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STILL DEBATING SWITCH QUESTION

East Burnaby Ratepayers Invoke Decision of Attorney General.

Action of Council Strongly Condemned —Steps Taken to Serve Injunction.

East Burnaby, Aug. 7.—Matters connected with the Fourth avenue switch, which has agitated the district for the past two weeks, took a new turn this evening when at a meeting of the East Burnaby Ratepayers' association it was decided to engage the services of legal counsel to look into the question of the council's rights in allowing permission for the switch to be built, and in the meantime a petition will be forwarded to Attorney General Bowser invoking his aid against what the members claim is an infringement upon public rights.

President Resigns.

A fair attendance gathered at Vickers' hall last evening to discuss the much debated question. The first order of business was the reading of a communication from Mr. H. W. Mansfield, president of the organization, resigning that position and severing all connection with the association. In his place T. W. Yeadon was elected president. This gentleman in a few words stated that there was a spirit of antagonism in the district, and foreshadowed the life of the ratepayers' organization as but a matter of a short time.

Says "Cut and Dried."

Mr. George Vickers rendered his report on the action of the municipal council in granting Messrs. Cliff & Sons leave to build the spur track on Fourth avenue. He told how a petition signed by ninty-nine resident ratepayers had been presented against the spur track being laid, while a counter one, signed by fifty-seven advocated the laying of the track. He characterized the action of the council as a "cut and dried affair."

Secretary E. T. Peck then read a communication from Mr. J. T. Hampton Bole, a solicitor of New Westminster, which stated that in his opinion there were several points which could be threshed out in the courts before the council's action was legalized.

Inform Hon. Mr. Bowser.

Mr. Peck, after reading the letter, thought the situation in East Burnaby could be coupled with the legal tangle now on between the B. C. E. R. and the municipalities of Burnaby and Point Grey.

If an injunction could not be obtained he thought the residents should lay the whole matter before the attorney general at Victoria.

Counsel Engaged.

A motion was carried to engage the services of counsel in order to decide whether an injunction could be taken out against Messrs. Cliff & Sons.

The action of the councillors for wards two and three were severely criticized in supporting the application of Messrs. Cliff & Sons, the granting of which one member stated "was robbery and overruling of public rights."

The secretary was afterwards instructed to write to the attorney general explaining the situation.

DESPERADOES MAKE GOOD THEIR ESCAPE

Beat Up Sheriff on Train and Manacled Together Jumped for It.

Mojave, Cal., Aug. 7. — After a desperate battle on a Southern Pacific passenger train between Mojave and Beeville, early today, Chris and Charles White, alleged highway robbers escaped from Deputy Sheriff Gates, of Los Angeles county, after beating him almost unconscious with his own revolver and then exchanging a fusillade of shots with the train crew.

The prisoners, although manacled together, raised a vestibule platform and dropped from the train which was running 35 miles an hour.

Gates left the train, and, unaccompanied, is on the trail of the fugitives. A posse from Mojave is being organized to follow. One of the prisoners is believed to be seriously wounded. The Whites are wanted in Los Angeles to answer to a charge of highway robbery.

DRUGGISTS OF DOMINION WILL VISIT WESTMINSTER

The announcement is made that from 75 to 100 druggists who, coming from all parts of Canada, are now attending the convention in Vancouver, will visit the city on Saturday afternoon and view the lacrosse match.

The Westminster officials have set apart accommodation for the visitors, and it is expected that they will leave Vancouver at 1 p.m., and return from here on the 6 o'clock car via Eburne.

HOUSE DESTROYED IN NIGHT BLAZE

Owned by F. J. Anderson on Sixth Street—Total Loss $1000—Cause Unknown.

Yesterday's second destructive fire occurred soon after 9 o'clock last evening when a small house owned by Mr. F. J. Anderson, situated at the corner of Sixth and Hamilton streets, was almost totally destroyed by fire, entailing a loss of about $1000.

The origin of the fire is not known as no one was in the house at the time it occurred. The first arrivals at the scene found the front door open, and the rear portion of the place in flames. The flimsy bungalow plan on which the house was constructed afforded splendid food for the blaze, which licked up the roof and walls in no time.

The fire brigade arrived shortly after the alarm was turned in, but was unable to do aught save prevent the fire from spreading.

DOMESTIC SERVANT RECOVERS WAGES

Brought Suit Against Mistress—First Case of Its Kind in Burnaby—Will Appeal.

Edmonds, Aug. 7.—What is said to have been the first case of its kind that has come under the jurisdiction of the Burnaby police court, was tried before Magistrate Walker this morning.

The complainant was Laura E. Burton, who brought suit against Mrs. Ward Edgar, a resident of Burnaby, for recovery of wages.

From the evidence it developed that complainant agreed to work as domestic for defendant on July 12 at the rate of 20 cents per hour. She started to work on the following day, and on July 31, when leaving her position presented a bill of $31.20, having worked 258 hours. She stated that on many of the days she was compelled to work fourteen hours a day.

The defendant deducted $5.40 from the bill, claiming that the bill presented by her servant included the hours taken by her when she was at meals. Mrs. Edgar is said to have proffered a cheque for $17 in full payment but this was refused by Miss Burton, who at once brought claim against defendant for $45.80, which was allowed by the court, together with $5.50 costs. The defendant gave notice of appeal under the Summary Conviction Act.

GOVERNMENT WILL SELL RUPERT LOTS

Announcement by Minister of Lands—Will Make Central Lots Marketable.

Victoria, Aug. 7.—The Minister of Lands, Hon. W. R. Ross, has decided that it is the public interest that another sale of government lots in the townsite of Prince Rupert should take place, and his recommendation to that effect made to the executive council yesterday was acted upon at once.

There will probably be about 300 lots offered at the forthcoming sale, which will take place at Prince Rupert in a month or so. Mr. C. D. Rand of Vancouver, will again be the auctioneer.

