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BOZAK APPEARS BEFORE COURT

Little George Lavery Tells of Relations With One Eyed Austrian.

Chinaman Also Testifies — Spotted Suspicious Bill and Notified Police at Once.

The Bozak case came up for trial yesterday, but before it was called the jury returned a verdict of guilty in the McWaters' case yesterday morning. He was found guilty on both counts and sentence was deferred until the end of the assizes. This was the fifth case tried at the present assizes and the first in which the accused was found guilty. In the first two cases there was an acquittal, and in the next two a disagreement.

In the Bozak case eleven year old George Lavery told the story of how the accused got hold of the money, about $5000. The boy said that on the day of the robbery he went under the Carnarvon street bridge to hide his books because he was not going to school. In doing so he saw the money with a paper thrown over it. He took some of the bills, all five dollar notes of the Bank of Montreal, and started down toward the market to show it to his father. He did not know whether it was good or not.

Young Lavery Meets Bozak.

At the top of the market steps he met Bozak, whom he knew because the two of them sold papers. He showed one of the bills tto him asking if it were good and at the same time told him that there were a lot more. Together they went back to the place of concealment and got all there was. They put it under their coats. The witness said he put it under his coat because the other did. Together they went to Bozak's room in the west end and he turned all he had, including what he had got at first. Bozak at once went down to a store and got one of the bills changed, and he gave a little over four dollars to the boy; then together they set out for Vancouver.

While in Vancouver they walked round, and they bought a pair of shoes for the boy, for which the recipient payed $2.50 out of his share of the money. They walked round some more and finally the boy came home alone. The witness said he did not see him again for two or three weeks. Asked why he went back to the room he said to get some more money; that his first amount had gone. He went up several times but did not find Bozak. At last he found him in and got a dollar. A few days later he went up again and got ten cents. The last time he saw him was the same day when he came to him and got a paper, for which he did not pay. Asked if the man sold papers any more after the finding of the money, he said he never saw him. The witness also said that he was told by the accused not to say anything about the finding of the money otherwise he would be caught. Upon cross examination nothing different came out.

Chinaman's Story.

The accused was arrested through the instrumentality of a Chinaman named Shue who runs a grocery store in Vancouver. This man told of what he knew. He said, he entered a Chinese laundry at 424 Carrall street and saw the accused hand over a $5 note. He looked at it and found that it was one of those said to have been stolen from the bank. He notified the police and the detectives soon arrived and arrested the man. He further testified that he was on the lookout for the bills because of instruction he had received at his bank. On cross-examination he was asked if he was expecting a reward and said everyone was expecting it.

Money in His Room.

Officer Jackson, of the Vancouver police, told of the arrest and the search of the man's room where the money was found. He said that many of the stolen bills were appearing in Chinatown. He said they arrested the man and charged him with vagrancy because they wanted to find out about him. An official of the Bank of Montreal told that as soon as the man was arrested he was sent for to identify the money. He recognized it at once. Then they went to the room and found the rest of it there. He counted it and found a little over $4000, all in five dollar bills. The money, suit cases, clothing, and various other things were taken to the station, where they were identified by the prisoner as his. The witness was asked as to the character of the man and he said he was sullen or stolid; also that he appeared to be despondent. He said the accused said he did not care what became of him, meaning that because of his disfigurement. He is a young man, with only one eye and one arm.

The case will go on again at 11 o'clock today. Accused is being defended by Mr. Alexander Henderson, K.C., of Vancouver, assisted by Mr. A. I. Goodstone. Mr. McQuarrie is representing the crown, and Mr. E. Bloomfield is looking after the interests of the Bank of Montreal.

SLIDE SENDS OWL TRAIN INTO BAY

Fireman Bert Morrow Expected to Live—White Rock Residents Charge Negligence.

White Rock, May 21.—The Great Northern southbound Owl which left Vancouver midnight Monday was struck by a rock slide at 1:40 this morning while rounding Kwomais Point (North Bluff) near Ocean Park. The engine was hurled down the embankment into the waters of Boundary Bay carrying with it Engineer Imberg and Fireman Bert Morrow, the former escaping with a compound fracture of one leg, but Bert Morrow was so seriously hurt that he is not expected to live.

The baggage and express cars were also derailed and sent down the embankment on the beach below, but fortunately the men on duty in them received no further damage than a severe shaking up and several nasty cuts and bruises.

The smoking car was carried half off the track, the rear trucks only remaining on the rails. One passenger in the car was more or less cut and bruised and several were shaken up considerably.

The Blaine local was immediately sent out to the scene as a relief train, bringing with it medical aid from that point. A special was also despatched from Vancouver and all passengers were duly transferred. The injured men received attention and as the wrecking crew were early on the scene the line was cleared again for traffic by noon today.

This is the second wreck to the G. N. R. Owl within five months at the same point and with practically the same train crew.

In January last the northbound Owl to which was attached the special car of Sir Donald Mann was wrecked under almost the same conditions. Another engineer was then in charge, but Bert Morrow, the injured fireman, was badly cut up on that occasion, though not so seriously as now.

Then, as now, the engine, two baggage cars and express car were hurled into the sea and the remainder of the train escaped.

As a matter of fact, say the people here, the G. N. R. right of way from the boundary line northwards needs more attention than that company has so far given to it in order to obviate these accidents. At the present time the railway company are doing a fair amount of improvement work in the immediate vicinity of White Rock, but severe pressure had to be brought upon their officials before this was begun. No provision is being made for the temporary convenience of the traveling public while their new depot is being built and no temporary freight sheds for the loading and unloading of freight. The latter is mainly dumped out of the car by the side of the track and allowed to remain there unprotected from the weather till removed by the consignees.

WAS SAND BAGGED ROBBED AND BEATEN

Vancouver Salesman's Sorry Plight—Discovered by Fellow Citizen—Wounds Dressed.

Seattle, May 21.—Found lying in a dazed condition near the curb on First avenue south at 3 o'clock this morning, W. A. Dallam, a salesman from Vancouver, B.C., said when taken to police headquarters that he had been sandbagged and robbed while the guest of a chance acquaintance who had invited him for an automobile ride. He says his host threw him out of the auto after beating him and robbing him of $50.

Dallam's scalp wounds were dressed at the city hospital and he was sent to his room at the Seattle hotel. All day the police have been investigating his story.

Dennis Wiles, of Vancouver, driving along in an auto, found Dallam and assisted him to reach police headquarters.

UNITED PRESBYTERIANS HAVE RAISED PREACHERS' SALARIES

Spokane, Wash., May 21.—Concluding its labors with the recommendation that the maximum salaries for preachers be raised next year to $1400, the general committee on home missions of the United Presbyterian Church of North America, adjourned today and will proceed to Seattle, where the general Presbytery is to meet. The minimum salary to be raised by the committee is $1000 per year, with a parsonage. The total amount of aid extended to churches throughout North America is $174,567.

One hundred delegates from eastern points stopped in Spokane today and attended a banquet here tonight, after which they left for Seattle.

OHIO VOTING FOR COL. ROOSEVELT

Taft's Home State Turns Against Him in Struggle for Nomination.

Ex-President's Delegates Number 18,186 to 16,117 Instructed for President.

Columbus, Ohio, May 21.—Complete returns from 198 scattering precincts: Roosevelt, 7616; Taft, 4945.

Columbus, Ohio, May 21.—Later complete returns from 537 precincts give Roosevelt delegates 18,186 and Taft delegates 16,117.

Returns from 481 precincts in the Democratic returns give Harmon 7,774 and Wilson 6875.

Roosevelt supporters are waxing enthusiastic as the figures come in and it is freely announced that Col. Theodore Roosevelt will be the next president of the United States.

Ohio is Taft's home state, and if it goes against him the colonel's victory is advanced a long stage. The effect of such a ballot on the southern states will be to swing a lot of votes for Roosevelt, it is claimed. All the small office-holders will, argue campaigners, begin to be anxious to vote on the side of the incoming administration, and if once they become convinced that Taft's chances are not as good as Roosevelt's, they will vote for the latter, merely to keep on the right side.

AMATEURS SCORE MERRY SUCCESS

"Hopp, Skipp and Jump" Entertaining Musical Medley—Beauty and Talent Present.

"Hopp, Skipp and Jump" went with a fine swing at the opera house last night. The piece is a merry medley of dance and song, jocular gags and hearty laughter and the players are to be congratulated on their performance. They all entered into the spirit of the thing with zest and seemed to enjoy the performance as much as the audience and that is as it should be with amateur productions.

Hopp, Skipp and Jump are three broken down brokers who resort to any extreme, even marriage, to free themselves from their financial difficulties. They are also interested in Mary Jane. Now Mary Jane is not a lady and that's where a lot of trouble came in because all the girls would think she was. No, that honor is left to Mrs. Duffy, who was a perfect lady, but Mary Jane was only a mine. Of course the plot is merely an excuse for the fun. And good fun it was too, and some of it very pretty fun, for Westminster's girls need take a back seat to those of no other city if last night's choruses are any criterion of the run of good looks in this town.

And there was lots of talent too. Songs were well sung, parts were well played and jokes were well taken. Perhaps it would be possible to pick out Sniffles and Mrs. Duffy as the best of a very good bunch. The latter scored a huge success with the assistance of the dainty Irish maids in "O'Callahan." Hiram Hopp and his wife were also excellent and Nellie James was surely "just a girl." But everybody played up well and it is impossible to go on selecting those worthy of praise. For after all it was a very big cast and space is precious around midnight.

As has been said, the audience was not a very big one. Perhaps the people are waiting to hear what it was like. Well, they will not go wrong if they go and see for themselves this evening.

POLITICAL EQUALITY LEAGUE HAS INTERESTING MEETING

Several interesting discussions came up before the members of the Political Equality league, which met last evening at the home of Mrs. A. Lamb. With the president, Mrs. Wiggin, in the chair, several topics, discussed at the recent convention, were taken up, especially the address of welcome made by Mrs. Baer, which was read verbatim by Mrs. Lashley Hall. Dr. Stevenson's address was read in part by Mrs. Searp.

Mrs. Tuckwell, recently of England, gave a brief address before the members, telling them of the conditions that led to the movement over there. Mrs. Lashley Hall, provincial organizer, spoke on political equality, dealing especially with the laws of British Columbia concerning women. Several phases of the work were discussed and questions asked and answered.

The local branch of the organization is apparently in a healthy condition, several new names being turned in last evening for membership.

CLOSE SHAVE ON MEXICAN BORDER

Two Hundred Rebels Nearly Stumble Into Severe Trouble.

American Lieutenant and the Border Patrol Prevent Eruption of Combatant Forces.

At the Boundary Camp of American Troops, Near Fabens, Texas, May 21.—The cool judgment of an American army lieutenant and the aggressive stand of two Texas Rangers in the face of 200 Mexican rebels advancing on the American boundary line prevented serious complications early today between the United States and Mexico.

"Death to them," cried the Mexicans and a shot rang out as they spurred their horses, drew their carbines from their saddle slots and charged forward to a wagon road where Lieut. C. A. Dougherty and 50 men of Troop B, Fourth United States Cavalry, had stationed themselves, their rifles pointed toward Mexico. C. F. Wasster and Charles Moore of the Texas Rangers, who have been accompanying the American troops on the border patrol, dashed forward.

"If you dare to come across this wagon road, we'll arrest your whole army," shouted Wasster. Lieutenant Dougherty, thinking perhaps he had miscalculated the boundary line, gave the Mexicans the benefit of the doubt and drew his men back a few yards under cover of some sage and mesquite, ordering them under no circumstances to fire until so commanded.

"This wagon road is the line," Wasster continued to call in Spanish to the advancing rebels who formed into a fighting line demanding at the same time that they send out their chiefs for parley. Colonels Jose Cordoba and Carlos Bustamante, in command of the rebels, who were moving on Guadalupe, dismounted and crossed the sandy road, the Mexicans declared they mistook the rangers for two men they had been searching for.

Lieutenant Dougherty came forward and defined what he believed to be the American line. The rebel leaders soon turned their troop away and headed eastward toward Guadalupe.

Fighting is probable within a short distance of the American line, and the United States troops have been ordered to prevent combatants of either side from crossing American territory before or after the fight.

Horsemen, Mexicans and Americans alike, moving about in the American zone adjacent to the scene of the maneuvers of the Mexicans, were stopped by the American troops. Some of these were diverted from the American line back into the United States. Two companies of the Eighteenth Infantry picketed the border, crouching low in the high grasses and reinforcing the cavalrymen. Troop B of the Fourth Cavalry, was tonight added to the patrolling forces. The American troops are camped on the sandy mesas within a few yards of the international border.

NEW ASSOCIATION GATHERS OLD LORE

Arthur Sullivan, Editor of Ashcroft Journal, Visits City—Cariboo Brotherhood.

