get in and help.

TIMELY TOPICS

And Irresponsible Comments by an Onlooker.

Last Saturday was and ever will be a famous day in the history of Canadian roads. On that day there was planted at Alberni in the presence of over one hundred automobiles and nearly one thousand persons the first and the furthest west post of the great Canadian Highway which, it is hoped, will within three years stretch from sea to sea, from the Pacific to the Atlantic, from Alberni to Halifax. I wonder how many of those who were present understood the significance of the occasion. Probably many were aware of it, but it is not likely that more than a few thoroughly realized it, appreciated it. But after all that does not matter much. The thing is done and even if it was done light-heartedly it can not be undone. By the way though, it very nearly was undone a day or rather a night later. Some of those rascally fellows from Port Alberni crept over to the rival town at dead of night "by the light of a lantern dimly burning" and up they dug that precious post, and carrying it proudly to their own domain, planted it defiant in the centre of the new town. Next morning there must have been a terrible to-do. All the residents of the old town must have fumed with horrid indignation. Down the canal at the port the mayor summoned a hasty meeting of his trusty councillors. With outward dignity but inward smiles, they must have debated this tender problem of foreign politics. Finally with tactful austerity they resolved that the post must be returned with suitable apologies to those to whom it had been given. For after all these are the days of civization, and highway robbers that would rob the very highway of its posts can not be tolerated, even by triumphant townsites. And so once more the "farmers" of Old Alberni can boast of being the Pacific terminus of the great highway.

That is a magnificent run from Nanaimo to Alberni. Along the shores of lovely Nanoose and Qualicum bays runs the good road. Then west across the lofty but narrow waist of the island. Through magnificent tall timber it runs. Six inches on either side of the axles of our good motor car rear the forest giants, but modern chauffeurs are cool of nerve and steady of hand—for does not a careful attorney-general forbid them to drink liquor on a journey?—and we never hit a stump—quite. Then past Cameron lake, most splendid of beauty spots, where the dark-timbered mountains stand steep with their feet in the cold waters of the lake. Curling like a rat's tail the road clings to the hillside until it plunges once more into the confusion of the mountains. And now it is up and up to the summit of the pass. The grades are heavy, and the stout car throbs like a bravely pulsing heart, but circling bluff after bluff we at last reach the top. Cautious down, for a bit for the corners are still with us, and then a clear straight-away dash over as good a bit of road as man could wish for, into the furthest west harbor of Canada. Flags and streamers were there to greet us, and a hospitable crowd from both towns. We had left nature behind us and it was "Come and have a drink," and we went and had a drink—or two. They are good hosts in the Albernis. Next day we came home again.

I wonder what the voices of the street car conductors in Westminster are really like. I must confess I don't know at the present moment, for they never give one a chance of hearing them speak. I have always been told that there is one if only one stipulation in that famous blanket charter of ours that binds the company to announce through the media of its conductors the names of the streets. That clause seems to have been forgotten. Why not revive it? Westminster is waking up these days and perhaps the sturdy shouts of the conductors would help us to keep awake. At any rate it would help us to get out at the right corner and would save us trying to see in the dark whether we had reached Eighth or had already got to Tenth, when we really meant to get off at Sixth. Of course I would not like to ask the company directly for anything, but I just throw this out as—shall I say—a ballon d'essai. Probably they won't understand that and so it will prove a salve if by any chance I have hurt their feelings. But after all corporations are said to have no feelings, so I suppose one might really insult them as much as one liked without getting them annoyed. But still they always seem hurt when I try to avoid paying my fare.

Aamateur plays are apt to be terrible. But they have their other side, too. They are like the famous little girl, who "when she was good was very, very good, but when she was bad, she was horrid." Well, on Thursday evening the amateurs weren't horrid. "Facing the Music" was a most delightful show. Boy Scouts and all, we enjoyed ourselves immensely, and we only hope that the amount of money raised corresponded in some degree to the number of laughs elicited. After the play was over the company adjourned to a very pleasant little supper which went off as successfully as the play. But why would that gentleman with the clerical collar and the eyebrows insist on standing up? There is a tale, too, about Westminster's back that could be told—but that is another story.

C. P. R. LAYS HEAVIER STEEL FROM NELSON

Nelson, May 10.—Further evidence of attention paid by the C. P. R. to the line between Nelson and the boundary is given by the announcement today that the company will lay this year 50 miles of heavier steel on this route, which is expected to become a portion of the northern main line to the coast.

Here's a Chance to Better Yourself

"SEE THAT MAN KERR"

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

Let the money you would otherwise spend foolishly (or you might say throw away) do something for you. Let it increase many times in value.

Have you noticed what the Board of Trade and the Progress Club are doing?

I tell you New Westminster is as live a place as I know of. I don't believe there is another town in Canada that has anything on it in the way of natural advantages. Business is good. Everyone is prosperous. Everyone is making money. Its nature, you can't get away from it.