The government, as trustees for the people of British Columbia, holds one-fourth of the lots in the G. T. P. terminal city, which are becoming very valuable with the development of that portion of the province. With the growth of the town the minister feels that it is desirable that a number of the lots in the central part of the city townsite should be rendered available for building, and he believes that the sale now decided on will be the means of stimulating the advance of the city very materially.

The terms of the sale will be the same as those which governed the former sale—one-quarter cash, and the remainder in three instalments with interest at 6 per cent.

NEW ORANGE HALL

At Port Moody Will Open Monday—Westminster Men Going.

The new hall of the Port Moody Orangemen, L. O. L. 1633, situated on John street, is almost completed and will be formally dedicated at a lodge meeting on Monday night next.

A large number of brethren from New Westminster and Vancouver are expected to be present at the ceremony. The building is a substantial structure and internally adapted to the requirements of the brethren, as well as to recreative purposes and social functions.

Mr. W. F. Percy, New Westminster, is the contractor.

MAYOR LEE TELLS OF MONEY MARKET

London Flooded with World-wide Issues—Is Acting Carefully—City's High Standing.

"Bond issues from cities all over the world are at present being offered for sale on the London financial market, making the advantageous disposal of any kind of municipal bonds a formidable task."

So writes Mayor John A. Lee from the capital of the empire, and the headquarters of world finance—London, England.

Yesterday morning Acting Mayor Gray received a communication from Mayor Lee, and as its contents were of public interest he forthwith gave it to the press.

Investment in municipal bonds has fallen off in popularity to some degree within the past few months, declared Mayor Lee, not from the fact that this form of investment is considered unsound, but because in comparison to other less stable, financial propositions the premium is comparatively small. Later in the year, however, there would be no difficulty in disposing of Westminster's bonds at a price satisfactory to the citizens and in excess of that demanded for issues that have gone before.

An idea of the state of the London market at the present time, the mayor said, might be gained from the fact that both Toronto and Calgary had been unable to sell their respective issues at an advantageous price.

The market, he declared, was flooded with Russian and Cuban industrials, Canadian, Australian and South African municipals, and many other kinds of domestic and foreign bonds, so that the investor and speculator had the widest field from which to select.

Mayor Lee states that he is asking 95¼ and 95½ for the Westminster bonds, but opinion on the market seems to be that he should not expect within one or two points of this price.

"I am told, however, that our bonds are A1, and will be all right later in the fall," he says.

Mayor Lee has seen a representative of Pember & Co., a power in English finance, as well as members of other large moneyed interests. They appeared to be partial to large issues, especially to issues running into five millions. He also expected to interview the Rothschilds at an early date.

In regard to the harbor scheme and its impression upon English capital, the mayor states that he believes it could be financed without the aid of the Dominion government. This, however, would be out of the question unless the government absolutely refused to carry on the work started by the city.

The mayor states that only one director of the B. C. E. R. company is in London at present and as a number of other important business men are out of the city he has been unable to accomplish all he could wish in connection with matters other than the bonds.

At the conclusion of his letter Mayor Lee added a postscript to the effect that in handling the bonds he was "making haste slowly" in order to avoid duplicating the mistake made by other cities in offering bonds at too low a figure and thereby prejudicing them in the eyes of investors.

ON THE BORDER

Three Hundred Attempt to Cross Line From States Foiled Last Month.

To counteract the determined and continuous efforts of the undesirable immigrant from Washington, U. S. A., to surreptitiously invade B. C., Mr. Whitley has been appointed an additional immigration officer at Aldergrove.

During the past month about 300 attempts to frustrate the vigilance of the Canadian immigration officials, at White Rock, have been foiled and punished.

C.P.R. WILL BE REPRESENTED AT PUBLICITY MEETING

Councillor L. E. Marmont, of Coquitlam, who is secretary of the associated representatives of the Fraser valley who have in hand the scheme for better publicity for the valley, has received from the C. P. R. company an intimation that a representative of the C. P. R. will attend the meeting at Mission City on Friday, the 16th inst.

The letter expresses warm approval of the objects of the association, and promises on behalf of the company every legitimate aid that it can afford.

HAS BROKEN NECK

Waldo Matheson Cannot Live Say Doctors.

Vancouver, Aug. 7.—Little hope is held out for the recovery of Waldo Matheson, the well known athlete who struck the bottom of English bay in diving from the float on Sunday last. An X-ray photograph has been taken by Dr. Nicholson, and shows that his neck is broken.

While the doctor believes he will live today, they fear the end cannot be far off. At the general hospital this morning, it was said that his condition was unchanged, being low.

SMART CAPTURE OF ALLEGED ROBBERS

Net of Three Police Forces Gathers In Two Russians— Tent Was Pilfered.

Edmonds, Aug. 7.—With the arrest of Alex Kiboff, a Russian, in Vancouver today, it is believed that light will be thrown upon the recent robberies from a tent in Highland Park.

Kiboff was taken into custody by Detective Price, while wearing a pair of trousers which matched a coat left in the tent. When taken to his room two valises were found there which were later identified by Mr. Norman Jesseman, who with two others occupy the tent above mentioned.

Kiboff's cousin, Mike Kiboff, was captured on Tuesday in Westminster by Constable Lyne of the Burnaby police and Detective Burroughs of the city force. He was seen to board a car in Vancouver, and was followed to New Westminster.

When arrested he was found to be wearing a gold albert watch charm and carrying two pocketbooks, which were afterwards found to be the property of Mr. Jesseman.

Mike Kiboff was brought before Magistrate Walker this morning and was charged with unlawfully entering the tent and purloining the articles. The case was remanded for one day. Tomorrow both men will be on the stand and it is expected that the evidence to be produced then will result in their committal for trial.

The tent was broken into last Friday and since then, the police of Burnaby, Vancouver and New Westminster have been on the lookout for the two men.

HUNDREDS GATHER AT LANGLEY SHOW

Glorious Display of Flowers—Mrs. Robert Wark Wins Government Prize.