Mr. Arthur Sullivan, editor of the Ashcroft Journal, was in the city yesterday on his way back home from Victoria, where he has been conferring with the provincial archivist, Mr. E. O. S. Scholofield.

Mr. Sullivan is keenly interested in the new organization which has received its birth in Ashcroft, and which is known as the Cariboo Brotherhood. The idea of the society apart from its fraternal aims is to act in some measure as the historian of British Columbia, hence the visit to Mr. Scholofield, a gentleman who is filled with the lore of the olden days of the province.

The society is at present busily engaged in hunting up the men and women who took part in the earliest settlement in B. C. and in the survivors of the Cariboo gold rush, there is a mine of rich reminiscence and stirring anecdote to work upon. In addition to this laudable work, the brotherhood will establish itself in all the present towns and cities of the province, and in those which are springing up, and will see that a responsible and trustworthy chronicler writes the record of these places to date, and notes down also the progress of events as they now transpire.

LOCAL IRONWORKS PLAN EXTENSIONS

Manager Duncan, of Vulcan Iron Works, Makes Satisfactory Annual Report.

The growth of business in and around Westminster is strikingly shown by the report made to the shareholders of the Vulcan Iron Works, Ltd., at the annual meeting held on Monday evening. The manager, Mr. J. R. Duncan, was able to show that the business done during the past year was three times as large as that of the previous year; and this despite the fact that the company was seriously hampered for lack of room. The shareholders were naturally much pleased with this report and plans were laid there and then for the immediate extension of the business.

The capacity of the plant will be doubled at once by the improvements decided upon. As has been previously announced the company has taken over Mr. Broder's property adjoining the present works, and on this will be built a new wharf and shop. The contract for the wharf will be let within the next few days. The new shop will be placed at right angles to the old one; additional and up-to-date machinery will be installed. This will include a new overhead crane which will give direct communication from the wharf to the railway tracks, and another machine which will by itself weigh sixteen tons, and for which special piling will be driven. New electrical tools will be introduced such as have never been seen on the coast before and these will enable the company to handle any job with the utmost despatch.

An example of the work done during the last year was given by the contract completed at Powell river. Here the company put in 2225 feet of 11 feet 4 inch diameter steel pipe. In laying the first section a record for thorough work was made. In laying the second this record was again beaten. One hundred and sixty thousand rivets were driven, and when the test was applied not one of them leaked. Other similar large contracts are in sight and the prospects for the future were reported to be the very brightest.

TEN MILLIONS FOR GREAT TRUNK ROADS

Washington Executive Committee Recommends Ambitious Program—Miles of Road.

Spokane, Wash., May 21.—The executive committee of the Washington State Good Roads association recommended today that the state concentrate all its energies on the building of three great trunk highways which are outlined as follows:

Pacific highway — From Blaine through Bellingham, Everett, Seattle, Tacoma, Olympia, Chehalis and Kalama to Vancouver, Wash. Distance 350 miles.

Sunset highway—From: Idaho line through Spokane, Davenport, Wilbur, Wenatchee, Ellensburg, the Snoqualmie Pass to Puget Sound. Distance 400 miles.

Inland Empire highway — From Spokane through Rosalia, Walla Walla, Pasco, North Yakima to Ellensburg. Distance 250 miles.

The estimated cost of these roads is $10,000,000, which the committee proposes shall be secured by raising the total road levy to three mills, which would include approximately $3,000,000 per year. The plans provide that 85 per cent. of the state highway levy be used on the construction of these three roads, 10 per cent. on other roads and 5 per cent. on maintenance.

STRANGE INSANITY AFFLICTS MURDERER IN JAIL

Tacoma, May 21.—Suddenly developing a form of insanity that manifests itself only during the hours of darkness, John Haley, who shot and killed Assistant Dockmaster Charles Ditton and fatally wounded Dockmaster George Trahey at the Puget Sound Navy Yard, on May 8, was placed in the padded cell at the county jail last night. He was committed to the county jail to await trial for the double killing. Sheriff Robert Longmire notified Deputy Marshal Frank L. Crosby of the prisoner's condition and the federal government this morning retained the services of a physician to examine him.

For some time past the sheriff's force noticed a change in Haley every night. When the jail lights were turned off, he immediately would give evidence of insanity. When the lights were extinguished last night, he began jumping about his cell, a raving maniac, shrieking for double irons. Fearful that he might hurt some one, it was thought necessary to transfer him to the padded cell.

UNITED SERVICE CLUB ADVANCING

Mayor Lee's Inscription on Name Roll of National Reserve.

General Meeting on Wednesday Next—Progressive Association Thanks Both Organizations.

Matters in connection with the organization of the United Service club are progressing very favorably, according to the reports brought in at the meeting of the provincial committee, which took place last night in the office of Messrs. Walker Bros. & Wilkie.

As regards the club it appears that a membership of well over 70 is already assured, and many more application forms have yet to be returned, it being stated that a large number of men were merely waiting in order to be present at the next general meeting when an opportunity will be afforded them of hearing the objects of the club explained at first hand.

A letter was received from the Westminster Progressive Association stating that at a meeting of the executive of that body on the 15th instant a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the club and to the supporters of the National Reserve movement for the publicity work which was given to the city by the inauguration of these new moves. The letter concluded with a hearty wish for the success of the undertakings.

The business transacted during the evening consisted of settling various recommendations affecting quarters, rules and constitution, all of which will be brought up at the next general meeting which it was decided to call for Wednesday next, that is a week from today. The hope was expressed that this would be a meeting in every way worthy of the city, and the large number of her citizens who have now or have had connection with the naval, military or auxiliary forces.

Regarding the National Reserve it was announced that enquiries concerning the movement had been received from various parts of Vancouver. His worship the mayor had fulfilled his promise to acquaint the militia department with what had been done, and a roll was now kept at the City Hall in which the names of the men were inscribed. This handsome book which is in the keeping of the city clerk bears upon its fly leaf the following inscription:

"The names enrolled in this book represent those who have served their country in either the army or navy, and who, by associating themselves with the movement signify their loyalty to the flag and the country they have served so well, and hold themselves in readiness to assist in maintaining law and order in the community; ready to respond to the call of their country should occasion require it.

"I wish each and everyone of the members of this, the first league of its kind to be established in Canada, a happy and prosperous career, and hope that the day may never come when they will be called upon to offer their lives for the defence of this our peaceable country. Signed John A. Lee, mayor."

The committee expressed its indebtedness to the interest his worship had shown in the matter of the National Reserve, and also expressed its appreciation of the work of the city clerk and his assistant in taking down the names.

MATCH FACTORY IS BIG INDUSTRY

Daily News Representative Makes Tour of Inspection—Expect to Start in August.

Sapperton is enjoying prosperity, its industrial feature is becoming more and more evident, and last but not least, the Dominion Match Company's plant is assured of being one of the most important industries in the city at the present stage.

Yesterday, a representative of the Westminster Daily News visited the site in company with Mr. Fred Phillips, the sales manager of the company. Situated between the tracks of the Great Northern, Canadian Pacific and the new extension of the B. C. E. R. to Milloide, the huge building, which is said to be the largest and most substantial of its kind on the Pacific coast, lends an imposing aspect to the already industrially settled district surrounding it.

The officials of the company made a wise move in choosing such a location, as their goods will have ready access to the two railways and the employees of the company will have

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Classified Advertising

RATES.

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

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—PANEL CUTTER, ALSO teamster. Walsh Sash and Door Factory.

WANTED—TO RENT ABOUT A 3-room house. Address Box 67, Daily News office.

WANTED—GIRL FOR HOUSEWORK and cooking. Apply 409 Queens avenue.

WANTED—GIRL AT THE ROYAL City Laundry.

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT for family of three adults. 221 Royal avenue.

WANTED—ROOMERS AND BOARDers. 36 Hastings street.

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

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

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

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD FURNIture. 1019 Edinburgh street.

FOR SALE—FEW LOTS FACING ON Craig street, close to Burnaby Lake line. Mostly cleared. Prices reasonable. Call 569 Columbia street after 6 p.m., or phone L 843.

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

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

LOST.

LOST—GOLD WATCH AND FOB IN Westminster or on car. Finder please communicate with Maude M. Foster, 614 Pender street west, or phone Seymour 7992, and receive reward.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 5 p.m. on Monday, the 27th inst., for the supply of one Auto-Combination Ambulance and Police Patrol Wagon.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

May 21st, 1912.

SINGING TEACHER.

Wanted—Teacher for singing in the New Westminster schools, duties to commence September 1. Applications stating qualifications and salary required to reach the secretary's office not later than noon of June 30.

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

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re Lot 65, Group Two (2), New Westminster District.

A certificate of indefeasible Title to the above property will be issued to Alexander Cruickshank on the 20th day of June, 1912, unless in the meantime a valid objection thereto be made to me in writing by a person or persons claiming an estate or interest therein, or in any part thereof.

C. S. KEITH,
District Registrar of Titles.
Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B. C., May 13, 1912.

The person or persons having in their custody or possession the following Title Deeds relating to the said property are requested to deliver the same to the undersigned.

Deed, dated, 8th July, 1904, from the British Columbia Corporation, Limited, (Foreign), to Alexander Cruickshank, of Lot 65, Group Two (2), New Westminster District.

WHITESIDE & EDMONDS,
Solicitors for Applicant.

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

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

Act Quickly. Address:

BOX 190, DAILY NEWS OFFICE

TO RENT.

TO RENT — TWO UNFURNISHED housekeeping rooms, modern. Apply 324 Tenth street.

FOR RENT—SIX ROOMED HOUSE. Apply owner, 464 Dixon street, off Harvey, Sapperton.

TO RENT—FURNISHED BOARDING house. Address Box 765 City.

TO RENT—ROOM, BOARD IF DEsired. 1020 Third avenue.

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

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSEkeeping rooms at 224 Seventh Street.

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

The People's Trust Co., Ltd.
451 Columbia Street. Phone 669

SEVENTH STREET BARGAIN — 6 rooms; cement basement; cement floor; furnace; fireplace, toilet and bath upstairs; a splendid location with front view which cannot be obstructed. Price $4200; $700 cash will handle this.

ONLY $700 CASH—ON EDINburgh street, a six-room modern house, beamed ceiling, panelled dining-room; china cabinet built in wall and fireplace. This house is piped for a furnace. The price is $3150; $700. No. 399.

A REGINA STREET BARGAIN — 5 room bungalow; very cosy little home. This place was built by the owner for his own home, but under present circumstances he must sell. Price $4000; one $3150; $700. No. 399.

FOURTH STREET BARGAIN—7-room house; two large lots; 106x148; eighteen fruit trees; chicken house for 300 hens; good stable. Price $4500; one-third cash. No. 295.

BUNGALOW BARGAIN — ON SEVenth avenue facing the river and gulf; unobstructed view; full sized basement and everything up-to-date. Price $4200. Terms to arrange.

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NOTICE!

To Whom It May Concern.—Take notice that my wife, Annie Stephenson, having left my bed and board, I shall not be responsible for any debts incurred by her from the date hereof.

JOHN CHARLES STEPHENSON,
Strawberry Hill, P.O.
Dated April 30, 1912.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re Lot 4 of Lot 9, Block 36, in the City of New Westminster:

Whereas proof of the loss of Certificate of Title Number 10432A, issued in the name of Christopher Brown, has been filed in this office

Notice is hereby given that I shall at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof, in a daily newspaper published in the City of New Westminster, issue a duplicate of the said Certificate, unless 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., May 11, 1912.

INVESTORS' INVESTMENT CO.
Phone 295 Office, Curtis Block

TO RENT—Two good houses, one on London street, six rooms, possession June 1, $25 per months; one house on Fifth avenue, seven rooms, modern; immediate possession; $30 per month.

HERE'S A NIFTY BUY—Comfortable little home on Tenth avenue, lot 50x132, lane at rear. All beautifully cleared; planted out in full bearing strawberries and other small fruits House will rent for $14 a month Three minutes from car. Price $2000; $500 cash, balance 6, 12 and 18 months. No. 40.

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

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

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

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

HENRY STREET, EDMONDS—Seven lots 50x129, for $525 each. These are worth looking into. No. 8.

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

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

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ALL SHINGLE MILLS BUSY IN WESTERN WASHINGTON

Seattle, May 21.—With the production of cedar shingles in Western Washington at fully 90 per cent. of possible capacity or close to 100 per cent. of normal capacity, and prices the highest they have been in over a year, Western Washington shingle manufacturers are commencing to feel better than they have in a long time. Stars were quoted yesterday at the mills at $1.50 and Clears at $1.85. The market is strong and shows signs of a further tightening of values in the near future.

Stocks of shingles at the Minnesota transfer and in transit are low. Only about 200 cars are now at the transfer and the stocks in transit are so small as to cut little, if any, figure in the business. The mills' stocks are low with the majority of manufacturers shipped up to the dry kilns.