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

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

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

Read It Through

Fine lot on Tenth avenue, near Fourteenth street. It is very easily cleared; one block from car line. Adjoining lots held at $1000. My price for immediate sale is $800; $200 cash, balance in 6, 12 and 18 months.

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

You Can Make Big Money On These

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

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

HERE IS THE CHANCE OF YOUR LIFETIME

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

Look Them Over

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

Then See Me As Soon As You Can

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

W. J. KERR LTD.

KEEN INTEREST IN COMPETITION

Many Children Write on "What Good Roads Mean to Canada"—Careful Judging.

As the date set for the closing of the competition carried on under the auspices of the Canadian Highway Association, on the subject "What Good Roads Mean to Canada," approaches, the number of essays reaching the office of the secretary increases, and anywhere from three to fifteen essays are being added to the list every day. The children throughout Canada have shown by the manner in which they have responded to the invitation issued by W. J. Kerr, president of the Canadian Highway Association, that they are taking a keen interest in the country's needs, and that the problem of Good Roads is one that is already attracting their attention.

Letters have been received by Secretary P. W. Luce from a large number of teachers in the eastern provinces, who have promised that they will send from three to eight papers prepared by their pupils.

The last day for the receiving of essays is Wednesday, May 15, and the judging of the papers will take place as soon after this as convenient. The gentlemen who will adjudicate upon the merits of the papers have had considerable experience in journalistic work, and are well fitted for the difficult task before them. The names of the judges will not be announced until after the awards have been made.

The gold, silver and silver-gilt medals offered by the president for the best three essays, are exquisite examples of the goldsmith's art, and the winners will have reason to congratulate themselves on the possession of this jewelry. In addition to these three prizes, a souvenir silver pin is to be given to every child whose paper attains a certain standard of merit. Mr. Kerr will request the judges not to place this standard of merit too high, but to take into consideration the fact that many of the children writing are of tender years and that as much consideration as possible should be given to these budding essayists.

The judging of the papers will entail considerable time, as nearly two hundred papers will have to be read and studied by the judges before they are in a position to make the awards.

The points to be taken into consideration by the judges include caligraphy, neatness, arrangement and construction, grammar, style, detail, evidence of study and research, presentation of facts and figures and continuity of thought. As the competition was for children under 18 years of age, no preference will be given by the judges to the young writers. The best essay will be awarded the gold medal, irrespective of sex or age, provided all conditions have been fulfilled.

CRICKET RESULTS IN OLD COUNTRY

London, May 10.—Following are the results of cricket matches finished yesterday:

England beat the rest of England by an inning and 13 runs; Yorkshire beat the M. C. C. by two wickets; the South Africans beat Derbyshire by seven wickets.

Mothers Day
May 12 1912

A white flower for Mother's memory,
A bright flower for Mother's living.

We shall be prepared Saturday, May 11, with a large assortment of fine, fresh flowers, appropriate for Mother's Day, offered at our usual moderate prices. All customers served promptly either at our new store at 739 Columbia street, Phone L 184, or at 47 Sixth street, Phone 1037.

TIDY THE FLORIST

Send mother a bouquet on Mother's Day.

Mr. Investor! Mr. Homeseeker!

Do you know what Sapperton offers YOU?

Do you know that Sapperton is one of the healthiest and prettiest sections of the city, that it has one of the best car services in the city, that more industries are going there than in all the rest of the city combined, and that extensive civic improvements this year will further enhance its many advantages as one of the most desirable residential parts of New Westminster?

The shrewdest investors in New Westminster and Vancouver are putting money into Sapperton. They have figured that with the high prices of property elsewhere in the city, as compared with Sapperton, which offers just as many advantages, that they will shortly make handsome profits on their investments.

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

CAN YOU BEAT THESE PRICES?

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

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

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

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

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

For $3500—Eight roomed house on Blair avenue. This house is fully modern, furnace, etc. Lot 66x105. Will consider offer on terms. No. 76.

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

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

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

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SPORTING REVIEW

The trouble that besets Promoter Jack Curley at this stage of his promotive activities is how to keep Jack Johnson's face straight while he (the promoter) is trying to convince the public of the sincerity of his efforts to bring about a championship battle to a finish between Johnson and Jim Flynn. Johnson has done little but ridicule the match ever since he entered into it, and his attitude is making it hard for Curley to impress the sporting public with the genuineness of the enterprise or to bring it soberly to consider the fight in the light of a possibility.

The forfeits are up, Johnson's among them, and from the formalities already complied with there would be no valid reason that the intent is not to go to a finish with it if Johnson, who is the most essential part of it, would attune his conduct to the promotor's policy of publicity. It is a queer state of affairs when Curley has to regard the principal party to the agreement as the chief "knocker" and has to resort to offers to bet to counteract the effect of Johnson's sneering remarks.

Really what Johnson has been saying about the match when told again means nothing, but it leaves the impression that he is not entertaining seriously the thought of fighting Flynn in July. Until Curley clears the atmosphere on that corner the enterprise, which will have to inspire a healthy general interest to make it pay for itself not to mention realize a profit, will languish. Johnson's assistance will have to be enlisted to boost in a positive and emphatic manner to give the affair the true ring. It will not do for him to remain skeptic or even indifferent. He must be brought to realize that it will be through his efforts as much as through those of Curley and Flynn that the fight is to be brought about.