Back from the Women's Institute flower show at Langley which took place yesterday, and was attended by some 500 people, Mr. Harry Tidy had nothing but praise for the beautiful exhibition of cut and pot flowers which he had the pleasure of judging.

"There were 272 entries," he said, "and the show was almost as large as the exhibition which takes place in Westminster. In fact it was as big a display as has taken place on the lower mainland for some time, and it reflects the greatest credit upon the amateur floriculturists."

Langley municipal hall was filled to the doorways with flowers and admiring crowds. Dahlias, sweet peas nasturtiums and pansies predominated amid the blaze of variegated colors.

The special prize—a work on flower culture—presented by the minister of agriculture to the winner of the greatest number of first prizes was awarded to Mrs. Robert Wark, who secured ten firsts.

Everyone made merry, especially at the picnic held in the grounds during the afternoon. The success of the government's move towards organizing the culture of flowers among the wives of the farmers of the valley was observable in every phase of this delightful gathering.

CANADIAN FRONTIER DEFENCE PROPOSALS

Negotiations with United States May Be Taken Up by Premier on Return.

London, Aug. 7.—The Birmingham Post says a letter received there from a responsible authority in Ottawa expresses the confident belief that negotiations between Canada and the United States will take place after Premier Borden's return with regard to an agreement governing frontier defence.

Such would require the assent of the Imperial government and would in the end benefit the whole empire, while avoiding the opposition of foreign powers which a direct Anglo-American treaty might provoke.

The Truth is Critical.

A writer in the London Truth says: "A section of the press is extraordinarily anxious that Premier Asquith shall spend what is termed a patriotic holiday in Canada with Winston Churchill. Why the premier should thus be condemned to play second fiddle, I don't quite know, but on one point a profound conviction that in September the suffragettes may engage in further events of very serious character. Let not the cabinet ministers imagine that they will escape merely by running to Canada. The further Premier Asquith travels, the more closely must he be taken care of."

PRESENT POSITION OF LULU ISLAND

Yesterday's Fire Proves Need of Better Water and Fire Service, Say Residents.

The foresight of the water committee in asking for an additional appropriation to put another thirteen inch main across to Lulu island was clearly evidenced yesterday when fire destroyed over $11,000 worth of property on Lulu island and menaced the safety of large industries near the scene of conflagration.

With a single line of hose 1500 feet in length the fire department, which had been notified too late to save the building, combated with the fierce heat, and after herculean efforts succeeded in keeping the fire from spreading.

The pressure in the four inch main which branches off from the Richmond main and is the only source of water supply at the point on Ewen avenue where the fire occurred, was so low that the supply of Richmond had to be curtailed, and thus the residents of that municipality had to go without water for an hour until all danger was over.

The lack of fire protection on Lulu island was admitted last evening by Alderman Curtis, who spoke of the action of the water committee at the beginning of June in providing for a better service in this section. The thirteen inch main at present supplying the island was in a very poor state of repair, he said, and considerable waste of water is entailed by a leak in the pipe where it crosses the channel. If this broke water and fire protection would be an unknown quantity on the island.

Alderman Curtis stated that with the completion of the new thirteen inch main, the industries and residential sections of the island would be provided with an efficient water service and fire protection as good as any in the city of New Westminster.

In regard to the cutting off of the Richmond water supply Alderman Curtis stated that he had instructed the water superintendent not to do this again unless the industries were threatened, as in the event of a fire occurring in Richmond that municipality could sue the city for damages for withholding her water supply.

Fire Chief Watson has recently made application for the installation of fire alarm boxes on Lulu island and it is stated that if one of these had been in use yesterday the department would have been notified at least ten minutes sooner of the presence of the fire.

Residents of Lulu island are naturally concerned over the situation, and declare that there are several very important adjustments which must be made immediately to prevent the possibility of another fire occurring such as yesterday's.

These in-part are: The installation of a fire alarm system and more hydrants; the opening of a sub fire station at a central point on the island and the effecting of an arrangement to notify the bridge tender at the Lulu island bridge to close the span when a fire is in progress to allow the passage of the fire equipment.

GAMBLER REVEALS SYSTEM OF GRAFT

"Bald Jack" Rose Furnishes Written Statement to Attorney—Hounded by Police.

New York, Aug. 7.—"Bald Jack" Rose, the gambler upon whose testimony was chiefly based the indictment of Police Lieutenant Charles Becker on the charge of instigating the murder of Herman Rosenthal, furnished District Attorney Whitman with a written statement today disclosing in detail the history of his relations with Becker as one of the police officer's alleged graft collectors.

Rose, in his confession, reiterated his previous allegation that Becker was one of four high police officers who collected between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000 yearly from illegal resorts, and gave a complete table of his collections from gamblers which, he said, he turned over to Becker. These collections, according to the confession, averaged from $12,000 to $15,000 a month, and came from a dozen or more gambling houses. The names of ten of them Rose gave to the district attorney.

Becker, the self-accused gambler wrote, was continually hounding him for more money, telling him, he said, that "the bunch down town isn't getting enough."

Rose said he had always turned his collections over to Becker in cash, frequently in Rose's home, and that his wife and servants had seen the money pass and could testify to the truth of his statement.

Becker's method of bringing the gamblers to terms was to raid them first, Rose said. This was the police way, he explained, of "getting acquainted."

After the raid Becker would offer to

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BOARDING HOUSE WIPED CLEAN OUT

One Man Injured Trying to Save Belongings In Lulu Island Fire.

Lack of Fire Alarm and Insufficient Water Supply Causes Total Loss.

Defying the best efforts of the fire department to extinguish, a fire that broke out in the boarding house on Ewen avenue, Lulu Island, owned by Mr. Joseph Crane, during the dinner hour yesterday, burned the entire structure to the ground, and almost claimed the life of James Anderson, a steamfitter, who was trapped in his room by the hungry flames.

The loss, which is estimated at about $11,000, is partly covered by insurance.