The demand for shingles is brisk. The demand is brisk from all parts of the United States. The call for shingles from New York and New England states is not as active, however, as many had expected.

"There is no longer any doubt but that the price of shingles will hold," said F. A. Trail, manager of the Red Cedar Shingle Manufacturers' association. "The demand is brisk. Stocks on the coast are light. Production cannot be much heavier. All prospects indicate a still larger volume of business during the next few months. Conditions look unusually promising to me. The association, which has a producing capacity of 20,000,000 shingles per day, has all the business it can handle. We have not been so busy in a long time."

AMERICAN SHIPS FREE.

Washington, D. C., May 21.—Although it was supposed at first that Democratic managers of the house would experience no trouble in having adopted the Adamson bill, regulating operation of the Panama canal, which makes both American and foreign ships subject to toll, it became apparent today that the long debate on the question of free tolls for American ships has had a marked effect, and that there appears to be a possibility of having a "free toll" amendment placed in the measure before it goes to the senate.

The argument that to charge American ships a certain tonnage tax would merely permit the railroads to add a similar amount to their competitive rates is one that seems to have had good effect. Before the final vote is taken in the house, it is believed the Democratic leaders will be forced to recede from their opposition to free tolls.

John Barrett, director general of the Pan-American Union, who is among those strongly urging free tolls for American ships, said today that after a careful canvass of the views of house members he felt certain that if the fight is continued the proposition will win.

"If everybody concerned on the Pacific coast" said Mr. Barrett, "will immediately get in touch by telegraph and letter with members of congress from the central west and east, urging this amendment, it is probable that it can be passed.

"The importance of this provision to the Pacific coast cannot be overestimated, as it will make a vast difference in the matter of vessels engaged in the traffic and in the cost of transportation of freight."

GILBERT AND SULLIVAN IN MATRIMONIAL TANGLES

Atlantic, Ga., May 21.—On the eve of her wedding to Edwin G. Gilbert, Miss Clara Parker, daughter of a prominent Gainsville family and noted for her beauty, eloped with and was married to B. W. Sullivan, of Atlanta.

Sullivan, who was to be best man, was at Miss Parker's home with the other attendants for a wedding rehearsal. Just before the rehearsal was to begin, Sullivan and Miss Parker disappeared and so did Gilbert's touring car, which was in front of the Parker home.

It was soon learned that the couple had fled in the automobile of the bridegroom-to-be. Sullivan and Miss Parker soon reached Atlanta, where they were married.

"I loved Ben best," said the bride in explaining the jilting of Gilbert for Sullivan.

"She was my first sweetheart and I had to have her," said Sullivan.

"I long at last made me of I didn't get her," said Gilbert. "I got off lucky. I hope they will return my automobile in good condition."

RAVE DANGER OF NEGRO REVOLT IN CUBA

Havana, May, 21.—There is no room for doubt tonight of there having been formed a negro conspiracy extending to all the provinces of the island, with the apparent intention of taking up arms today against the government. Today was the tenth anniversary of Cuban independence.

The negroes appear to have been aroused to rebellion by the denial of what seemed to them their just political rewards for services rendered in the war of independence, in which they constituted a great majority of the Cuban forces.

The situation is considered sufficiently grave for the government to dispatch a column of 1200 men from Cape Columbia, composed of cavalry and infantry, with field and machine guns, bound for Santa Clara and Oriente provinces.

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Famous Indians, cowboys, lariat-throwers, bronco-busters, expert girl riders and other clever people characteristic of the real wild west life will be seen with the Miller Brothers and Arlington's 101 Ranch Wild West, which exhibits at Moody Square next Tuesday. There will be exhibitions afternoon and night, and each will be complete in every way.

The 101 Ranch is a real wild West exhibition for the reason that its performers have all been selected from the actual residents of Miller Brothers 101 one hundred thousand acres cattle ranch at Bliss Oklahoma, and they simply illustrate the life with which they are familiar. Among the absorbingly interesting features is a reproduction of the famous "round-up" which first brought the Miller Brothers mammoth ranch into world-wide public notice. Here are also thrilling displays of horsemanship, daring exhibitions of riding upon bucking bronchos, a buffalo hunt, with an entire herd of buffaloes; sports and pastimes of the ranch in which scores of clever cowboys and cowgirls including Lulu Parr, the most daring of all the typical western girl riders, participate, and many other features. The old life of the plains is illustrated by an attack on a pioneer's wagon train and the overland mail by Indians, and their repulse by cowboys and plainsmen, led by J. C. Miller, famous as a sure shot and a representative plainsman, as well as one of the owners of the great Oklahoma cattle range, where the name "101 Ranch" originated.

A brilliant street parade with hundreds of Indians, cowboys, vaqueros and other interesting people of the real west will preceded the opening performance.

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Area 2—Fourth Street.
Area 3—Fifth Street.
Area 4—Sixth Street.

Plans, specifications and further information can be obtained in the office of the City Engineer.

Tenders to be delivered to the undersigned not later than 5 o'clock on the 27th day of May, 1912, accompanied by a check for 5 per cent. of the amount of tender.

The lowest tender not necessarily accepted.

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.
City Hall, May 16, 1912.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Local Improvement Notice — Sixth Street Sewer Area.

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 of laying Main Storm sewers and works contingent thereto on the following streets:

Sixth street from Clarkson to Sixth avenue.

Sixth avenue from Sixth street to Third street.

Fourth street from Sixth avenue to Fifth avenue.

Regina street from Third street to Fourth street.

Fifth avenue from Fifth street to Sixth street.

Lane 118 feet north of Fourth avenue between Fifth and Sixth street.

Blackford street from Sixth street to Fifth streets.

Third avenue from Sixth street to Fourth street.

Lancaster street from Sixth street to Fourth street.

St. George street from Sixth street to Fourth street.

Liverpool street from Sixth street to Fourth street.

Queens avenue from Sixth street to Fourth street.

Cunningham street from Sixth street to Fourth street.

Agnes street from Sixth street to Fourth street.

Victoria street from Sixth street to Fourth street.

Carnarvon street from Sixth street to Fourth street.

Clarkson street from Sixth street to Church street.

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

And the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of the said bylaw 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 Assesor, 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 or 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 bylaw in that behalf regulate and determine and also to make the said assessment.

Dated this 15th day of May, 1912.

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

Date of first publication 16th May, 1912.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Local Improvement Notice — Fifth Street Sewer Area.

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 of laying Main Storm sewers and works contingent thereto on the following streets:

Fifth street from Third to Sixth avenue.

Fifth avenue from Fourth to Fifth streets.

Fourth avenue from Fourth to Fifth streets.

Third avenue from Fourth to Fifth streets.

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

And the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of the said bylaw 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.

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W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

Date of first publication 16th May, 1912.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Local Improvement Notice — First and Second Streets Storm Sewer Area.

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 of laying Main Storm Sewers and works contingent thereto on the following streets:

Second street from Royal avenue to Elgin street.

First street from Royal avenue to St. Patrick street.

St. Patrick from First to Third streets.

Fourth avenue from First to Second streets.

Arbutus street.

Emory street.

Third avenue from First to Second streets.

Queens avenue from First to Third streets.

Manitoba street.

Peele street.

Bonson street.

Park Row.

Vancouver street.

Granville street.

Royal avenue from Third street to McBride Boulevard.

Leopold Place.

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

And the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of the said bylaw 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.

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Dated this 15th day of May, 1912.

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

Date of first publication 16th May, 1912.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Local Improvement Notice—Fourth Street Storm Sewer Area.

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 of laying Main Storm Sewers and works contingent thereto on the following streets:

Fourth street from Clarkson street to Fifth avenue.

Fifth avenue from Third to Fourth streets.

Fourth avenue from Second to Fourth streets.

Oak street from Fourth to Fifth avenues.

Third avenue from Second to Fourth streets.

Pine street from Third to Fourth avenues.

Pearson street and right-of-way.

Queens avenue from Third to Fourth streets.

Royal avenue from Third street to Wise ravine.

Cunningham street from Merivale street to Fourth street.

Agnes street from Merivale street to Fourth street.

Dickenson street from Merivale street to Blackwood street.

Blackwood street from Dickenson street to Carnarvon street.

Carnarvon street from Merivale to Fourth streets.

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

And the City Engineer and City Assessor having reported to the Council in accordance with the provisions of the said bylaw 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.

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Dated this 15th day of May, 1912.

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

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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
10:00—Ladner, Port Guichon, Westham Island, Burr Villa 14:30
14:00—East Burnaby (daily except Sunday 14:30
10:00—Timberland (Tuesday and Friday) 13:30
10:00—Annieville and Sunbury (daily except Sunday).14:30
10:00—Woodwards (Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday) 14:30
16:45—Vancouver, Piper's Siding via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday)..14:20
11:20—Cloverdale and Port Kells via G. N. R. (daily except Sunday).... ....14:00
11:20—Clayton (Tuesday, Thursday, Friday and Satday 14:00
11:20—Tynehead (Tuesday and Friday) 14:00
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18:00—Edmonds (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, Dennison 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
20:40—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
20:40—Cloverdale via B.C.E.R. (daily except Sunday).17:30
2:00—Fraser Arm and Alta Vista 23:00

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.

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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HEROINES OF FRANCE.

Two Who Could Handle Arms as Well as a Man.

Recently, at the Belgian town of Jemappes, near Mons, the unveiling of a memorial to the French soldiers who fell there on Nov. 6, 1792, brought to mind the heroism of two young Frenchwomen who made history in the early days of the French Revolution. The victory of the French General Dumouriez over the Austrians, then marching on France through the Netherlands, is remarkable as the first success of the young Republic against the European coalition formed after the fall of the Bastile. It has a place of its own in the records of feminine valor as the high-water mark in the career of Theophiles and Felicite de Fernig, daughters of a retired French officer settled in Mortagne, on the Belgian frontier.

The two girls were taught to handle arms in childhood, and as womanhood approached they secretly took part, disguised in uniform, in little expeditions organized locally to harass the Austrian outposts, for but few regular troops could be spared to protect their particular district.

In this way so much experience was gained that both learned to fight with the assurance of old campaigners, and Dumouriez attached them to his corps of volunteers. They commanded as much respect as admiration from the soldiers; they were compared to Joan of Arc in a despatch, and each received brevet rank as adjutant-general. At Jemappes Dumouriez made conspicuous use of their services as aides-de-camp. Felicite, mounted on a bedecked horse, was sent to charge the Austrian lines between the Duc de Chartres—who became King as Louis Philippe—and the Duc de Montpensier. Theophile engaged an Austrian hussar in a hand-to-hand fight, and led him a prisoner to the commanding officer.

Their last exploit took place soon after the execution of Louis XVI. It was at the battle of Neerwinden, where their example encouraged a dispirited column as Dumouriez's soldiers fled defeated.

Dumouriez, by this time disgusted with republican excesses, went over to the Austrian camp. When the circumstances of his defection became known the two girls gave up their commissions They were, nevertheless, proscribed and exiled while the republic lasted.

At first they lived in hiding, but in the face of destitution the old courage came to their aid. Felicite got a post as manageress of a French bureau de loterie, authorized by the Government at Brussels and in her best year she made as much as $1,000. Theophile went round to fairs far and near, selling toilet necessaries.

The strain of six years' toil was relieved when Felicite married M. Vandervallen, a Belgian officer of Volunteers, whose life she had saved on the field of Anverlecht. They set up housekeeping in Brussels, and Theophile probably made her home with them until she died about 1815. Felicite lived on till 1841. In memory of his sister's service, their brother, Louis Desira de Fernig, was made a Count of the Empire by Napoleon. Louis Philippe restored him to regimental rank, and he died a brigadier-general in 1847.

Lengthening Life.

The difference between rising every morning at 6 and 8 in the course of forty years amounts to 29,200 hours, or 3 years, 121 days and 16 hours, which are equal to eight hours a day for exactly ten years. So that rising at 6 will be the same as if ten years of life (a weighty consideration) were added, whereas we may command eight hours every day for the cultivation of our minds and the dispatch of business.

Quick Dispatch.

A bill was once stuck on the shop window of a tradesman in the Friedrichstrasse, Berlin, setting forth that "these premises are temporarily closed owing to the marriage of the proprietor—to be reopened in twenty minutes."

A Faraway Star.

A star of the sixth magnitude in the Swan, 61 Cygni, is 400,000 times as far away as the earth is from the sun. Figures fail to give an idea of a distance so immense, and therefore years are used. It takes light about seven years to reach us from 61 Cygni, and we say it is seven years distant.

Soft Iron Horseshoes.

In Spain very few horseshoers have forges in their shops. They make their shoes without the aid of a fire, a possibility largely due to the pure soft, ductile iron primarily manufactured with wood and charcoal.

Sleep Spectacles.

Spectacles with a white spot in the centre of a black disk on each lens the invention of an English doctor are said to induce drowsiness in the wearer, curing insomnia.