The names of the Spring brothers and Len Turnbull still appear on the roster of the Torontos. The manager of the S. R. C. has about as much chance of seeing these three players in the east this season as Dr. Cook has of confirming his alleged discovery of the North Pole.

The lacrosse game is booming in England at the present time. Recently a tournament was held at Weston-super Mare, at which teams from Yorkshire, Essex, Gloustershire and Cheshire competed.

Art Warwick, who was mentioned as a possible Salmon Belly some few weeks ago, has reported to the Torontos. Warwick has been coaching the Harvard College team this season.

Dune Gillis, the Vancouver weight-tosser, is almost sure of a place on the Canadian team for Stockholm. He will enter the finals in the east without having to work in the trials, as his past performances justify his selection.

The Olympic trials for this province will be held in Vancouver on Saturday afternoon next. The most probable hair-raiser of the events will be the fight between Frank McConnell, of the V. A. C., and Hal Beasley of Victoria. These cracks in the sprints will attempt to lower the record of this province, and both should be able to do the hundred in ten seconds or less. The provincial record is 10 4-5 seconds.

Bruce Ridpath, the famous hockey star, who was seriously injured in a street accident in Toronto last fall, received $500 as a benefit from a concert held in Toronto last week.

Troubles are coming thick and fast in connection with the championship soccer games, which are scheduled to to take place in Winnipeg in July. The Calgary Hillhursts, who are hailed as the present champions because they captured the People's Shield last summer, still hold the trophy, although they have been notified by Mr. George A. Parker, one of the trustees of the shield, to return the silverware to Winnipeg. The Calgary team take the stand, that having won the trophy, it should be defended against all comers in no other place than the Alberta city. Then again they claim that a large guarantee was posted by a Dr Inys as a guarantee of the trophy's safety, and until that is returned the shield will certainly not be handed back.

Just now there is some talk of refusing the entries of any teams that were classed as professionals, which would eliminate the Thistles of Vancouver and the Nanaimo Uniteds. Mr Parker has issued a warning to the committee handling the arrangements for the tournament, that unless they accept the entries of the two professional clubs from B. C., then he will fire the whole committee and appoint one that will have a more generous definition of an amateur team.

Mr. Parker is going ahead with the arrangements for the competition despite the fact that the Canadian Amateur Athletic Association has suspended him for paying several of the Toronto players who took part in the series of games against the English Corinthians in the east last fall. He claims that the entries for the shield will be larger than ever before, and also claims that the Manitoba Football Association will control the games. The tournament is to be played for on the knockout system under British rules.

The officers of the different baseball teams in the city will meet this evening in the Y. M. C. A. to discuss the present situation, elect officers of the league, and arrange a schedule for the coming season.

The meeting is called for eight o'clock and it is particularly requested that all the executive of the different organizations attend. With the good baseball weather with us now, it appears to be high time there should be something doing in this line of sport.

The members of the Westminster Cricket Club will hold their first practice game on Moody Square this afternoon. Picked teams will clash with each other, and all prospective members, who have hopes of making the regular team, are requested to be on deck this afternoon.

BOWLING.

Fourteen teams rolled in the Exchange cup competition yesterday, but the 1171 score of the Chamberlin team still remains at the top of the list. However, some very interesting games were bowled off, Sloan and Winquest coming within seven pins of the leaders. Monteith and Winquest also got into the eleven hundred column with 1144, the former chalking up the best three games of the tourney for an average of 204. R. H. Corbett also distinguished himself with 235 pins for high single. Yesterday's scores over the 1000 mark are as follows:

Sloan	197	186	188	571
Winquest	179	210	204	593
				1164
Winquest	155	199	179	533
Monteith	215	180	216	611
				1144
Corbett	194	193	151	538
Winquest	189	181	168	538
				1076
Corbett	210	169	200	579
Winquest	179	159	150	488
				1067
Monteith	185	190	180	555
Pike	185	167	157	509
				1064
Corbett	174	189	190	553
Walsh	170	153	177	500
				1053
Corbett	235	172	165	572
Willette	149	156	170	475
				1047
Dill	162	170	149	481
Winquest	190	169	189	548
				1029
Winquest	148	158	177	483
Walsh	187	207	147	541
				1024
Winquest	178	147	191	516
Ingram	193	169	214	576
				1092
Ingram	194	174	179	547
Williams	182	126	211	519
				1066

GOLF TOURNAMENT AT VICTORIA PROGRESSING

Victoria, May 10.—In the semi-final of the Pacific Northwest golf championship tournament today Hinks, of Victoria, defeated Ricardo, of Victoria, seven up and six to play, and Arbuckle, of Victoria, won from Wilson, of Victoria, by one up.