The building destroyed, consisted of a cafe, store and boarding house, the first of which being operated for Mr. Crane by Mr. F. Wythycomb, and the two latter conducted by Mr. A. Gabriel. The respective losses were as follows: Joseph Crane $8000, with $5000 insurance. A. Gabriel $3000, with no insurance.

A number of men staying at the boarding house suffered the loss of clothes, tools, and other valuable property.

Started in Room.

The fire originated in the room of one of the men above stairs, and the first notification of its presence was given when a blazing section of the floor dropped through on top of the kitchen range.

The rush of the dinner hour was on in the cafe, and the employees of the various mills on the island were passing in and out. When the fire broke through into the kitchen a wild scramble ensued, the men attempting to rush the blazing stairway to rescue the contents of their rooms.

Tried to Save Goods.

James Anderson, an employee of the British Canadian Lumber Company, succeeded in effecting an entrance to his room and was making a dash for the open stairway again when a section of the roof fell barring his path. In desperation he strove to force his way from the seething furnace, but the flames caught his clothing and seared his flesh. A beam fell from above and smashed a bone in his right forearm. Dropping his clothes, Anderson dived for an open place in the stairway and was carried unconscious to the outer air, by comrades. He was immediately rushed to the Royal Columbian hospital in an automobile, where his injuries and burns were attended to.

No Fire Alarm.

As there is no alarm box on Lulu Island the fire department did not receive notification of the blaze until after it had gained such headway that the building was doomed. Splendid work, however, was done by the department in saving Mr. Crane's house, which was in great danger at all times, the wind from the burning building blowing directly towards it. Fire Chief Watson stationed men on the roof of this building with the only line of hose available, and the sides were kept perpetually drenched, to obviate the danger from flying sparks.

One Lady Bruised.

The three ladies employed in the cafe, Mrs. A. Payne, Mrs. Hugh Richmond, and Mrs. W. Brownlee, escaped without injury, with the exception of Mrs. Richmond, who experienced painful bruises from being struck by a trunk which was thrown down the boarding house stairs by one of the volunteer members of the salvage corps.

Mrs. Joseph Crane and her two daughters witnessed the fire from the windows of their beautiful residence about fifty feet away between the periods in which they were employed in carrying out furniture and valuables, in anticipation of the fire spreading.

It was reported that one Miss Crane was in the store, and suffered injury during the progress of the fire, but this rumor was denied by the young lady herself shortly after the conclusion of the spectacular blaze.

Firemen Handicapped.

The firemen gave a splendid exhibition considering their handicap as regards water supply, and the distance of the single hydrant in the locality from the fire. Fifteen hundred feet of hose in all was utilized.

At the time of going to press this morning the hospital authorities reported the condition of Anderson to be serious but not at all critical.

DEMAND EXCEEDS SUPPLY.

Paper Mill Working Full Blast—New Warehouse Planned.

The Western Canada Paper Mill Company, situated on the Brunette river, Sapperton, is sore put to it to execute all the orders which are coming rushing in for their products.

Last week the company despatched three carloads of paper to Vancouver, Calgary and Interior points. The operatives continue to work day and night, but even then the output is insufficient to meet the demand.

Plans have been prepared and will shortly be put into the hands of the builders for the erection of a large warehouse.

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 — LARGE ROOM WITH use of telephone and piano. Box 94 News office.

WANTED—ENGINEER FOR GASOline boat. Apply 537 Front street.

WANTED — GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply Mrs. P. Birrell, 115 Royal avenue.

WANTED—FIVE OR SIX ROOMED house to rent in New Westminster. Address F. W., City Heights P. O., Vancouver.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN ABOUT 18 years of age to work in factory. Western Canadian Can Co.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WOMAN for general house work. Apply 227 St. Patrick street.

WANTED—OFFICE BOY; HIGH school boy preferred. Bring written application to H. P. Vidal & Co., Market Square.

WANTED—YOUNG SCOTCH GIRL wishes to assist with housework. Sleep at home. Address Box 88 News office.

WANTED—MARRIED COUPLE REquire two comfortable furnished rooms; old country family preferred. Apply room 2, B. C. E. R depot. Phone 401.

WANTED—AN IRONER. ROYAL City steam laundry.

WANTED—ROOMERS AND BOARDers. 36 Hastings street.

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

FOR SALE

FOR QUICK SALE—OWNER NEEDS the money. Lots 6, 7 and 8, block 2 resubdivision of block 1, D. L. 25 group 1, New Westminster. $300 cash, or $325 terms. Apply W. H Smedley, Box 508 Nelson, B.C.

FOR SALE—SMALL HOUSE, EIGHteen fruit trees full bearing, 75 chicks, coups; lot 50x138 to 20 foot lane; water and light; $1450. Small payment, balance monthly. Also one lot with 20 trees and some chickens. Apply Owner, on lot 28 Eighth avenue, East Burnaby, between Second and Fourth street, one and one-half blocks from car.

FOR SALE—SMALL HOUSE, SHEDS, coop and chickens, 21 fruit trees full bearing; lot 5, 50x132 feet, garden and vegetables; Ninth avenue, Burnaby, between Second and Fourth streets. Price $1350; very easy terms. Apply on premises.

FOR SALE—CHEAP FOR IMMEDIate sale, six roomed house, block from city car. A. L. N., News office.

FOR SALE—A BELL PIANO, ALmost new. 408 Fifth street.

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.

TO THOSE LOOKING FOR A NEW location with unlimited possibilities for prosperity—Fort Fraser, B. C., on the Grand Trunk Pacific, keeps open house. Two stores, a saw mill and other industries already started. Bank, hotel, club house and many different lines of business to be ready in the fall. Rich surrounding agricultural country. Whether you are looking for an opportunity in town or a farming location, call or write for details and literature. Fort Fraser Development Club, W. A. Matheson, Secretary, Vancouver office, 102 Winch building.

LOST.

LOST—AT THE PICNIC ON BOWEN Island Tuesday, a lady's silver watch. Finder please return to A. Griase, care of Windsor hotel.