Not Hereditary.

It was stated by the consulting surgeon of Guy's Hospital in an address before the Royal College of Surgeons, London, England, that "there is no such thing as hereditary tuberculosis" and that the opinion of the medical profession is "about equally divided" as to whether or not cancer is hereditary.

The Tip Well.

A tip well, which stands at Epsom, England, is so called because, on the occasion of a race-meeting, someone or other writes on the flat boards above the well the name of a horse running that day. Many people take this as the "straight tip" to back it make some money.

His Immunity.

Towne—My wife's doing her own cooking now.

Browne—Well, you don't seem to mind it.

Towne—No; I say she's doing her own cooking. I get mine done at a restaurant.

REVOLT THREATENS IN NORTHERN ALBANIA

The Situation Is Said to Be Going From Bad to Worse.

The situation in Northern Albania is going from bad to worse, writes H. C. Woods, in the Westminster Gazette. As days and weeks go by everything seems to point to a renewed and not far distant insurrection among the warlike Arnauts. The tribesmen, who did not revolt last year, and who did not, therefore, obtain any concessions form the Turkish government, are anxious to make their grievances heard this spring. The inhabitants, too, who feel that the events of last year further the Albanian cause consider, if this year is allowed to pass without any demonstration on their part, that the future of Albania is lost. All the Christian mountain tribes are said to have sworn a "besa" to uphold the rights of Albania. The Merdites, largely because they have been provided with arms and let off paying taxes are practically the only Christian tribe still loyal to the Turkish government. Even the inhabitants of this district are said to be divided among themselves, the one section remaining in favor of Prenk Pasha and the government, while the other is reported to be anxious to throw in its lot with the would-be insurrectionaries.

At the present time the tribes domiciled in the neighborhood of Scutari are divided into sections, the one composed of those whose grievance is that the concessions promised to them last summer have not been carried out by the government, and the other section made up of tribes who did not join in the last insurrection, and who feel that they should receive the same indulgence as those who broke the peace in 1911. The principal question now in dispute between the first of these parties and the government is one as to the legal interpretation of the concessions signed at Cetinje between Hadded-din Bey—then Ottoman minister in that city, and the Albanians. The tribesmen hold that the government promised to pay not only for the damage done to their houses during the insurrection, but that the words employed in the contract undertook to be responsible for the loss sustained to all property, such as crops, fruit trees, etc., belonging to Albanians of the revolted districts. In addition the people urge as a grievance that no money for the rebuilding of churches, recently destroyed, has been provided from Constantinople, and that the owners of animals stolen by Moslems at the time of the Albanian flight into Montenegro are not allowed to claim their lost property, although they can identify it. In order to make these grievances heard some thirty delegates, representing the revolted districts, made an application to the then acting Vali of Scutari on Feb. 8. As a result of this official absolutely denying all responsibility on the part of the Turkish government, a protest written in Albanian was drawn up by the delegates, four of whom where Moslems. Copies of the protest was circulated to the consuls of the great powers at Scutari.

Afraid of Tribesmen.

The sentiments of at least certain of the tribes which remained peaceful during last year are demonstrated by events which took place in the neighborhood of Scutari as recently as February 14. The tribes of Shlaku and Temali-Dushmani, who suffered greatly during the events of 1909, and who, owing to the locality in which they live, were indirectly affected by the last Malissore insurrection, demanded from the authorities the free issue of maize and the sum of one pound Turkish per head, which has been or is being given by the government to the revolted districts. Rightly or wrongly, foolishly or wisely, this request was categorically refused. The result was that the tribesmen, defiant at the way they were treated gathered on a hill outside Scutari and began firing. This affair might be considered as one of but little importance but for the circumstances that the Moslems of the town rushed out, full armed—thus showing that the distribution of weapons to the Mohammedans of Scutari, then already reported to have taken place, was really true. Moreover, the fact that the government seems to fear to send any expedition to punish these recalcitrant tribesmen proves that the authorities are either too weak to keep order in Albania or too fearful of the consequences of making a show of their military strength.

Matter of Education.

Another grievance common to Moslem as well as Christian Albanians is the attitude of the Sublime Porte towards the education question. Although in Scutari the government has recently opened several schools, in some of which the pupils are supplied with board and lodgings, yet tuition in the Albanian language is not provided in any of these establishments. This policy of trying to denationalize the people is not only short-sighted, but it is in direct contravention of the promises made to the Albanians on numerous occasions. As a fact, Turkish and French are the only languages taught to the pupils. Such, too, is the unfairness of the education system that two Albanian boys were recently expelled from a school on the charge of possessing a book on Skender Bey—the great national hero—and because they had studied the Albanian language. These young men, desperate at the Turkish tyranny, which even prevented them trying to study their own national language, addressed a complaint to an Albanian member of the recently dissolved Turkish chamber. As a result of the intervention of this politician the youths were finally readmitted to their school. Even this, however, was not a lesson to the authorities, who soon afterwards brought about the departure of three other boys from a government school. These latter youths, in spite of being Moslems, are now attending the Franciscan educational establishment in Scutari.

If the authorities attempt a military enrolment in the near future, a revolt, if it has not then already begun, will almost certainly be precipitated. The troops, of which there are a considerable number in the neighborhood of Scutari, are in a very bad state of health. The military hospital in that city is full, and five private houses have been taken over for the accommodation of the sick. Large numbers of the Asiatic recruits who reached Northern Albania during the recent hard frost, have succumbed to pneumonia and bronchitis. On their arrival the appearance of these men, some bare to mid-thigh, their flesh blue with cold, and their eyes staring wildly as if they were half dazed, and some so exhausted that they were brought into the city in a cart, has naturally encouraged the dissatisfied Albanians in their determination that their sons shall not be taken for military service.

Discontent Rife.

I have said sufficient to prove that discontent, largely caused by the foolish policy pursued by the Turkish government, is rife from end to end of Northern Albania. Sniping and incidental murders have already begun. It seems probable, too, that at least certain of the Moslem tribes are more ready to throw in their lot with the Christians than they have been in the past. Moreover, on the whole, the tribesmen are better armed than they were last year. While the recently revolted districts possess plenty of rifles and ammunition, those which remained quiet during the summer of 1911 are gradually obtaining arms by means of contraband smuggled across the frontier. Time alone will prove whether the new Vali—an Albanian Moslem—who was recently appointed to rule the vilayet of Scutari, and the new commandant of the local gendarmerie will be able to stem the torrent of discontent and keep peace among the Albanians—a peace which is so absolutely necessary to and reported at last to be desired by the Ottoman government. If these officials endeavor fairly to carry out the work entrusted to them, the Albanians, who are undoubtedly not organized in a manner to enable them successfully to stand against the determined attacks of the Turkish army, will do well to consider before embarking upon a revolt the termination and results of which might place them in even more disadvantageous surroundings than those under which it is at present their fate to exist.

Y GWIR UN ERBYN Y BYD IS NANAIMO'S SLOGAN

Nanaimo, May 21.—"The truth against the world," that is the old Welsh cry, and Welshmen will hold sway in the coal city tomorrow night when the great British Columbian Eisteddfod is held here. Choirs from all over the province will be competing and it will be such a songfest as never was before in this part of the world.

Nanaimo has entered a very strong choir and this city hopes to come out victorious. Vancouver, however, with Professor Eley in charge of their choir, will also make a strong bid for victory. The reputation of some of the up-country choirs is at present unknown, but there are expected to be several dark horses among them.

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THE FIRE BOAT.

The suggestion made at the council that the Senator Jansen should be subsidized for service along the city's waterfront in cases of fire, seems a sensible one. There is no doubt that the city needs a fire boat, but the expense of purchasing such a boat is considerable. At the present moment the city needs all the money it can raise for permanent improvements and important though this matter of a fire boat is, it may be better to compromise in some such way as suggested.

The one drawback to the scheme is that there would always be considerable delay before the Senator Jansen could reach the scene of action. On the occasion of the Royal City Mills fire, it was said that the boat made the very best time possible down from the mills through the draw of the bridge, and arrived in twenty minutes after first being aware of the fire. This was probably quick traveling but nevertheless it is a considerable delay. The old proverb, however, of cutting the cloth to suit the pocket applies even in the case of a city, and if Westminster has more important things on which to spend the money available, some temporary arrangement with the Senator Jensen is certainly better than nothing.

THE FLY PEST.

Thus far spring has passed without too great a call being made upon the resources of type for the publication of the perpetrations of the spring poet. The following is hardly in the poetical class, but may well be taken to heart as summer is drawing close upon us. Everyone knows the danger of the house fly, everyone also should know that the energies of the health department of this city have for some time been concentrated upon a strenuous endeavor towards making Westminster the cleanest city upon the coast. Thus far its efforts have met with the hearty co-operation of the citizens. Here are some daily texts which may well be affixed to the calendar of every household:

It's a short haul from the garbage can to the dining room via the fly route.

Bread makes a fine foot wipe for flies.

Before breakfast a swatfest for the flies. Start the day right.

Are you granting licenses to flies to paddle filth around your house?

Flies will peddle, peddle, peddle,—unless you get busy, keep busy.

Flies follow filth, fever follows flies. Swatting saves sickness.

If at first you don't succeed, swat, swat again.

EUROPEAN FINANCIERS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Vancouver, May 21.—A distinguished party of European financiers arrived in the city this morning, and are quartered at the Hotel Vancouver. Their visit here is part of a program for a tour of the entire Dominion for the purpose of investigating the Canadian field with a view to future investment, as well as for the purpose of inspecting the large holdings which they now have in the prairie provinces. They came here after visiting Calgary, Edmonton, Regina and other points in the Middle West, as well as the principal cities in Eastern Canada.

They will spend several days in Vancouver and the adjacent country, but they decline to discuss the purposes of their visit further than to express their surprise and satisfaction at the development that is going ahead here. The party is composed of Baron Mexukill, of Russia; Baron Bettmann of Frankfort-on-the-Main; Herr F. A. Watcher, of Rotterdam, manager of the Rotterdam-Canada Mortgage Co.; Herr T. Praetorius, Amsterdam, and M. P. de la Villestreux and M. Bernard of Paris.

Demand for Steel.

Montreal, May 21.—There was an exceptionally good demand again for Dominion steel today, and the price touched a new high level for the year at 64 3-8. It was stated that, although London was a buyer, that Toronto also took a considerable quantity of the stock from local brokers today. There has been no light thrown on the nature of the demand. It is the general impression that big speculators are taking advantage of the growing period and the activity in stocks generally to make the stocks active. Apart from the speculative features of the moment there is no doubt that the conditions affecting the iron and steel industry are improving faster than most people imagine. All steel companies will do much better this year in the way of earnings. American steel mills are going to be kept busy with their own field, and will, doubtless not play havoc with prices like last year. Even Steel Co. of Canada, which has been a bad acting stock in some respects, caught the spirit of the market and sold up to 32.

PLATINUM METALS TO BE DEVELOPED

Granite Poorman Mine Belongs to the Kootenay Gold Mines Company —Good Prospects.

Nelson, May 21—A. Gordon French, who discovered the platinum group of metals in the Granite Poorman mine, will proceed immediately to work out a system of treatment of the ore.

This announcement was made by French at the annual meeting of the Kootenay Gold Mines company which owns Granite Poorman. He stated that his son, a prominent metallurgist of Glasgow, Scotland, would be here shortly to aid in the work. He reiterated his opinion that the platinum metals are present in paying quantities at the mine. The report of Manager Gough showed that the development of the property is being well kept up and that sufficient gold ore has been opened up on the Hardscrabble lead to keep the mill running for two years. The small loss on operating last year was due to a series of accidents to the plant and lack of capital. The financial position of the company is now more satisfactory and Gough states that a monthly profit has been made since the beginning of this year.

Officers elected were as follows: President, Lord Aylmer; vice-president, J. P. Swedborg; managing director, Thomas Gough; secretary-treasurer, E. E. Guille; directors, Harold Selous, Dr. W. H. Willson and J. T. Bealby.

MATCH FACTORY IS BIG INDUSTRY

(Continued from page one)

easy transportation facilities to the city by way of the electric trams. The tract of land owned by the company covers an area of five acres, which six months ago was studded by mighty trees which have made this province famous. These have been cleared away and in the center of the site, stands the main building 200 feet long by 100 feet wide and two stories in height. Special care has been taken to secure a sound foundation and heavy piles have been driven in, to up hold the heavy timbers which form the framework of the building. Huge fourteen by sixteen timbers have been laid on the piles. A distinct feature of the flooring is the use of two by fours laid on edge, thus making a four-inch floor. This will be covered with ashphaltum as fireproof material. There will be no lack of light in the building, on the ground floor alone are thirty large windows and six entrances. The upper story will be equally as large as the ground floor and will be used for the manufacture of small boxes, toothpicks, butter bowls, which the company intend to turn out after the matchmaking process is well under way.