In the open championship, Barnes, of Tacoma, was leading at 36 holes with a score of 149. Other scores were: Moffatt, Victoria, 154; Johnstone, Seattle, 157; Turnbull, Portland, 157; Duthie, Vancouver, 158; Lippy, Seattle, 13th, 178; Van Milligan, Tacoma, 14th, 183.

BASEBALL.

Northwestern League

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Vancouver	14	10	.580
Victoria	12	10	.542
Portland	13	11	.535
Spokane	10	11	.476
Tacoma	10	13	.435
Seattle	9	13	.409

Yesterday's Games.

	R.	H.	E.
At Vancouver—			
Vancouver	11	16	1
Spokane	6	10	2
At Seattle—	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	3	10	1
Tacoma	4	7	2
At Portland—	R.	H.	E.
Victoria	6	9	1
Portland	3	8	4

American League.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	17	6	.739
Boston	11	8	.572
Philadelphia	19	8	.552
Detroit	11	12	.510
Cleveland	9	9	.500
Washington	10	10	.500
St. Louis	5	12	.294
New York	5	12	.294

Yesterday's Games.

	R.	H.	E.
At Boston—			
Detroit	6	9	1
Boston	5	6	3
Batteries: Willett and Stanage; O'Brien and Carrigan.			
At New York—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	2	3	5
New York	3	10	3
Batteries: Baumgarten and Stephens; Quinn and Steele, Fisher.			
At Philadelphia—	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	11	10	5
Philadelphia	3	5	3
Batteries: Gregg and Easterly; Morgan and Egan.			
At Washington—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	5	7	1
Washington	2	4	4
Batteries: Peters and Block; Grome and Henry.			

National League.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	16	4	.800
Cincinnati	16	5	.760
Chicago	11	11	.500
Pittsburg	8	11	.4[illegible]
Brooklyn	7	10	.412
Boston	9	12	.406
Philadelphia	7	11	.386
St. Louis	6	16	.273

Yesterday's Games.

	R.	H.	E.
At Chicago—			
New York	5	7	1
Chicago	2	4	4
Batteries: Ames and Meyers; Cheney and Archer.			
At Pittsburg—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	4	7	2
Pittsburg	8	14	2
Batteries: Brennen, Schultz and Graham; O'Toole, Camnitz and Kelly.			
At St. Louis—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	8	4
St. Louis	3	9	1
Batteries: Perdue and Kling; Sallee and Wingo.			
At Cincinnati—	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	5	12	0
Cincinnati	6	11	2
Batteries: Stack, Yingling and Erwin; Caspar, Smith and McLean, Clark.			

B. C. L. A. WILL MEET ON NEXT WEDNESDAY

A meeting of the B. C. L. A. will be held in this city next Wednesday evening when the appointment of the two commissioners, Dr. Doherty and Mr. Harry Senkler, will be ratified. It is probable that other names will be added to the list of referees eligible to have charge of the championship games this season. There appears to be some doubt as to an exhibition game being played in Vancouver next Saturday afternoon and the whole thing remains up in the air until the return of the two Vancouver moguls, Messrs. Jones and Barr, from their eastern trip. They are expected home either today or Sunday when the machinery, which has remained at a standstill during the past two weeks, will again be set in motion. No word has been received of Newsy Lalonde for several days and if the French-Canadian is to arrive on the coast at all this season, he will probably come along in tow of his manager.

Anyone wishing to become a member of the local Harrier club can do so in time to make the hike to Capilano canyon this afternoon. The club starts from the Y. M. C. A. at 1 o'clock sharp.

Jack White's Come-Back.

Los Angeles, May 10.—Jack White, of Chicago, defeated Frankie Conley, of Kenosha, Wis., in the twelfth round today.

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In Central America many natives are gathering the seeds of this plant, Cedron Seed, a rare medicine that has valuable curative powers. But few drug stores carry this seed, owing to the high cost of the article.

This country is a large consumer of this costly seed because it enters into the famous catarrh remedy, Peruna, sold the world over.

NEW WESTMINSTER MAIL

Arrival: Closing

10:50—Vancouver via G. N. R. 23:00

7:40—Vancouver via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday).11:15

12:00—Vancouver via. B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday).16:00

18:00—Vancouver via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday).20:30

7:40—Victoria via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday).11.15

10:50—Victoria via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday).11:15

7:30—United States via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday).. 9.45

15:15—United States via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)..16:00

11:40—All points east and Europe (daily) 8:15

22:43—All points east and Europe (daily) 13:15

11:40—Sapperton and Fraser Mills (daily except Suuday) 8:15

18:10—Sapperton and Fraser mills (daily except Sunday) 14:00

11:40—Coquitlam (daily except Sunday) 8:15

12:00—Central Park, McKay and Edmonds (daily except Sunday) 11.15

14:00—East Burnaby (daily except Sunday 14:30

10:00—Timberland (Tuesday and Friday) 13:30

10:30—Barnston Islands arrives Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and leaves Monday, Wednesday and Friday 14:00