LOST — A SMALL BLACK AND white fox terrier with collar and city license No. 93 attached. Any person returning the same to 115 Third street will be suitably rewarded.

FOUND.

FOUND — BETWEEN SAPPERTON and Coquitlam, a white and liver setter dog. If not claimed in seven days and expenses paid will be sold to defray cost. C. G. Wheeler, 315 Brunette street, Sapperton.

TO RENT.

FOR RENT—NICE COOL, AIRY rooms, modern, new furniture, abundance of hot water; no noise; no bar. Sterling hotel, Royal avenue and Tenth street.

WHITE ROCK—CAMPS—TENTS ON platforms with veranda fronts, to rent this month; also a three room cottage. Apply to E. H. Sands, manager for White, Shiles & Co., White Rock.

TO RENT — HOUSE AT 220 Seventh street. Enquire Allenbough, 224 Seventh street.

TO RENT—FIRST CLASS FURNISHed rooms by day or week; phone and bath free. 654 Columbia street (over Royal Bank of Canada). Prices moderate. Phone 1099.

TO RENT—EIGHT ROOMED HOUSE on Keary street, half block from Columbia, on two large lots, terraced lawn, fruit trees, etc., very desirable. $25 per month. Apply to 220 Keary street.

FOR RENT—LARGE, AIRY, WELL lighted room, 30x30 feet, in Hardman block, suitable for office or workroom or may easily be divided to make a two or three room apartment suite. For terms apply Westminster Daily News.

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

TO RENT—LARGE AIRY FRONT bedroom, furnished. Terms reasonable. 720 Agnes street.

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

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

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

PERSONAL.

BUILDERS AND PLUMBERS, FOR cement blocks, chimneys, brick laundry tubs, drain file and fireproof, germproof, waterproof, sanitary plastic flooring, see J. W. McCallum, Westminster Trust block Phones: Office 424; house L 885.

INVESTORS' INVESTMENT CO.

OKANAGAN ORCHARD—Ten acres all planted and under irrigation at $500 an acre. Choice district. Will consider good proposition to trade.

BLACKSMITH SHOP FOR SALE—Fully equipped. Excellent turnover. Snap price $500.

LARGE FURNISHED APARTMENT house for rent. Three year and a half lease. $125 a month. Rooms all full. Eleven suites.

BUILDERS ATTENTION—We have a choice building lot on Sixth avenue, facing on two streets, 50x140. Fine proposition for two houses. Can be bought at snap price. Call and see us.

THREE LOTS ON WISE ROAD—each 34x145 to lane; $600 cash. Terms for balance. No. 41.

LARGE eight roomed cottage, completely modern, furnace, laundry, fully and comfortably furnished throughout. $6500; one-third cash. Terms 6, 12, 18 and 24 months. No. 57.

FINE SIXTH STREET LOT, 60X 119.75 for $2600; third cash; terms 6, 12 and 18 months. This is a money-maker.

See Us About Highland Home.

INVESTORS' INVESTMENT CO.

Real Estate and Insurance.
Notary Public.
Curtis Block, New Westminster, B.C.
Telephone 295. P. O. Box 777.

T. D. COLDICUTT

Store, 34x16, for rent. Good opening for a restaurant.

New cottage for rent; one and a half blocks from Sixth street car line.

Suite of unfurnished rooms for rent.

T. D. COLDICUTT

Coldicutt Block, Fourth Avenue
Phone 719. East Burnaby, B.C. and Sixth Street.

COME TO THE

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WHITE LABOR ONLY.
HOME COOKING.

ABOVE T. J. TRAPP & CO.
Corner Lorne and Columbia Streets.

The flies that are now in your kitchen and dining-room were probably feasting on some indescribable nastiness less than an hour ago, and as a single fly often carries many thousands of disease germs attached to its hairy body, it is the duty of every housekeeper to assist in exterminating this worst enemy of the human race.

WILSON'S FLY PADS

kill flies in such immense quantities as cannot be approached by any other fly killer.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Local Improvement Notice.

The Municipal Council of the City of New Westminster having by Resolution determined and specified that it is desirable to carry out the following work, that is to say:

To construct a lane twenty (20) feet wide between Mowat street and Eleventh street and between Queen's avenue and Third avenue, and for that purpose to purchase portions of Subdivision 3 of Lot 45, Subdivision 12 of Lot 46, and Lot 26, all in Suburban Block 5, City of New Westminster.

And that the said works be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General Bylaw 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 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 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 Sixth day of August, A. D., 1912.

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

Date of first publication August 7, 1912.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

Mr. O. H. Rathburn is not employed by the Underwriters Dominion Match Co., Ltd., or the Dominion Match Co. Ltd. The public will kindly take due notice of the above.

(Signed)
Underwriters Dominion Match Co. Ltd
Dominion Match Co., Ltd.

NOTICE OF ASSIGNMENT.

Pursuant to the Creditors Trust Deeds Act and Amending Acts.

NOTICE is hereby given that STARKS LIMITED, carrying on business as Dealers in Boots, Shoes, etc., at No. 823 Granville Street and No. 156 Cordova Street West, Vancouver, B. C., and at No. 445 Columbia Street, New Westminster, B. C., has by deed dated 20th July, 1912, assigned all its estate, real and personal credits and effects to RALPH CLARK, of Vancouver, B. C., Salesman for the purpose of satisfying rateably and proportionately and without preference or priority all its creditors.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the creditors of the said Starks Limited will be held at the office of Ames Holden McCready Limited, at No. 403 Cordova Street West, Vancouver, B. C., on the 3rd day of August, 1912, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons, firms and corporations having claims against the said Starks Limited are required to forward particulars of the same duly verified by statutory declaration to the said Ralph Clark addressed to him at No. 403 Cordova Street West, Vancouver, B. C., on or before the 3rd day of September, 1912, and that all persons indebted to the said Starks Limited are required to pay the amount due by them to the said Ralph Clark forthwith.