A large gang of carpenters is now busily employed placing the trusses in position in readiness for the roofing material. On the ground floor, a space has been left open for the purpose of hauling the logs from the Brunette river into position where they will be divided into thousands of particles in the shape of a match. The foundation for the veneering building, which will be 100 by 50 feet, has been laid, and with the rapid completion of the roof on the main structure, the employees will at once start to work finishing this smaller building. Besides this, there will be a chemical building, which will be constructed of concrete or other fireproof material, and will be kept apart quite a distance from the main building.

The factory has been built purposely for the future and has sufficient accommodation to handle five carloads of matches a day. The estimated profit on matches manufactured by the Parker Process is $2.83 a case. There are 500 cases in a carload and this works out as a profit of $1415 on each carload. Thus with an output of only one carload a day on 300 working days, a yearly profit of $424,500 or 42 per cent. on the capital stock of $1,000,00. On the single carload a day output basis 80 people will be employed. It is expected that the month of August will see the factory under full blast and "Royal City Blazes" matches with the name of New Westminster printed on every box wrapper will be finding their way to every corner of Canada.

The company has received within the last few days several tempting offers from well known wholesale houses in the West, offering to take over the entire output, showing the great demand for this household article in the rapidly growing western provinces. In addition to the parent factory in this city, all the necessary capital for three subsidary branches has been raised in the East, the shareholders of the local company holding 51 per cent. of the stock and with the dividends accruing from these, the local officers of the company are confident that a concern of this kind will pay some of the largest dividends known by private corporations throughout the whole of the Dominion. Under the Parker Continuous Process, a log can be drawn from the river and in twelve hours the matches made from the same can be found in a man's vest pocket. Fast speed, one may remark, but the statements have been substantiated by facts. There appears to be no reason why New Westminster should not have a name such as the Eddy company has given to Hull, Ont. This company employs something like four thousand employees, it is the mainstay of the town. While the local company does not expect to employ nowhere near that number at the start, the ideal location, cheap lumber and a growing market gives every evidence of this concern being the largest employment business, from both a workingman and a business man's standpoint, of any in the city. It is a local enterprise and among its directors are two of New Westminster's most prominent citizens, viz., Mayor Lee and Alderman A. E. White.

One of the Parker machines can be seen in operation in the lower offices of White, Shiles & Co., 746 Columbia street.

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Double corner cornering on Eighth avenue and Sixteenth street, practically cleared, with lane at the rear; close to B. C. Electric cutoff. Magnificent view. Price $2000. Terms $100 cash, balance in 6, 12 and 18 months.

EXCELLENT BUY.
Fine double corner 100 by 132 feet. Facing on Tenth street, near Eighth avenue. Easily cleared. Price $3000. Terms to range.

GOOD BUY.
Good three roomed shack on lot 50 by 136 feet. Lot is cleared with lane at the rear. One block to Sixth street car line, situated on Eighth avenue, Burnaby. Price complete $1000. Terms $200 cash, balance only $25 a month.

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Two fine residential lots facing on Fifth and Sixth avenues. Size 66 by 140 1-4 feet. Thoroughly cleared, cornering on lane, also lane at rear. Only one block from car. These lots are situated in the heart of the residential section part of the city and are cheap at $2950. With terms of one-quarter cash and the balance in 6, 12 and 18 months.

FINE BUSINESS LOT.
Good lot on Sixth street, between Sixth and Fifth avenues, size 33 by 90 feet with lane at rear. Thoroughly cleared and level. Price $2000. Terms one-third cash, balance in 6, 12 and 18 months.

Once more I offer you the best of New Westminster property. Something that is good, cheap, and safe investment in every way. Something that you can't fail to double your money on within a very short time.

People who are looking for better buys or real estate snaps in this promising little city are still looking. I handle nothing but what is good, I refuse to list but what I know to be the best, reasonable in price and in choicest locations available.

Come and see me today and let me show you where to place your money to produce big increase. Let me take you out in one of our autos and show you the property you desire. If you are not satisfied with it after seeing it, that is all right with me. I will let the matter stand just at that point. I won't bore you to death trying to talk you into it because I don't believe in it. That isn't my method of doing business.

Better see me today, anyhow.

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Large Eight Roomed Thoroughly Modern House, with fire place, furnace, full sized basement, laundry tubs, floor in basement, etc. Lot 60 by 132 feet. Cleared and facing on Royal avenue and Alicee street, close to Leopold place. Lot alone without house is worth $3500. The rooms in the house are all large, and there is a magnificent view from the upstairs. Fine large verandah at side of house. Building could not be built for less than $3000 at the very least today. Facing on the car line and only a block from Columbia street. This house will readily rent for $35.00 per month, and for immediate sale we are in a position to deliver this fine property, complete with garage, summer house, etc., for $3500, with terms of $1200 cash and the balance easy.

SEVEN ROOMED HOUSE.
Fine seven roomed house, thoroughly modern with full sized cement basement, cement floor, laundry tubs, fire place, furnace, etc., etc. Rooms all finished with the very best of materials. Leatherette panelling in dining room, leaded glass windows, beamed ceiling. Rooms all large. Magnificent view. Lot 40 by 140 feet facing on two streets close to car line. Price $4600. Terms $1000 cash, the balance in over three years.

THOROUGHLY MODERN.
New thoroughly modern house, six rooms, with furnace, basement, panelled walls, den, etc., etc. Situated on Regina, near Second street. Lot 52 by 132 feet, with lane in the rear. Price $4000. Terms $1000 cash, and the balance very easy.

THIRD AVENUE.
Good five roomed house, modern, close in, near Third avenue and Tenth street. Lot 24 by 80 feet. Good view. Price $1000. $200 cash, and the balance very easy.

READ THIS ONE.
Fine lot on Dublin street near Tenth street. Size 50 by 132 feet. Lane at rear, facing south. Price $1050. Terms $250 cash, balance in over two years.

A SNAP.
Fine lot on Nanaimo street, near Eighteenth street. Close to B. C. Electric cut-off. Magnificent view. Price $1150. Terms easy.

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PATTEN RESPONSIBLE FOR TROUBLE IN WHEAT PRICES

Chicago, May 21.—James A. Patten tonight received credit from market reporters for making the Chicago board of trade prices take one of the most remarkable somersaults on record. Cereals fell nearly five cents a bushels, and packing house products almost a dollar a barrel.

That Mr. Patten designed such an upset of quotations as took place here today for all kinds of grain and provisions, no person asserts. It was stated, however, that a gigantic selling movement, which got beyond all control today, had its start in his judgment and action regarding the wheat market.

The firm with which Mr. Patten is connected was estimated to have sold upward of 5,000,000 bushels of wheat within the last forty-eight hours. About a quarter of this was said to have been for Mr. Patten's personal account, with some portion of the total at a loss. All of his own sales were said to have been completed yesterday, but the impetus said to hav been given thereby had a cumulative effect, which, through the system of stop loss orders in vogue in the option method of trading, finally toppled over, not only the wheat market, but values of corn, oats and other speculative articles, notably pork.

TRUSTED EMPLOYEE STEALS.

Startling Discovery in Vancouver Post Office.

Vancouver, May 21.—This morning a trusted employee of the Vancouver post office department was charged before Magistrate Shaw with the theft of two letters containing money from His Majesty's mails.

He was arrested at 7 o'clock this morning, and his apprehension brings to a conclusion a long list of robberies perpetrated in the post office department which have been going on for some months, in fact for more than a year. Post Office Inspector John Richard Greenfield stated this morning that he wished as much prominence as possible given to the case in order that it might serve as an example to other employees in the post office.

Mr. Greenfield believed that the accused man had, perhaps, an accomplice, but this is unlikely. The prisoner, he says, is responsible for the theft of registered letters aggregating in value over a thousand dollars, and extending over a period of nearly a year.

The accused is an old and trusted employee, having been in the employ of the department over four years. The manner in which he was caught is knownw as the analyzing and elimination system, the process of detection taking some four months. With four men to be eliminated towards the last, test letters were sent from the postmaster general's department, containing money, and the post office knew of the time of their arrival. The employees were watched. Yesterday two letters arrived, and this morning shortly after 7 o'clock the prisoner extracted two registered letters from the mails containing $3 in each of marked money. The contents of these were found on his person. On being searched at the police station he had $147.50 in his possession.

The prisoner was remanded for sentence until tomorrow morning by His Worship Magistrate Shaw, in order that relatives and friends of the guilty man might be communicated with.

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The B. C. Electric Railway offers special reduced rates of a fare and one-third to all stations on its Westminster to Chilliwack line for Victoria Day, good for return passage until May 27. This is a splendid opportunity for picnic parties to spend a pleasant outing at the different points at low cost.

Trains will leave depot, Columbia and Eighth streets, at 9:30 a.m., 1:20 p.m., 4:05 p.m. (for Huntingdon and way-points) and 6:10 p.m. special train will leave New Westminster at 10 p.m. for Huntingdon and way points.

WEEK END TRIP TO CHILLIWACK.

On Saturday and Sunday tickets covering the round trip fro mNew Westminster to all points on the line will be offered at a fare and a third. This makes the round trip rate to Chilliwack only $2.45.

Trains leave B. C. E. R. Co. depot at 9:30 a.m., 1:20 and 6:10 p.m. Return trains are so timed that the trip may be made in a day with a stop-over of several hours at Chilliwack.

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SPORTS

BALMORALS WIN FAST BALL GAME

Beat Moose by 6-4 in First Game of Season—Good Pitching Prevails.

The Balmorals, champions of the City League for the season of 1911, defeated the newly organized Moose team last evening on the Queen's Park diamond to the tune of 6-4. This was the opening game of the league for this season, and despite the short practice time available, some surprising speed was shown by several of the players.

The game was scheduled to start at 6:30 sharp, but the usual delay in opening of the season, together with a little confab between Managers Maiden and Easter, of the Balmorals and the Moose respectively, caused the first ball to be put over the plate nigh on seven o'clock. Dignan, the former Maple Leaf, who last year was a great stumbling block to the other clubs, was on the firing line for the Bals, and except for one or two tight pinches, pitched dandy ball. E. Martin, said to be an import for the local Moose tribe, is sure some slab artist, and with a little more support back of him, will be near the top before the season ends.

In the first inning the Moose put one over amid applause from their supporters. It remained, however, for the one and only Herb Ryall to crack out a fast liner, and with the aid of several more hits, he crossed the plate and tied the score. The second saw both teams tally, while the Moose came through with one in the first of the third. Here it was that Martin paused, wavered and the balloon went up with all on board. It was all over but the shouting, and Manager Maiden was there with the bunch. The game was called in the sixth on account of darkness.

Here are the teams:

Balmorals—Ryall, 2b; Silver, 3b; Iass, c; Dignan, p; W. Sinclair, 1b; Price, rf; Ball, cf; Stein ss and Warley, lf.

Moose—Handy, 1b; Sinclair, 2b; Reid, 3b; Hudson, ss; Goodwin, c; Herr, lf; Graham, rf; Martin, c, and E. Martin, p.

Umpire—Dr. Carswell.

BASEBALL.

Northwestern League.

At Vancouver—

	R.	H.	E.
Vancouver	2	5	4
Seattle	4	9	1

At Portland—

	R.	H.	E.
Portland	6	10	0
Spokane	2	6	1

At Seattle—

	R.	E.	R.
Tacoma	10	13	2
Victoria	1	4	1

American League.

At New York—

	R.	H.	
Chicago	8	8	0
New York	9	13	5

Batteries—Peters, Mogridge, Benz, Lang and Kuhn; Ford and Sweeney.

At Philadelphia—

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	5	10	1
Philadelphia	4	6	4

Batteries—Powell and Stephens; Plank, Morgan, Houck, Brown and Lapp, Egan.

At Washington—

	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	2	2	2
Washington	0	2	3

Batteries: Mullin and Stanage; Johnson and Ainsmith.

At Boston—

	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	1	3	1
Boston	3	5	1

Batteries: Gregg and Easterly; O'Brien and Nunamaker.

National League.

At St. Louis—

	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	7	11	2
St. Louis	6	8	2

Batteries—Alexander, Moore and Dooin; Willis, Harmon and Wingo.

At Pittsburg—

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	9	14	1
Pittsburg	14	15	3

Batteries: Brown, Perdue, McTigue and Kling, Raridan; Leifield, Camnitz and Kelly.

At Cincinnati—

	R.	H.	E.
New York	6	13	4
Cincinnati	3	10	2

Batteries—Tesreau, Wiltse and Meyers; Keefe, Humphreys and McLean.

At Chicago

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	5	10	1
Brooklyn	4	8	1

Batteries—Maroney and Needham; Rucker, Knetzer and Phelps.

HARRY HYLAND'S PLANS.

Coming to Westminster — Mother's Illness Delayed Him.