10:00—Ladner, Port Guichon, Westham Island, Burr Villa 13:30

10:00—Annieville and Sunbury (daily except Sunday).13:30

10:00—Woodwards (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday) 13:30

16:45—Vancouver, Piper's Siding via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)..14:20

15:50—Cloverdale and Port Kells via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday).... ....14:00

11:20—Clayton (Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday 14:00

11:20—Tynehead (Tuesday and Friday) 14:00

7:40—Burnaby Lake (daily except Sunday 16:00

18:10—Abbotsford, Upper Sumas, Matsqui, Huntingdon, etc. (daily except Sunday) 23:00

15:15—Crescent, White Rock and Blaine (daily except Sunday) 9:45

15:15—Hall's Prairie, Fern Ridge and Hazlemere (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 9:45

11:20—Chilliwack, Milner, Mt. Lehman, Aldergrove, Otter, Shortreed, Surrey Centre, Cloverdale, Langley Prairie, Murrayville, Strawberry Hill, South Westminster, Clover Valley, Coghlan, Sardis, Sperling Station, Bradner, Bellerose, via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday) 9:00

11:20—Rand, Majuba Hill via B. C. E. R. (Monday Wednesday and Friday 9:00

20:30—Chilliwack via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday).17:30

11:20—Abbotsford, Huntingdon, via B. C. E. R. (daily except Sunday) 17:30

15:50—Cloverdale via B.C.E.R. (daily except Sunday).17:30

2:00—Fraser Arm and Alta Vista 23:00

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Notice is hereby given that I shall at the expiration of thirty days from the date of the first publication hereof cancel from the books of the Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B.C., a certain agreement for sale, dated the 25th day of February, 1910, existing between Charles S. Brown, as vendor, of Vancouver, B. C., and Moulton Shank as purchaser, formerly of Vancouver, B. C.; said agreement for sale covering the east half of lot 8, and the west half of lot 9, block 1, being a subdivision of east half of lot 158, group 1, New Westminster district

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

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

To MOULTON SHANK, ESQ.

LIFE IN TURKISH CAMP

COMPRESSED DISCOMFORT DESCRIBES IT ACCURATELY.

The Turks Are Not Very Clean, But They Have Plenty of Food and Are Bubbling Over With High Spirits — The Depot at Azizieh Grows Continually to Accommodate Arab Reinforcements.

Turkey and Italy are still at war, although Canada hears very little about it. In this contest for Tripolitan supremacy the big engagements have been few and far between. Yet there has been considerable loss of life occasioned by the numerous petty, but still deadly forays, between small desperate bands of Arabs and the Italian outposts.

Amongst the snows of a Canadian winter it is hard to conjure up visions of a camp, situated in the heart of a tropical oasis, all typical of heat and of the Orient.

The only way to really understand the Turkish-Italian contest is to know the national life as lived in Tripoli. The following is written by an expert on the subject, and gives the reader the necessary information to understand how hopeless is the task that the Italians have taken to themselves.

Jebel Zoweiah, a veritable Acropolis rising from the surrounding plains, had long been visible before our eyes beheld the goal of our long and difficult journey, the Turkish camp at Azizieh, which lies at the foot of the hill. We found ourselves in the midst of a wonderfully busy scene. In a large open space, surrounded by irregular buildings, squatted hundreds of Arabs chattering like magpies and carrying on a brisk trade with officers and men.

There appeared to be no lack of food for the Sultan's fighting men in Tripoli. On every side were sacks and baskets full of onions, potatoes, chillies, dates, lemons, eggs, rice, mutton or goats' flesh, sugar, and native bread; there was even a fair number of rather lean fowls, but no trace of coffee. Apart from tobacco, which was scarce and costly, one could see no sign of famine prices. Potatoes were selling at three pounds for 4 cents, eggs 16 cents a dozen, meat about 8 cents a pound. As far as food is concerned, the war might last for years in the interior of Tripoli.

The market is bounded on the south by one of the big "konaks" or military quarters typical of Tripoli—a central courtyard filled with Arabs and camels and very filthy. On the upper storey runs a large broad terrace loopholed for rifle fire and commanding fine views of the desert and the Gharian Mountains. The Turkish officers experience at Azizieh the very minimum of personal comfort.

Still, one never hears a word of complaint, and everybody seemed in a good temper and excellent spirits; yet what a signal contrast exists between the conditions of active service in the British Army and those which prevail at Azizieh! Here in a small room in the tumble-down konak sleep the Commander-in-Chief, Fethi Bey, and Djevad Bey. The writing of numerous despatches, the issue of daily orders, the holding of courts-martial, the reception of Arab deputations have all to take place in this one apartment, which also serves as the mess for all the meals of the staff. If ever I saw compressed discomfort I saw it in that untidy room.

The borders of the camp have been continually enlarged since the beginning of December by the arrival of Arab contingents from east, south and west. A war drum would be heard in the distance, and gradually a column would appear over the gentle undulations of the desert. The Arabs advanced in ragged "fours," the result of the elementary drill provided by a couple of Turkish regulars who marched with them. At the head of the columns rode the sheikhs, splendidly mounted, and crescent flags, embroidered with Koran texts, waved in the air.