AND NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that after the said 3rd day of September, 1912, the assignee will proceed to distribute the assets of the estate among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims duly verifed of which he shall then have received notice, and will not be responsible for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose debt or claim he shall not then have received notice by duly verified claim.

DATED this 22nd July, 1912.

HARRIS BULL HANNINGTON & MASON,
Solicitors for the assignee.

IT PAYS TO ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY NEWS

MORE WONDERFUL WIRELESS USAGES

British Army Equipped with "Knapsack Stations" Borne on Backs of Four Men.

London, Aug. 7.—The war office has appointed a committee to enquire into the adaptation of the recent remarkable developments in wireless telegraphy to the needs of the army. The chairman of the committee is Sir Henry Norman, the author and traveler.

Interesting experiments are about to be undertaken by the French government in connection with the use of Hertzian waves for fog signals. It is believed that the experiment will prove of great value to navigation as vessels equipped with its apparatus will receive warning when the usual lights cannot be seen.

One great difficulty is that of establishing direction so as to enable a mariner to determine from which direction a message has come. Several English and Italian investigators have now, it is stated, formulated practical schemes and by means of a radio-compass, ships will get their bearings accurately.

A complete wireless installation which can be carried in the knapsacks of four men is the latest development in radio-telegraphy adopted by the British army. A "knapsack station" has a range of about ten miles. It is carried in knapsacks strapped on the backs of soldiers, four men each carrying a load of twenty pounds. The mast is about thirty feet in height and extremely light, though of rigid construction, being made chiefly of aluminum in tube form.

MANSLAUGHTER CHARGE

Driver of Eburne Car Arraigned at Gray—Adjournment.

Kerrisdale, Aug. 7.—William Henry Hayes, motorman of the B. C. Electric interurban tram which last Saturday night near Eburne struck a wagon driven by Benjamin Sands, the accident resulting fatally to Sands was this morning arraigned in police court here on a charge of manslaughter. He was defended by Mr. A. E Beck, and Mr. W. H. Ladner appeared for the muicipality of Point Grey The hearing took place before Reeve Harvey and Magistrate Stewart. The latter was called in to act as the necessary second justice of the peace on the bench.

The information charging Hayes with manslaughter was sworn to by the Point Grey police, but at whose instance they refused to state in court this morning. The case was adjourned till Monday at 2:30 o'clock.

Hayes requested to be allowed his liberty on his own recognizance, but Mr. Ladner insisted on bail being put up. It was finally arranged that the bail should consist of Hayes' bond in the sum of $1000 with two additional sureties of $1000 each. Hayes resides at 36 Keefer street, Vancouver.

CHILD GROUND TO DEATH IN THRESHING MACHINE

Lacrosse, Wash., Aug. 7.—The four-year-old son of John Hills was ground to death in his father's threshing machine near here today. The boy was playing around the self-feeder while the crew was cleaning up a setting. His clothing was caught by the feed and he was carried under the knives of the straw-cutter. Before the crew could stop the machine, the little fellow's body had been carried to the cylinder and was ground to bits by the sharp teeth.

ANOTHER WAR EXPECTED.

Declaration of Hostilities Between Italy and Montenegro Probable.

Vienna, Aug. 7.—Declaration of war between Turkey and Montenegro is expected here hourly, as a result of Montenegro's activity on the Turkish frontier. It is generally believed here that Russia is encouraging Montenegro.

King Nicholas of Montenegro snubbed the Turkish minister when the later demanded an explanation for Montenegro's stand. Receiving an evasive reply, the Turkish minister prepared today to go to Constantinople. Unless King Nicholas recedes from his aggressive stand, and it is not believed that he will, it is expected that hostilities will start within the next week.

Denounced the Dead.

Jersey City, N. J., Aug. 7.—Standing at the coffin of Max Kunow, a suicide at whose funeral he was asked to preside, the Rev. Gottlieb Andrae, of St John's evangelical church, bitterly denounced Kunow as a contemptible coward. Kunow's relatives shuddered. Although there was murmuring among the mourners no outward demonstration followed. Church leaders here today bitterly denounced the pastor.

Strike Threatened.

Port Arthur, Ont., Aug. 8.—Unless the C. N. R. complies with the demands of the rail handlers at the rail dock, a strike is threatened. The men sent an ultimatum to the company Saturday, asking for 30 cents an hour, full time for men injured at work and time to commence as soon as they are checked into a job. They are now getting 25 cents an hour and no additional pay for overtime.

VICTORIA'S PROGRAM.

Visitors and Conventions Flock to the Capital City.

Victoria, Aug. 7.—A number of engagements of a social character will be effective in bringing the claims of the city before the outside public during the next two months. The Flying Legion, of course, is the principal subject of preparation, because it is the cause of an organized effort for which arrangements have been in progress for months, and as it includes the mayor of San Francisco (James Rolph, Jr.), ex-Governor Gillett, President Wheeler, of the University of California, and Luther Burbank, the horticultural wizard, the personnel of the party is above the ordinary. The visit covers five days, and then in the middle of the following month the general passenger agents of the American railroads will be here for a few hours on Sept. 14. The waning days of September will be occupied with the provincial fair and the governor-general's visit to Victoria.

The Pacific Coast Passenger Agents Association is to hold its next meeting in the city on Aug. 22, and this will bring together a number of prominent persons identified with the transportation work on the coast.

The Canadian Forestry Association will occupy the legislative chambers in the first week of September, an assembly of men of the highest reputation in the country, while a visiting party of British financiers, including two or three well-known members of the Imperial parliament, will be in Victoria in the second or third week in September.

While last fall Victoria had an unusually large number of Old Country parliamentarians here, the popularity of Canada is likely to bring out several more this fall. Apart from the ministers whom the Canadian Government has invited, including the first lord of the admiralty, there are likely to be seen several men of influence in financial and social circles here next month on various missions.