As stated in these columns of Saturday's issue, Harry Hyland has decided to assist the Salmon Bellies in regaining the Minto Cup this season, and will probably start for the coast this afternoon. The absence of news from the well-known hockey player has caused some uneasiness of late among local fans, who figured that although the present line-up was capable of taking into camp anything Con Jones might place in sight, vacancies in the ranks through injuries would be a serious matter to fill. In a wire received by Manager Gray yesterday, Hyland stated his mother had been very ill, and he did not feel like making known his plans until he was certain he could fulfil them. Harry has been in fast company for the past four seasons, having played on the Shamrocks two years, while Johnny Howard was back east. Johnny, while he has not seen his former teammate play for the past two seasons, is confident that given a fair show, he will be a great help to the local team.

Boston, May 21.—Jimmy Walsh of Boston, fought Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland, world's featherweight champion, 12 rounds to a draw in the Boston arena tonight.

The final workout of the Salmon Bellies will be held this afternoon and evening. No hard work will be indulged in, Manager Gray being well satisfied with the work of the squad during the past week.

A record sale of reserved seats is reported for Friday's game. It's first come, first served, and anyone wishing to witness the game from a good point of vantage, would do well to order their seats right now. Hundreds of Vancouver sports are coming over to the game, and the B. C. E. R. is making great preparations to handle the usual lacrosse crowds, both before and after the game.

It is up to Con Jones now. The only thing left for the Vancouver magnate to do on Friday afternoon is to sport a glaring green sweater. Manager Gray appeared in his last evening, and was the recipient of much favorable comment.

These Vancouver sports have some gall and no mistake. Yesterday in the Butler Hotel, Vancouver, an even bet was turned down. The best they would offer was 5 to 8. Who are the world's champions, anyway?

Sandy Gray will be out for practice the beginning of the week.

HIGHLAND HOME WINS.

Over a Hundred Entered Competition for Naming New Subdivision.

On Monday evening upwards of a hundred names had been received by the Investors Investment company in competition for the name to be given to the new subdivision which the company owns at Highland Park. Many and various were the titles suggested but finally the ten members of the syndicate present at the meeting decided by ballot upon the title "Highland Home" sent in by Mrs. T. F. Connon of this city.

The clearing is well advanced upon this sixteen acres of choice land and lots will now be on the market in a short time. The plans show sixty lots 132 feet by 66 to 71 feet in dimension.

Highland Home is on the Pacific Highway, only three and one-half minutes from the car line, and has water mains and electric light quite handy. The lots will be rough graded.

HARDENED MUSCLES.

Curious Disease That Makes Ossified Men and Women.

Hardening of the muscles is fortunately a very rare disease, although better known to the general public than many other more common affections. Being so rare and also so striking in its manifestations, its wretched subjects, having no other means of livelihood, often lend themselves to exhibition in museums as "ossified men." That is what they are literally, for their muscles are largely converted into bone.

In one of the earliest known cases of the disease the sufferer became so rigid during his long martyrdom of forty-four years that for some time before his death the only joints in his entire body that he could move were the knees and one wrist. He was wholly unable to change his position in bed and had to be moved about like an iron bar or a log.

The disease affects men more often than women in the ratio of about three to one. It begins usually in childhood or even infancy and progresses steadily or with only slight remission for years. As a rule, the first indication of its onset is a localized swelling in the muscles of the neck or back, hard and more or less painful on pressure. This is usually thought to be due to a sprain or to some forgotten injury, and in a few days it subsides, leaving a hard lump in the substance of the muscle.

Similar attacks recur from time to time and, the theory of injury being plainly untenable, are for want of a better name called chronic muscular rheumatism. In the course of years the painful swellings appear in other parts of the body, and the hard lumps, which are bony formations, extend and gradually join with the bones of the skeleton, limiting or preventing movement in the neighboring joints.

As the disease goes on one after another of the joints stiffens, the head becomes immovable, the back is rigid, the jaw is fixed so that the chewing of food is impossible, and arms and legs are held as in a vise. Almost the only muscles not affected are those of the face.

The disease is not fatal in itself, and its victims often live to an advanced age and die of pneumonia, consumption or some other intercurrent disease. There is as yet no known cure, but the malady is evidently one of nutrition, and when the physicians learn how to modify the nutritive changes in the body, as they are now learning, they will doubtless be able not to cure but to prevent ossification of the muscles.

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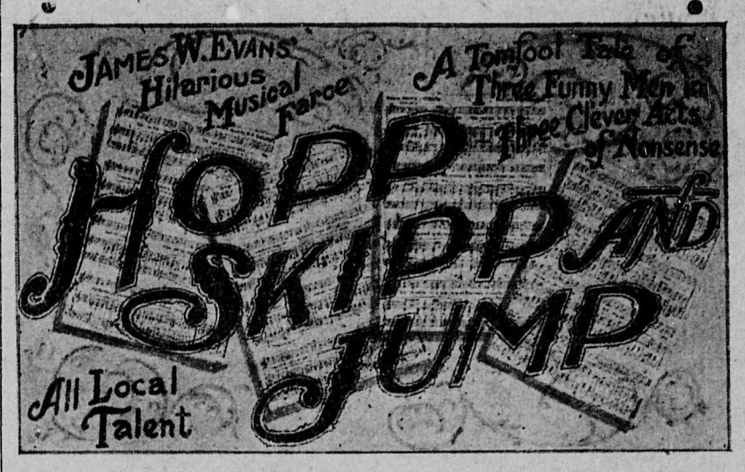

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Prices $1.00 to 25c.

MOTOR PLANT FOR SEATTLE.

Ford Company Establishes Mammoth Industry on Sound.

Seattle, May 21.—The last doubt as to whether the Ford Motor Company, of Detroit, the greatest automobile manufacturing corporation in the world, would establish a mammoth automobile assembling plant in Seattle was swept aside today when R.P. Rice, manager of the Northwest branch, closed a deal with the Hinkley estate for a building site on Westlake avenue, between Galer street and Highland Drive.

The property purchased faces 327 feet on Westlake avenue and runs back 136 feet, providing 44,472 square feet of ground space. The purchase price was $40,000. Mr. Rice is now conferring with the Board of Public Works and the Northern Pacific for trackage facilities.

Upon this tract of ground the big Detroit automobile factory will construct a reinforced concrete assembling plant that eventually will rise to a height of ten stories. It will be built to three stories at the start and additions will be made as the volume of business increases.

With the closing of the deal by Mr. Rice for the building site, the work of preparing the plans for the building will go ahead with great rapidity. It is planned to have the structure ready for occupancy by Dec. 1, on which date the Northern branch will be absorbed by the assembling factory.

Bank President Sentenced.

Ketchikan, Alaska, May 21.—When United States District Judge Thomas R. Lyons overruled the demurrer interposed by the defence in the prosecution for violation of the banking act of Clem H. Summers, formerly president of the First National Bank of Juneau, counsel for Summers gave notice of an appeal and waived trial today. The court, without trial, at once sentenced Summers to five years' imprisonment and fixed bail pending appeal to $10,000, an increase of $5000.

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The term "Eurasian" has been officially discarded by the Government of India, which has decided to adopt "Anglo-Indian" in the next census.

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HISTORIC FIRST NIGHTS.

Red Letter Events in the Dramatic History of France.

Perhaps the most striking events in the artistic history of France have been the first performances of some of the great French plays. In a few cases also these occasions have marked the beginning of new epochs in the social history of the country, so close is the connection between the social development of the people and its expression on the stage. Unless I am mistaken, there have been but six unforgettable first nights since theaters were established in Paris.

The first occurred in 1637, when Corneille's "Cid" took the capital by storm. Forty years later Racine's "Andromache" created a similar sensation. On the eve of the revolution, in 1784, Beaumarchais' "Marriage of Figaro" was received with such delirious enthusiasm that three people were stifled in the rush for seats. In 1830 Victor Hugo, in spite of the determined opposition of a large body of reactionaries, set all Paris in an uproar with his "Hernai."

These names should be borne in mind: Corneille, Racine, Beaumarchais and Victor Hugo. Three of them at least have no superiors in the history of French literature. Each has one amazing dramatic triumph to his credit. The other two of the six great first nights were the 28th of December, 1897, and the 7th of February, 1910. The occasions were respectively the performances of "Cyrano de Bergerac" and "Chantecler," both by Edmond Rostand. — Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

PICTURESQUE MOORS.

They Range In Color From Black to Caucasian Fairness.

Imagine a thin, tall, bearded, clean cut individual, black hair and eyes, his complexion ranging in color from that of the negro to Caucasian fairness, clothed in richly embroidered undergarments, over which gracefully fall the folds of a finely woven haik or jellaba, his stockinged feet shoved into yellow slippers, on his shaved head a red fez, about which is wound a spotless white turban—and you have a type of the town Moroccan—the Moor.

The coarse brown jellaba of camel's or goat's hair, sometimes handed down through several generations; occasionally sandals and a small, tight fitting woolen cap make up the costume of the countryman, although one finds him oftener barefoot and bareheaded, head shaved, save for the little cue which characterizes the Berber and Kabyle, who believe that at the last day this will be used as a sort of handle with which they will be hauled up to heaven.

He is often a nomadic trader and arranges his journey so as to be at the town on certain market days, and at these times one may see these men, with their goods on heavy draft camels or overloaded donkeys, steadily trudging their way over the rough caravan trails. They earn their bare existence, indeed, which may be swept away in a moment by mountain brigands or the town robbers, who often sit in high places.—Charles W. Furlong in Outing Magazine.

Catching Wild Ducks In England.

A novel method of capturing wild ducks is used in England. On small lakes where the ducks are apt to stop for a short time a few tame ducks are kept as decoys, and a well trained dog and some wire netting do the rest. The dog is trained to act like a fox, and the wild ducks congregate in large numbers to frighten it away from a screen over which it runs back and forth. The ducks keep up a constant quacking, and the dog retreats, being pursued until the trapped fowl are caught in the network, with a portion dropped over the opening to prevent their escape. At certain seasons of the year thousands of wild ducks frequent the fen districts, and these traps have been used very successfully to provide game for some of the large preserves.—Harper's.

Contrary to Fact.

The phrenologist was examining the bumps on Sambo's head.

"Curiosity and acquisitiveness abnormally large."

Sambo rolled his eyeballs and showed two rows of white ivory.

"Imitativeness, causality and conscientiousness small, which with your weak mouth indicates"—

"Don' you be so shu' 'bout me habbin' a weak mouf. I kin crack nuts in ma teef."—Satire.

A Pardonable Paradox.

"That young son-in-law of mine," said Mr. Cumrox, "says I'm unreasonable. And maybe he's right."

"What's the trouble?"

"Before their marriage I objected to his attentions to my daughter. Now I'm objecting to his inattention."—Washington Star.

Not a Monotonous Life.

Mrs. Hoyle—Don't you find married life monotonous? Mrs. Doyle—Not a bit of it. My husband is a most original man, and I am always looking forward to see what kind of a lie he will tell when he comes home at night.—New York Press.

Why He Liked Them.

Wifie—Do you like those beautiful suspenders I embroidered for you, dear? Hubby—Yes, darling. They don't show when I am dressed.—Milwaukee News.

A dwarf sees farther than the giant when he has the giant's shoulders to mount on.

CONFIDENT AERONAUT.

Dr. Gans of Munich Is Certain He Can Cross the Atlantic.

Dr. Paul F. Gans of Munich, Germany, proposes a transatlantic flight in a dirigible balloon sometime next March. If the plans succeed, the doctor expects to make the air passage in five days. Dr. Gans believes he is in a position to avoid the mistakes of Wellman, Vaniman and others, who chose impossible routes for their flights. Dr. Gans proposes to take advantage of the trade winds from the northwest, from Teneriffe, Canary Islands, and thinks he has a good chance in this way of reaching the West Indies. He proposes to end his flight at Barbados if necessary, but if possible to continue it to the coast of Florida.

This route was chosen only after an investigation extending through years. He found that at the period of the year he has selected the trade wind is practically undisturbed by adverse currents. The records show that all the hurricanes, numbering 121, between 1880 and 1909, were in the months of June, July, August, September and October.

Dr. Gans figures that the cost of the trip, should it be made, will be approximately $135,000. It took $70,000 to build his dirigible, known as the Suchard, and the cost of the hydrogen gas for inflating it will add another $12,000. He has obtained a supply of 523,000 cubic feet of gas to inflate the 250 foot cigar-shaped envelope, which has a diameter of fifty feet in the centre.

Dr. Gans says the two big problems to overcome will be atmospheric disturbances that might divert the airship from its course and the ability to remain aloft the necessary length of time. He believes that he has solved both difficulties. The first he thinks has been solved in the selection of his route. The second he has dealt with in the equipment of his airship.