Amid loud shouts of welcome the new arrivals would march round the camp, and then, taking up their bivouac ground, settled down in colored masses "like garden beds," in the words of the Gospel narrative. At other times they ranged themselves in big semi-circles, with the mounted chiefs in the centre and the standard-bearers moving to and fro along the lines.

The spectacle was really magnificent in its display of elemental vigor and passion. Suddenly in resonant tones some Arab would chant the refrain, "We are warriors, we fear not death for our fatherland"; and then the massed ranks raised their rifles and swords and shouted with one accord, "We are true sons of our father"—i.e., in colloquial English, "chips of the old block." The enthusiasm was tremendous and the occasion worthy of a great artist's brush.

For some time after the turning of the Turkish left on Dec. 4 and the consequent removal of their headquarters to Azizieh, the Italians appear to have been living in a fool's paradise of security. They received a rude shock on Dec. 19, when a brigade under Col. Fava set out for a small oasis to clear out some alleged marauders.

It is difficult to estimate the actual losses of the Italians in this disastrous engagement. In no modern campaign has there ever been exhibited so barefaced a disregard for statistical accuracy as is found in Tripoli to-day.

However, in the present instance, the straggling fight and final rout took place within a short distance of where I was, and Turkish officers who had means of discovering the enemy's losses with some degree of accuracy estimated that several hundred of the Italian infantry and gunners had been killed and wounded. At any rate, 200 rifles were actually collected and brought in. Ammunition, boots, helmets, and hats stripped from the dead or found on the field of battle were exposed for sale in the market.

The Turkish casualties were eleven killed and 40 wounded.

STORIES OF BLAKE.

Ottawa Old Timers Recall Anecdotes of Great Canadian.

Old members, officials and newspapermen around the capital frequently discuss the late Hon. Edward Blake these days and all express much respect for the former leader and advocate. "He was one of the whitest men who ever lived," says an old journalist who had gone through two campaigns with him.

A story told by Mr. E. H. Holton, at one time member for Huntingdon, was recalled to illustrate Mr. Blake's impatience with inexactness or guesswork. Mr. Holton and the late Judge Lister, then a member of the House, had a dispute over the meaning of a certain clause in a statute. They agreed to leave its interpretation to Mr. Blake, and Mr. Holton was deputed to seek out the great lawyer and ask him the question. Book in hand, with his finger in the place, he entered Mr. Blake's room to find him buried in books like a spider in the middle of his web. Without looking up, Mr. Blake said: "Well?" Mr. Holton explained the situation, and Mr. Blake thereupon asked him to read the clause. "I stood up there like a schoolboy," said Mr. Holton afterwards, in relating the incident. "And when I had finished the bare reading of the clause Mr. Blake said, 'Well, that is what it means,' and that is all I got out of him."

One of Mr. Blake's greatest speeches in Parliament was his arraignment of the C. P. R. bargain made by the Government of Sir John Macdonald. This was in the early eighties. The speech lasted several days, and was a masterly presentation in detail of the Liberal party's criticism of what they believed was rank improvidence and extravagance. The subsequent affluence of the railway is taken by many as evidence of the soundness of Mr. Blake's position on this question. The length and minute detail of the speech was matter for much comment, and at times of jocular remarks. Mr. Blake's own favorite story of this speech, which he often told to friends afterwards, was as follows: One of the officials of the House who was engaged on Hansard and had heard much of the speech was asked one night as he wearily emerged after one of his "takes" how far Mr. Blake had got. He replied: "He has crossed to the Pacific; he is on his way east; he is over the divide of the Rocky Mountains, coming down grade, brakes off, all steam on, and going like hell."

The length of Mr. Blake's speeches used to cause embarrassment to his political advisers. On one occasion he was asked to cut down some of them that they might be more conveniently used in pamphlet form. He replied that he worked on them pretty hard and had cut them down as close as he knew how. "If you can cut them any closer I am perfectly agreeable," he observe. "The material is there and you can make use of it." Thereupon an experienced journalist was commissioned to do the "cutting."

Ottawa Misses Its Music.

At Ottawa they are deploring the disappearance of the House of Commons "orchestra."

That orchestra was composed of two M.P.'s, but nevertheless it was a three-piece organization. The pair of M.P.'s were Joseph Russell of East Toronto, and Adam Crosby of Halifax. Both went down to defeat in the recent election, and so the nights are no longer "filled with music" at the House of Commons.

Joe Russell made but one or two speeches, or rather remarks, while he was in the House, but he made music—lots of it. He could play two instruments at once. He had contrived a wire arrangement to hold a mouth organ between his lips, the wire passing around his neck. With his hands he played a banjo.