Mail Contract.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 13th September, 1912, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed Contract for four years as required — times per week each way, between New Westminster P. O. and street letter boxes, etc., from the 1st October next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of New Westminster and at the office of the Post Office Inspector at Vancouver.

G. C. ANDERSON,
Superintendent.
Post Office Department, Mail Service Branch, Ottawa, 31st July, 1912.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Tenders for Extending Reservoir.

The Corporation invites tenders for building a concrete wall around the High Level Reservoir, Sapperton.

Plans and Specifications and further information can be obtained from the office of the City Engineer.

Tenders to be accompanied by a check of 5 per cent of the value of tender.

Tenders to be deposited with the City Clerk not later than 5 o'clock on the 12th day of August, 1912.

W. A. DUNCAN,
City Clerk.

City Hall, July 29, 1912.

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Westminster Daily News

NOTICE!

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has received a despatch from the Military Secretary to His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, Governor-General of Canada, setting forth the program of the tour of His Royal Highness in British Columbia during September and October next. The following places will be visited:

Kamloops—3 p. m. to 6:15 p. m. on the 17th September.

Vancouver— 3 p. m. on the 18th September to evening of 20th.

New Westminster—On 21st September.

Prince Rupert—11 a. m. on 23rd September to evening of 25th (including a possible visit to Hazelton).

Nanaimo—11 a. m. to 1 p. m., on the 27th September.

Victoria—Evening of 27th September to 3rd October.

Vernon—Morning of 4th October to 11 a. m. on same day.

Penticton—4 p. m. on 4th October to 5 p. m. on 5th.

Robson via Arrowhead—7 p. m. to 9 p. m. on 6th October.

Nelson—Morning of 7th October till noon on same day.

Kootenay Landing—6 p. m. on 7th, leaving early next day.

Provincial Secretary's Office, Victoria, 5th July, 1912.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Local Improvement Notice—Widening of Cemetery Street.

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 purchase certain properties in order that Cemetery street may be widened from Cumberland Street to Alberta Street. And that said works be carried out in accordance with the provisions of the "Local Improvement General Bylaw 1912."

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

Notice is hereby given that the said report is 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 work 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 23rd day of July, 1912.

J. B. RUSHTON,
Acting City Clerk.

Date of first publication 24th July, 1912.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Local Improvement Notice.

The Municipal Council of the City of New Westminster having by resolution determined and specified that it is desirable to carry out the following works, that is to say:

To grade, pave, lay cement sidewalks, curbs, storm sewers, gutters, drains, water mains, instal electric lighting systems and any other work contingent thereto on the following streets:

Sixth Avenue from 4th to 6th street.

Sixth Street from 4th to 6th Avenue.

Fifth Street from 3rd to 6th Avenue.

Leopold Place from Columbia Street to Royal Avenue.

Queen's Avenue from 1st to 6th Street.

Sixth Street from Front to Columbia Street.

Regina Street from 1st to 4th Street.

Fourth Street from Columbia Street to Royal Avenue.

McKenzie Street from Front Street to Columbia Street.

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

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Acting City Clerk.

Date of first publication July 24th, 1912.

FIVE YEARS EACH FOR SUFFRAGETTES

Guilty of Hatchet Throwing at the Premier's Carriage and Setting Fire to Theatre.

Dublin, Ireland, Aug. 7.—Mary Leigh, the suffragette who was tried today on the charge of wounding John E. Redmond, leader of the Irish parliamentary party with a hatchet she had thrown at Premier Asquith's carriage on July 19, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

Gladys Evans, whose sentence was reserved yesterday after she had been found guilty of setting fire on July 18 to the Theatre Royal here, in which Mr. Asquith was billed to speak the following day on home rule, also was sentenced to a term of five years.

Lizzie Baker, charged with being an accomplice of Miss Evans, pleaded guilty and was sentenced to seven months' imprisonment.

The Trial.

Dublin, Aug. 7.—Four militant suffragettes were put on trial here yesterday on the charge of having committed serious outrages at the time of the visit to Dublin of the British Prime Minister and Miss Gladys Evans was found guilty of setting fire, July 18, to the Theatre Royal, where Mr. Asquith was to speak the following day on Home Rule.

The charge against Miss Mabel Caper, who was accused of being an accomplice of Miss Evans, was withdrawn, while Miss Lizzie Baker, also accused as an accessory, pleaded guilty to damaging property.

The jury disagreed in the case of Miss Mary Leigh and she will be tried today on the charge of wounding Mr. John E. Redmond, leader of the Irish parliamentary party, who was hit with a hatchet thrown at the Premier's carriage while it was proceeding with the ministerial party to the hotel.

Sentence was reserved in the case of the convicted women.

A great crowd filled the court room and gathered outside. Mr. Timothy Healy, chief counsel for the women, was hooted when he entered. He demanded the exclusion from the jury of all members of the Society of Molly Maguires. He said that he refused to be insulted by them and did not doubt that they were there by the government's orders.

The attorney-general for Ireland, Mr. C. A. O'Connor, with three assistants, conducted the prosecution. He scribed the attempt to burn the theatre and said it was only by a miracle that it escaped destruction. Witnesses testified to seeing Miss Evans and another woman putting oil on the carpet and box curtains and trying to set them on fire and also to putting matches in a cinematograph box. The police testified that the first performance was ended and the house nearly empty when the attempt was made. The Evans woman struggled when arrested and said: "This is only the beginning. There will be more explosions at the next performance."

Miss Evans declared that she had gone to the theatre for the purpose of burning it. A cabinet member, Mr. C. E. Hobhouse (chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster), had told them, she said that they would be justified in doing so.

Mr. Healy's cross-examination developed the assertion that Mr. Hobhouse in the course of a speech had said that the suffragettes would accomplish nothing unless they began to burn houses. Mr. Healy in addressing the jury, said Miss Evans was not a criminal.

"She is one of those," he added, "who claim a right to vote for the selection of the members of parliament, who from what I have seen of them are not the extraordinary body of sacrosanct persons they imagine themselves.