He has figured that his airship will lose weight from the instant of its start. This is due to the consumption of food and drink and of oil and fuel. He has plans for meeting this condition. There are two methods by which he expects to accomplish it. First, the airship can add to its weight by taking on sea water as ballast. This will be accomplished by the use of fish-shaped buckets let down by a steel cable operated by a motor. The water will be stored in a cockpit and can be let out if it becomes necessary to reduce the weight. Second, the lifting power can be reduced by lowering the temperature of the gas.

Two means will be used to attain this point. One method is to cover the upper surface of the balloon with a thin cloth saturated with a chemical composition that acts as an absorbent for the moisture and serves to a certain degree to counteract the heating tendencies of the sun's rays. By means of another device the cloth can be sprayed with sea water.

The big gas envelope will be fitted with three air ballonets for the purpose of keeping it perfectly distended. As the gas escapes from the balloon air will be pumped into the ballonets. The combined capacity of these air bags is 111,864 cubic feet, which if necessary can take the place created by the loss of gas.

Radium Treatment for Cancer.

The medical correspndent of The London Graphic says that a satisfactory result has come to light regarding the treatment of cancer by the radium method at King's College hospital. A large cancer growth had to be dealt with. An operation previously had been performed, but the cancer returned with renewed virulence. X rays and other treatments were then tried without success, and finally 250 milligrams of pure radium bromide were applied for twenty-four hours. The tubes were so arranged that the diseased parts were subjected to a regular crossfire of the curative rays, and the application was repeated once only. As a result of the treatment it is stated that pain quickly ceased and the growth rapidly shrank up so that at the end of five weeks it had disappeared. A doctor in describing the case says that if this result can be repeated and the technique of the treatment so improved that even deep-seated tumors can be brought under the radio-active influence there will be very good reason for supposing that the long hoped for conquest of cancer is indeed at hand.

How to Carry Water.

If you want to carry a full pail of water any distance without spilling or to carry water from one room to another in a flat dish or tray you should always have something floating on it. If it is drinking water a clean saucer will do, and a flat piece of wood is the best thing for a pail. It is the little waves that arise from the water's lapping against the sides and then rushing to the other side that makes the water spill over. The floater stops this.

Emigration to British Colonies.

Emigration to the British colonies from Great Britain and Europe, in the year 1912, is expected to surpass enormously the record of any previous year. Canada is prepared for an influx of 160,000 and Australia is arranging to care for 40,000, while South Africa is initiating a policy of land settlement that will probably be combined with an immigration scheme on a more extensive scale than anything ever attempted in that quarter.

Belated Caution.

"Did the burglars overlook anything of value?" inquired the reporter.

"I'd rather not say anything about that," answered the man whose house had been robbed.

"Why so?"

"Because they'll be watching the papers for a day or two, I think, to find out."

Court Cards.

At the French court the card rooms from the time of Charles VI. to that of Louis XVI. were luxuriously furnished. The counters used were mother-of-pearl or some other valuable substance. The cards were embroidered with silver on white satin, and some were the work of the most famous miniature painters.

KAISER BANS DRAMA.

He Thinks It Will Carry Perilous Social Doctrines.

Wilhelm II. of Germany has announced that in future no dramatic production will be financed or encouraged by himself or his family. The Kaiser gives no reason for his action, but it is supposed he resents the fact that German opera now opens its doors to real thinkers, many of whom are opposed to his ideas about military glory. One English critic explains the Emperor's snub of the stage as follows:

"In Germany, although desperate and partly successful efforts are made to stifle thought, or rather to throttle those who seek to utter thoughts subversive of the present system of tyranny, the theatre has already played a valuable part in the dissemination of ideas. Indeed, ever since the production of Ludwig Fulda's play founded on the story of the King and the fraudulent tailors, some of the German dramatists have used their great weapon in one form or another as a means of attack on the Empire of blood and iron that causes huge mischief to the Germans and their neighbors. If I were a despot I should cpax the drama and chain the drama, and would support lavishly the theatre so long as it preached conventional views of royalty, loyalty, patriotism, religion, and morality, and have a censorship of fiercest vigor at the same time and permit no evasions by means of semi-private performances. And, of course, I should fail, fail utterly in the long run, since it is as difficult to chain thought as to carry water in a sieve. The Hohenzollerns may wisely indicate their wrath with drama by refusing to finance plays or to be associated officially with a form of art capable of spreading in an effective manner ideas destructive of the existing system."

The Meek Recruit.

It was at the target practice of the local company of territorials, and one of the officers was suitably holding forth on the matter in hand.

Sauntering swaggeringly up to the latest recruit, he said:

"See here, my man, this thing is a rifle. Here is the barrel, there the stock. You slip the cartridge in here."

The company was becoming exceedingly interested.

"Now," continued the officer, "you put the weapon to your shoulder. These little things on the barrel are the sights. When you have taken accurate aim pull this little thing, which is the trigger."

The company began to smile.

"Now, remember what I have told you. Smarten up and look more like a soldier!" went on the captain, seeking to make a further impress. "By the way, what is your business? A clerk, I suppose!"

"No, sir," came the reply; "I am only a gunsmith."—Answers.

The Value of a Name.

Nelson a thriving, hustling English town, is a living instance of the value of a name. Not long after the battle of Trafalgar some tinker, tailor or other person established a tiny wayside inn and called it after the naval hero. There was nobody on the spot from whom to expect custom, but the road led to and from populous districts. Travelers stopped at the place, and presently a cottage or two began to rise, then more of them, and the name of the public house answered for the whole. That was the nucleus of the present town. Now 40,000 people live around the site which the old innkeeper chose and called after the name of his hero.

Sent Her Something Pretty.

A Russian grand duke was visiting Paris and chanced to dine in Rosa Bonheur's company. They got on very well, and at dessert they ate philopena together—that is to say, they shared a double almond. But the duke when next they met lost the philopena and asked the artist what present he should give her. She replied laughingly, "Any animal that will do to paint; something pretty, you know." The duke smiled and departed. Nothing more was heard of him, and the lady had quite forgotten the affair when the ducal forfeit arrived in the shape of three enormous polar bears.

A Wealthy Vagrant.

Not long ago in Switzerland a vagrant taken into custody by the police was found to have his coat padded with bank notes amounting to $28,000. He explained that some time before he had registered with heaven a vow to spend none of it; hence, although at the time he was arrested he was starving, he had kept his word.

The Peacock on a Rainy Day.

The peacock, glittering with jewel-like eyes, has a voice by no means suited to its beauty. Its cry is harsh and disagreeable. When the rain falls it sits on some high perch, uttering its doleful sounds, with its beautiful tail feathers drawn into the smallest possible space. Like the vain creature that it is, it never spreads its fan unless the sun shines.

How the Ancients Regarded Iron.

The ancient Egyptians believed that iron was the bone of Typhon, the enemy of Osiris, and for this reason it was considered impure. No one could make use of it even for the most ordinary requirements of life without polluting his soul in a way that would cause him harm both on earth and in the other world.

Amusing Britain.

The British people last year spent $125,000,000 in amusements. There are sixty-seven theatres in London, 738 in the provincial towns, and there are besides 311 music halls. Over 40,000 persons claim to belong to "the profession." Last year 541 new plays were produced.

His Plea.

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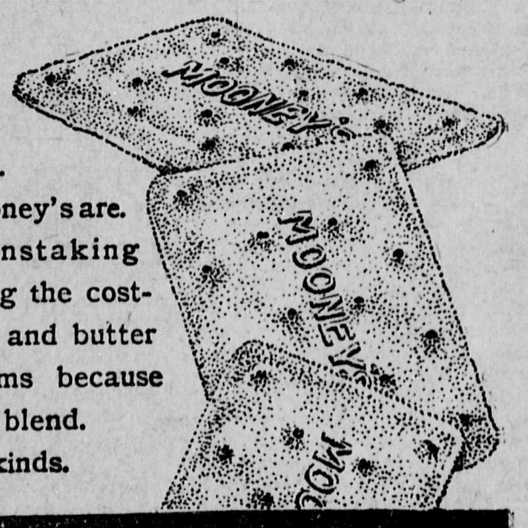

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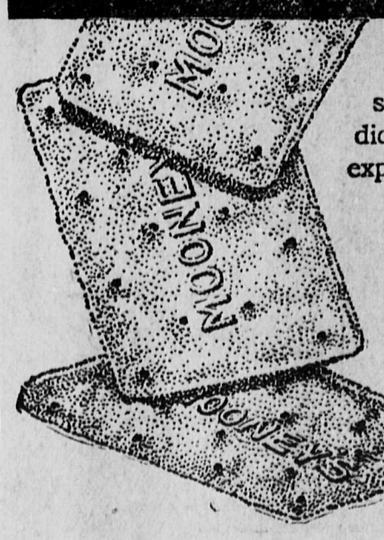

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A JAPANESE LEGEND.

It Tells a Pretty Story of the Origin of the Chrysanthemum.

The Japanese have an interesting legend in connection with the origin of the chrysanthemum. In a garden bathed in the soft moonlight a young girl plucked a flower and commenced to strip the petals to see if her fiance loved her truly. Of a sudden a little god appeared before her and assured her that her fiance loved her passionately. "Your husband will live," he added, "as many years as the flower which I will let you choose has petals." With these words he disappeared. The young girl hastened to search the garden for a flower which should have an abundance of petals, but each one appeared to promise but a brief future for her beloved.

At length she picked a Persian carnation, and, with the aid of a gold pin taken from her hair, she separated each one of the petals of the flower so as to increase the number of folioles and of the number of years accorded by the god to her fiance. Soon under her deft fingers 100, 200, 300 petals, thin, pliant and beautifully curved, had been evolved, and the young girl cried for joy to think of the happy future which her ruse had assured her fiance. So, runs the legend, was the crysanthemum created one moonlight night in a Japanese garden, where silvery brooks murmured softly as they ran beneath the little bamboo bridges. —London Globe.

CRY OF THE GIRAFFE.

It Is a Peculiar Sound Something Like a Sheep's Bleat.

Those who read the accounts of the giraffe in the textbooks and the descriptions given by travelers may have noticed that no mention is made of its voice. Sportsmen, in fact, allude to its apparent voicelessness.

Nor so far as the records go has it ever been heard in captivity. Up to the present it appears that no one could say whether the cry of a giraffe was a groan, a bellow, a bleat or a cough; hence the record of the recent experience of a naturalist in east Africa who has actually heard its voice, is of special interest.

Blaney Percival, the naturalist in question, spent the day in concealment near a waterhole where the wild animals came to drink. He had at times both giraffe and zebra drinking within thirty feet of him. While thus watching he had the good fortune to hear the giraffe.

It was making a bleating noise, but Mr. Percival says it is quite impossible to describe the sound in writing. "The nearest I can get to it," he says, "is 'wurre' rather drawn out, not just a baa like a sheep, but more prolonged, and the softening at the end more noticeable.—London Field.

The Strange Sea Spider.

One of the strangest creatures of the sea is a certain species of sea spider named Nymphon gracile. It has a body about the size of a bit of thread a quarter of an inch long and tied into four knots. The head looks like the end of a thread split into two horns. From each of the four knots start two legs, one on each side, making eight in all. The legs are three or four times longer than the body, but the odd thing about them is that the alimentary tube into which the food goes runs down into every one of the legs, so that whatever the spider eats circulates through his legs, and, in fact, the legs are like the body in internal structure. Another curious feature of this form of life is that the baby sea spider is not in the least like the grownup of the same family. It is much more like a crab, but how it develops from a crablike form is not yet ascertained.—Exchange.

Lost and Found.

"Almost too strange to be true," said a woman who had lost and found again a piece of jewelry a few days ago. On arriving at her husband's office in the Wall street district she discovered that an amethyst was missing from an ornament which she wore. The prongs which held it had evidently worn away, and the stone was given up for lost. She went on a shopping tour and when leaving the Seventy-second street subway station on her way home dropped her muff. She stooped to pick it up and close to one of the iron pillars saw her lost amethyst. "I was so glad to find it," she said, "but people don't believe the story. Even my husband made a queer face when I told it."—New York Tribune.

Fact and Fiction.

"I suppose your wandering boy will come home and pay the mortgage off the farm as they do in Christmas stories."

"No," replied Farmer Corntossel; "that ain't his custom. When he gits through makin' suggestions it generally means another mortgage."—Washington Star.

What Bachelors Miss.

"You bachelors don't know what you miss," said the married man.

"Well, we have the satisfaction of knowing that what we do miss isn't lifted from our pockets while we are asleep," retorted the bachelor.—Philadelphia Record.

Move On.

Do not gaze backward nor pause to contemplate anxiously what is in front, but move. If you are faithful God will carry you through.—Frothingham.

It is difficult to persuade mankind that the love of virtue is the love of themselves.—Cicero.

BRITAIN AND AEROPLANES.

Competitions Between the Different Manufacturers Is Vigorous.