Adam Crosby was a clever performer on the tin whistle. He could extract sweet melody from that tin whistle as easily as Joe could twang the banjo. Many a time did they get together and edify their fellow members with the strains of that good old Scotch air, "Cock o' the North." It was their "piece de resistance." M.P.'s would wander out into the corridors looking for other M.P.'s whom they could summon into the Tory committee room and form an audience. M.P.'s would ask other M.P.'s for their favorite tunes, and the orchestra would be asked to play "Every Little Movement," or "Home, Sweet Home," but "Cock o' the North" would be the answer. No matter what was asked for, that orchestra would come to the front with the old reliable "Cock o' the North."

And so it happens that Messrs. Crosby and Russell are much missed by their fellow members of the last Parliament who were lucky enough to get back to Ottawa.

Took Foster's Seat.

The other day a forestry deputation from Brantford went to Ottawa to suggest some reforms. The leader wanted to see Mr. Borden himself, and looking over the House when Mr. Foster was not in the chamber, he walked up and coolly seated himself in the empty chair next to the Premier. The delegate is a big strapping specimen of manhood, and Mr. Borden addressed him genially.

"I'm glad to meet you," he said, "and I assure you I never saw that chair better filled. I hope you'll occupy it as your own some day."

"Thank you," replied the Brantford man, who happened to be a prominent Liberal of that city, "thank you very much, but if I ever occupy this chair you'll be sitting on the other side of the House."

The Premier enjoyed the joke hugely and passed it along.

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ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN —Rev. J. S. Henderson, pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sabbath school and Bible class at 2:30 p.m.

CATHEDRAL OF THE HOLY TRINITY—Rev. Canon G. C. d'Easum, M. A., rector; Rev. George A. Ray, M. A., assistant curate. 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., Matins, Litany and sermon; 2.30 p.m., Sunday school; 7 p.m., Evensong and sermon.

ST. BARNABAS, (ANGLICAN), 436 Tenth street—Rev. E. R. Bartlett. M. A., rector. Sunday: Matins and Holy Communion 11 a. m.; Evensong and Sermon 7 p. m.; Sunday school 2.30 p. m. Tuesday: Young People's Society, 8 p. m. Friday: Litany and Sermon, 7.30 p. m.; choir practice at 8 p. m.

ST. AIDAN'S PRESBYTERIAN, corner Fourteenth street and Seventh avenue—Rev. R. Wallace Collins, B.A., pastor. Services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Sunday school, 2:30 p.m.

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OLIVET BAPTIST — Rev. A. F Baker, pastor. Services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.; Sunday school at 2:30 p.m.

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

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MISSIONARY PROGRESS OF EPISCOPAL METHODISTS

Minneapolis, Minn., May 10.—Addresses and reports concerning the women's home missionary society and the board of foreign missions occupied the attention of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church. According to the reports both organizations have progressed during the last four years. The women's home missionary society, according to the report read this afternoon, in the 31 years of its existence has acquired property amounting to $2,360,244 which is used for homes, missions and hospitals.

At the evening session, given over to the work of the board of foreign missions, addresses were made by Bishop Frank Warne, of India, and Bishop William Lewis of China.

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The local Order of Eastern Stars will hold a whist drive in the K. of P. Hall on Monday evening.

Eighth street Bakery, fresh crumpets daily. A. Hardman, Phone L159.

The regular meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Bible class will be held at 9:45 a.m. on Sunday, under the direction of Mr. F. O. Canfield.

Harry Tidy, the florist, moves into his old stand on Columbia street having rented one of the new stores in the block that replaced the Kenny restaurant. He will continue business at his store located on Sixth street.

Dr. Hugh L. Dickey, of Vancouver the well known eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, paid his usual weekly visit to the Hotel Russell yesterday. **

Count the cups and count the cost Much is saved by using "SALADA" Tea. Sold only in sealed lead packets.

Special addresses will be given tomorrow at the Salvation Army, services in the citadel by officers from the Rescue Home, Vancouver.

The executive of the W. C. T. U. will meet at Mrs. James Cunningham's on Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Resident Engineer George A. Keefer, of the department of public works, who suffered a paralytic stroke on Thursday morning, is reported to be somewhat better. Mr. Keefer lies in St. Mary's hospital.

A loaded bomb under one of the main streets is indeed a curious find Opposite the Schaake Machine Works a shell still loaded was found by workmen on Thursday. Another treasure for the Carnegie library.

How about your garden? Ring up phone L184 and get Tidy, the florist, to quote you prices on the best stock that is grown in the country. They make a specialty of hanging baskets and window boxes. **

The New Westminster Gun club has been presented with a solid leather gun case by the Nobel Powder company, to be shot for in competition by users of Nobel's powder only. Next Thursday the weekly shoot will be held on Moody square, beginning at 3 p.m.

The concert given by the Westminster Choral society towards the end of last month will be repeated in the Columbian college gymnasium on Tuesday evening next, under the auspices of the Women's Educational club. The last practice will take place on Monday evening.

The Crown Timber and Trading Company's plant, located on the Fraser river in Sapperton, has been taken over by the British Canadian Lumber Company, Ltd. The latter firm are the owners of the new mill now being built on Lulu Island They have also plants at Vancouver and Crescent Valley, B. C.

The death occurred in this city last evening of Robert Gordon at the advanced age of 85. Deceased was an old pioneer of New Westminster having resided here for the past 45 years. He formerly served in the army. Mr. Gordon is survived by three daughters. Center & Hanna have charge of the funeral arrangements, which will be announced later.

Tidy, the florist, will open his new store at the old stand, 739 Columbia street, on Saturday morning, and to every lady that pays them a visit on that day they will give, free of charge, a bouquet of flowers. An invitation is extended to every lady of the city to visit them on that day and look over their store no matter whether they wish to make a purchase or not. Remember the stand, 739 Columbia street. **

Mr. Cooke Died.

The death occurred in the Royal Columbian Hospital on Thursday night of Mr. William Cooke, who was brought in from Mt. Lehman that evening suffering from injuries received while hauling logs for the Mt. Lehman Lumber and Timber Company. The cable hauling the logs broke breaking the man's leg and causing severe internal injuries. He was brought in on a Chilliwack car for medical attention here. Deceased was a widower, aged 63. The funeral services will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Murchie undertaking parlors, Rev. C. W. Brown, of the Queen's Avenue Methodist church officiating. The interment will be made in the Oddfellows' cemetery.

CAPTAIN HEADS PROCESSION FOR FORTY-ONE YEARS

Captain Adolphus Peele was yesterday for the forty-first consecutive time a participator in the annual May Day festivities. The familiar figure who is seen daily on the streets of this city, entered the ranks of the May Day promoters in 1871, although it was some years afterwards that he undertook to head the procession. Once he "got the habit," he insisted on his privilege, and for many years past his dignified and soldierly figure has been seen leading the procession of merrymakers.

"This is the only occasion of the year," said the captain to a News man yesterday, "when I ever think I am getting old. The first parade I had charge of was a firemen's parade at Victoria in 1864. How is my health? What bless your soul, I am still good for several more of these annual affairs."

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Flynn Arrives.

Las Vegas, N. M., May 10.—Jim Flynn, the heavyweight, who is to meet Jack Johnson for the world's championship here on July 4, arrived last night. Hundreds of citizens greeted him with a band. Flynn begins his training at Las Vegas Hot Springs tomorrow.

CELEBRATE BEST MAY DAY

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non-com. officer, presented by Mrs. N. R. Brown.

Private Hellesen, best drilled private, presented by H. G. Wade.

Private Linn, for attendance, presented by Sergeant Major Griffiths.

Sergeant Otto Ilsen, for attendance, presented by N. R. Brown.

Sergeant Linn, for attendance, presented by Mrs. Oscar F. Orr.

Private Oddy, for attendance, presented by J. B. McCallum, Victoria.

Homage to the Queen.

Following this interesting ceremony in which Bugler Linn received an ovation, his diminutive size attracting attention, there came one of the most pleasing incidents of the day. Born of the moment, a happy thought suggested itself and it was speedily carried out. This was no less than the rendering of homage to the May Queen by His Honor Judge Howay and his worship the mayor, who representing the state and the city, advanced and bending low while the crowds cheered kissed the hand of one of the fairest who has ever graced the throne of Westminster. Thus they swore fealty.

And now the time had come for the children to join in as a whole and speedily the ribbons were loosed from the four Maypoles, which with revolving tops, were danced around for some time. Then thirsty little ones were rejoiced with luscious oranges, and bars of chocolates and tickets for the merry-go-round. The vast crowd which must have numbered some five or six thousands then gradually dispersed for tea.

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Big Selling of Ribbons Saturday

Never before have we offered so many Ribbon Specials in one day. The goods are prettier, the stock is heavier, the prices offer better saving opportunities. In fact there are better selections for every Ribbon demand. This year Ribbons are used much than ever before for millinery, dress trimmings, hair bows, sashes, etc. Don't miss this opportunity to secure your summer supply. Here's a list for Saturday.

Fancy Dresden Taffeta Ribbon

Width from 5½ to 6½ inches; embracing a great variety of colors; values regular 40c and 50c. Saturday Sale, yard 25c

Self shades of Taffeta with colored reversible edge; in shades of saxe, green, purple, navy and black; also fancy stripe effects; with wide border; widths to 6½ inches; values regular 50c and 60c. Saturday Sale, per yard 40c

Striped Taffeta Ribbon

With colored edge; width 5¾ inches, Nice weight; values regular 35c. Saturday's Sale, per yard ..20c

Plain shades in Taffeta and Satin Ribbons; widths from 4½ to 5½ inches; in all the wanted shades; values regular 15c. Saturday's Sale 2 yards for 25c

Extra heavy grade, pure silk Taffeta; widths to 6¼ inches; in all shades; value regular 25c. Saturday's Sale, per yard 20c

Get In On the Millinery Bargains

The balance of millinery stock we put on sale for quick selling. There are quite a few pretty models in the range, comprising values to $15.00. Saturday, each $6.00

Suits That Are Selling Fast, $9.75 Each

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