More business-like than the recent French military aeroplane competitions, the War Office tests announced recently will be generally approved as calculated to bring out highly efficient military machines. The amount of the prizes is adequate, but the right of purchasing prize-winning machines at $5,000 is driving a hard bargain.

In the French trials guarantees to purchase, machines at $8,000 each were given and the prize-winners were secure of orders for a certain number. There is no definite undertaking to buy winning machines in the British trials, although manufacturers need have no uneasiness on that score, since it is the definite policy of the War Office to acquire a large number of aeroplanes. It must be said that only orders for a number of machines at $5,000 each would make it worth while to enter the competitions.

In some respects the tests are more severe than the French, and in most details they are more workmanlike and up-to-date. One thing is clear, the conditions — among which is a speed minimum of fifty-five miles per hour—will in all probability prevent any British biplane from winning a prize. In the French trials only one biplane, the Breguet, flew at fifty-nine miles per hour, but all the others were far behind. Now the Cody machine is the fastest of British biplanes, but it could not quite manage fifty-five miles per hour and fulfill all the other conditions as well. However, Mr. Cody is already hard at work designing a new machine to replace the one broken by Lieut. Parke the other day, and he will be a very strong candidate.

The excellent condition as to packing the machines takes away one of the advantages of the French makers in their possession of aeroplanes successful in the French trial, for even the best of them are not capable of being packed up into dimensions for transport on an English railway, and it would require a good deal of redesigning to fit them for this quality.

In stipulating that in the British sections of the competitions foreign motors may be used, the War Office have no doubt assumed that British motor makers would be hard pressed to produce high-powered engines in time for the trials. There are good engines up to 60 h.p. available now but it would not be easy to produce bigger ones and get them in trim for these severe trials by next summer. At the same time, in a British test, foreign engines ought to be excluded; their opportunity lies in the international division of the competitions. It is just as important to encourage the production of British aero-motors as of British aeroplanes. This is the weakest point in the conditions, and it will probably have the effect of preventing several British motor makers from going to the expense of designing new engines. Why have a British section and leave the British engine out of it?

The stipulations as to a dual contest, the capability of being started by the pilot alone and preferably from his place in the machine, and as to the interchange ability of parts are excellent. The optional quality as to the use of silencers to the engine ought certainly to have been made one of the essential conditions.

Gems of Irish Oratory.

In "Wits and Their Humors," the Rev. J. O. Pevan relates the following Irishisms which have been perpetrated in Parliament and elsewhere:

"Mr. Speaker, before I begin to speak, I should like to say," etc.

"The voice of Oireland is now making itself felt. So long as she was silent, England was deaf to her cries."

"The cup of Ireland's miseries has been running over for centuries, and now—it is almost full."

"The right hon. gintleman is attempting to ram his bill down our throats — behind our backs; but we have many friends, though they may be backward in coming forward. The preamble of the bill has a feature in it which is objectionable, and on this feature the whole question hinges."

"The Government is taking credit for what it has not done; like the cuckoo, which, as you honorable gentlemen are aware, is the only bird which does not lay its own eggs."

Wearing the Kohinoor.

The great Kohinoor diamond was worn at the Delhi durbar by the Queen and not by the King, and so we have one more triumph of what people call superstition. It was originally intended that the King should wear the jewel, but a research into the depths of Indian public opinion disclosed the fact that the Kohinoor was expected to bring good fortune to a woman, but bad fortune to a man. Some of the great Indian princes thought the matter so serious that they remonstrated against any act that would arouse in the public mind an expectation of bad luck, and what greater bad luck can there be than the expectation of it? So the King had to be content with the common cheap gems of the ordinary regalia, while his consort wore the cream of the lot.

Gibraltar.

Gibraltar, the strongest fortress in the world, has the record for the longest investment in modern times, the English holding it against the armies of France and Spain from July 16, 1779, until Feb. 5, 1783. Military experts say now that no one can carry Gibraltar, and those who have seen the English guns on the rocky hills and the English battleships in the quiet harbor will agree with the experts. The only way in which Gibraltar can be taken is by starvation, and England has the fortress provisioned for several years now.

College Not Needed.

Taking the 284 names to be found in the Dictionary of English Literature, a writer in The London Athenaeum finds that 126 had a public school and a university education, 80 had the latter only, 26 the former only and 52 neither.

A MADE OVER STATUE.

Designed to Pose as a King, It Now Represents a Saint.

The most made over statue in the world is in a quaint little church at Yarmouth, Isle of Wight. It was originally designed for that of Louis XIV. of France and was the work of a Roman sculptor who started for France with the statue, but was captured on the way by an English warship. France and England were then at war, and the box containing the statue was taken on board the English vessel with other spoils.

When Sir Richard Holmes, the English commander, examined it and found the head was unfinished he ordered the sculptor to complete it in his own likeness, and so the heroic figure that was intended to represent a French monarch was turned into an officer of the English navy.

When Sir Richard was made governor of the Isle of Wight in 1667 he presented the statue of himself to the Yarmouth church. Half a century after his death a statue of St. John was desired for a certain niche in the church, and an English sculptor was called in to chisel out the face and naval hat of Sir Richard and make them over into the benign features and flowing locks of the saint.

The incongruity of court clothes and a jeweled chain on the figure of one of the apostles did not seem to strike the worshipers as anything unusual, and St. John still occupies his place by the altar attired in the finery of a French king.—New York Press.

GIRAFFES IN BATTLE.

The Long Necked Animals Wield Their Heads as Weapons.

The giraffe has an original and curious method of fighting. The long necked beast has neither claws nor beak nor sharp teeth with which to defend or attack, so when it is out of temper with one of its own kind it does not fly in the face of providence by trying to disembowel its adversary, as a tiger might, or toss it, as a rhinoceros would.

On the contrary, the giraffe, knowing that it has been provided by nature with a long and pliable neck, terminating in a very solid head, uses the upper part of itself like a flail and, swinging its neck round and round in a way that does immense credit to its organization, brings its head down at each swing with a thump on its adversary.

The other combatant adopts precisely the same tactics, and the two animals, planting themselves as firmly as possible by stretching out on all four legs to the utmost, stand opposite each other, hammering with their heads until one or the other has had enough.

The head of the giraffe is furnished with two stumpy, horn-like processes, so that the animals when at this hammer and tongs method of warfare remind the spectator somewhat of two ancient warriors thumping each other with the spiked balls they used to carry for that purpose at the end of chains. Harper's Weekly.

The Triple Plume.

The three feathers of the Prince of Wales, with the German motto, "Ich Dien" ("I serve"), are supposed to be the arms of the blind king of Bohemia, whom Edward III.'s son, the Black Prince, overcame at Cressy. The captor, it will be remembered, waited in his own tent upon his captive; hence a special significance to the words "I serve." In this, however, we have a story that history refuses to accept. The triple plume, indeed, as well as feathers of various numbers, came into general use about the time of Edward III. But it was not unknown before that time, and even at that time it was not the distinctive cognizance of the Prince of Wales. Other members of the royal family bore it as well as he. Not till the reign of Henry VII. was the triple plume within a coronet restricted to the eldest son of the sovereign.—St. Louis Republic.

The Horse.

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His Egotism.

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"Haven't you heard? Mrs. Jones is suing another woman for alienating his affections and puts the damages at $50,000."—Judge.

The Law.

Of all the parts of a law, the most effectual is the vindicatory, for it is but lost labor to say, "Do this or avoid that," unless we also declare, "This shall be the consequence of your noncompliance." The main strength and force of a law consist in the penalty annexed to it.—Blackstone.

Finding Ancestors.

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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 on 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.

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Mrs. E. J. C. Shaw, 901 Henley street, will not receive again, formally, this season.

Traffic over the new Lulu island bridge is said to have doubled during the past two months.

Mr. Theodore Lennie, son of Rev. Robert Lennie, is back in the city from McGill College, Montreal, where he is studying medicine.

The hardware men of Trapp's and Cunningham's held a banquet in the Royal cafe last night. A very merry time was passed by all present.

Mr. Manly of the Port Mann hotel, is staying at the Russell for a few days. He spent yesterday going up to the new townsite and looking over his property.

Mrs. Edwin H. Johnston, nee Miss Mina Hoy, will receive the first time since her marriage on Wednesday, the 22nd, at her apartments, suite 6, Queen's Court.

A musical recital will be given in the Columbian college gymnasium tomorrow evening by students who are writing the conservatory examinations in June.

Edmonds road near store, 66x113 feet, all cleared, fenced and planted to fruit and garden, six-room bungalow, new chicken house and barn, $3100, $750 cash. CURTIS & DORGAN, city. **

The captain and crew of the Senator Jansen, which rendered such signal service during the recent fire, have been presented with $50 by Messrs. Gilley Bros. in recognition of their promptitude.

The funeral took place yesterday of Miss Reedie Viola Johncox, at 4 o'clock, from Center & Hanna's chapel. Interment was in the Odd Fellows' cemetery. Many friends of the family were present. Rev. C. A. Ray officiated.

Alderman Curtis returned yesterday morning from a trip to Seattle. His trains was delayed several hours near White Rock on account of the mud slide which caused the derailment of Monday evening's owl train.

Yesterday's building permits total $1000. Mr. George Walker will build a two-roomed cottage on Alberta street of the value of $400, and Mr. W. Miller will erect a bake shop, costing $600 on Fourth street between Eighth and Tenth avenues.

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. **

Very little towing can be done at the present stage of the water in the river. The Fraser Mills tugs are having a busy time of it tying up booms all along the river bank, where they will be left until the current abates somewhat.

Agnes street, near Eighth, 66x132, backing on Moody, building paying $35 monthly; $12,500, $2500 cash, balance to suit. CURTIS & DORGAN, city.

Thus far no trace has been discovered of the whereabouts of Fred West, a fisherman of Langley, who disappeared on Monday in last week. It was feared that he had fallen into the Salmon river, and although the provincial police have dragged the water, no result has been forthcoming. His boat was found empty near an old dredge in the river.

Mr. W. Wolz, generally known as "Billy" Wolz, died late last night. He had been ailing for some time and his death was not altogether unexpected. Mr. Wolz was partner with Captain Wilberg in the B. C. cigar factory, and was an old timer in this city. He leaves a wife and family and many friends to mourn him.

OWLS SMOKER.

New Westminster Nest No. 3 will hold a smoker on Friday evening, May 24. All Owls are requested to be present and bring their friends.

H. CAMPBELL,
Secretary

DRAMATIC TRIAL SCENES.

Renegade to Suffragette Cause Faints in Court.

London, May 21.—Charged with a conspiracy to damage property, the outgrowth of the recent activities here of militant suffragettes, Mrs. Emmaline Pankhurst, a leader of the suffragettes movement, and Pethrick Lawrence and wife, sympathizers of the cause, were placed on trial here today.

Mrs. Pankhurst was represented by Attorney Timothy Healey, and Lawrence acted as counsel for both himself and wife. In an impassioned address, in which he accused the police of unjust persecution, Lawrence demanded acquittal. Healey asked for Mrs. Pankhurst's dismissal on the ground that the indictment in her case was defective.

The most dramatic moment attending the trial was when a dressmaker, Lillian Bell, apparently a renegade to the cause, was put on the witness stand. She burst into tears and collapsed, looking pleadingly at the defendants in the dock. Bouquets, which were noticeable hitherto, were not present yesterday, as the sheriff had notified the spectators attending the trial that they would be allowed no longer. At the conclusion of Pethick Lawrence's defence, Mrs. Pankhurst addressed the judge, speaking with great emotion and several times being on the point of breakdown.

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GRAVE UNREST.

Uprising of Negroes in Cuba Gravely Feared.

Havana, Cuba, May 21.—The Cuban government disclaims any further knowledge regarding the uprising of negroes, but the opinion is spreading that conditions are becoming more serious. It is credibly reported today that two armed parties are operating in the province of Malanza, which hitherto has been reported tranquil.

Orders were issued today for additional troops to be prepared to take the field.

Washington, May 21.—The Cuban government has expressed confidence that the recently discovered conspiracy of the negro element of the island to revolt has been successfully suppressed, according to state department advices today from the American legation at Havana. In the provinces of Santa Clara and Pinar del Rio, a large number of negroes have been arrested on the charge of revolutionary conspiracy.

Santiago, Cuba, May 21.—Great unrest prevails and there is grave apprehension throughout this vicinity. It is reported today that a party of armed negroes has passed through the town of Siboney, near the coast, with a number of horses stolen from an American citizen. Many of the longshoremen on strike are missing this morning and it is reported they have joined armed parties in the field.

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The new reeve of Delta is Mr. H. D. Benson, a former councillor, who was elected yesterday by acclamation to the position vacated by Mr. John Oliver. On Saturday next the election for the vacant councillorship formerly held by Mr. Benson will be held. Mr. Savage of Westham Island, and Mr. George Dennis of East Delta, are the contestants.

WEDDINGS.

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