ROSENTHAL MURDER

Important Evidence Against Becker and Men "Higher Up."

New York, Aug. 7.—With the evidence against three police officials and one civilian furnished by W. J. Burns in the hands of District Attorney Whitman, the real death struggle between "the system" and the law, growing out of the Rosenthal murder is on today.

Detective Burns has found the official record of the telephone call Jack Rose claims he made on Police Lieut. Becker 20 minutes after the murder of Herman Rosenthal. This is regarded as corroborative evidence of the highest importance as regards certain portions of Rose's story.

Burns is said to have obtained his evidence of graft among "higher-ups" by opening and operating a gambling house in the tenderloin here and paying for police protection.

Through his knowledge of money, Burns was enabled to trace the money his house paid for graft to the banks and leared the names of the last depositors. This was done by the simple method of retaining records of the numbers on the bills paid out and the evidence thus obtained will soon be produced against "the system."

GIVING AWAY LIBRARIES.

Edmonton Disturbed by Offer of Laird of Skibo.

Edmonton, Alta., Aug. 7.—If Edmonton has a Carnegie Library, it will not be the library board that is to be thanked. That organization last night washed its hands of the whole negotiations with the ironmaster and placed the disposal of his proffered $60,000 at the discretion of Commissioner Harrison.

The whole trouble is that Carnegie has based his offer on the recent Dominion census of some 23,000, while the recent civic census gives Edmonton 55,385. The library board has recommended that Carnegie's gold be refused with thanks and that the citizens erect a much more pretentious institution themselves.

CROPS ARE NEARLY READY TO HARVEST

Begin Cutting Barley—Early Start Means Bulk Will Be of Contract Grade.

Winnipeg, Aug. 7.—Optimism is the idea that runs through 99 per cent of the reports received by the Telegram from its western correspondents in answer to a query sent out last night as to crop conditions.

A most gratifying feature of the reports is the remarkable progress made during the last two weeks. The grain is filling well and is now turning color.

The barley harvest is starting at most points. Fall wheat in Alberta is largely in the shock and odd fields of spring wheat are already down. Harvest will be general from Aug. 10 to Aug. 20. In the majority of places Aug. 15 is given as the probable date of starting cutting.

This is early and means that with good harvest weather the great bulk of the crop will be of contract grade. Should the West produce 150,000,000 bushels of hard wheat, as there seems every possibility it will, it means that its crop this season will be the dominating factor in the world's markets.

Exact estimates of acreage and yield are not possible, but taking the figures of the federal department of agriculture as a basis, and working out per centages of increase and decrease in acreage from former crop reports they are as follows:

Manitoba, 3 per cent decrease; Saskatchewan, increase 10 per cent; Alberta, increase 10 per cent.

Basing the crop yields at 21 bushels for wheat, 50 for oats, 25 for barley and 12 1-2 for flax the total yields will be: Wheat 208,362,000; oats 209,800,000 bushels; barley 21,200,000 bushels; flax 16,737,000 bushels.

MOVING FOR PEACE

Mexican Government Representatives to Meet Rebel Leader.

Mexico City, Mex., Aug. 7.—Representatives of the government will meet with Emiliano Zapata, the rebel leader at El Kilguero, Morelos, tomorrow to discuss measures aiming at peace in the southern part of the republic. Zapata has declared he would consider no peace proposal unless it contained Madero's resignation. But the government has proceeded with plans for the conference and the cabinet has been instructed to obtain an armistice if it can.

Whether the commission will consider the resignation of Madero is highly improbable but it is felt that once the peace conference is begun terms can be made that do not include such provision, since the principal complaints of the Zapatas have been the ownership of lands.

MASTER OF ELIBANK

Another Peer's Son to Receive Peerage in Own Right.

London, Aug. 7.—It is positively stated that Rt. Hon. Alexander Oliphant Murray, Master of Elibank and eldest son and heir of Lord Elibank, the Scottish peer, is about to have a peerage of the United Kingdom conferred upon him. The Master of Elibank was promoted in 1910 from the under-secretaryship of state for India to the parliamentary secretary to the treasury, the principal duty of this post being to act as chief government whip. His remarkable success in the last two years and particularly his efforts to save the government from defeat on a snap division during the interminable committee stage of the Home Rule Bill, have rendered his promotion to cabinet rank merely a matter of the first vacancy which can occur. His name has been mentioned in connection wit the governor-generalship of South Africa, but it is semi-officially intimated that the successor of Viscount Gladstone to that office is a matter which has already been settled.

MAY HAVE WARSHIP TO BRING THEM HOME

London, Aug. 7.—The Canadian ministers are experiencing difficulty in securing accommodations for their return journey, owing to the rush of passenger traffic and to the mishap to the Empress of Britain. The admiralty, however, may solve the difficulty by placing a warship at their disposal.

Rt. Hon. R. L. Borden, Hon. L. P. Pelletier and Hon. C. J. Doherty were guests of Mr. John Redmond at tea in the House of Commons yesterday. Several matters relative to Irish trade in Canada were discussed, including the question of an Irish trade mark and separate statistics of Irish imports into the Dominion.

Mr. Redmond tendered the Canadian ministers an invitation to visit Ireland. Mr. Doherty expressed the intention of going and Mr. Borden possibly may go.

The Premier spent the week-end with Mr. Waldorf Astor, M. P.

REAL ESTATE MAN IS BLOWN TO PIECES

Portland, Aug. 7.—Through a mysterious explosion which destroyed his residence at Lents, a suburb, late last night, Percy Warren, a real estate dealer, was blown to atoms. Warren had just returned home from a visit to a neighbor when a terrific explosion aroused the entire district. Investigation revealed Warren's house in flames, and portions of his body were found scattered in several directions. The appearance of the house after the explosion indicated that dynamite had been the agency by which Warren's life was destroyed.

It is said by friends of the dead man that Warren kept dynamite in the house which he used clearing land of stumps. This is believed to have been set off in some way after the fire started.

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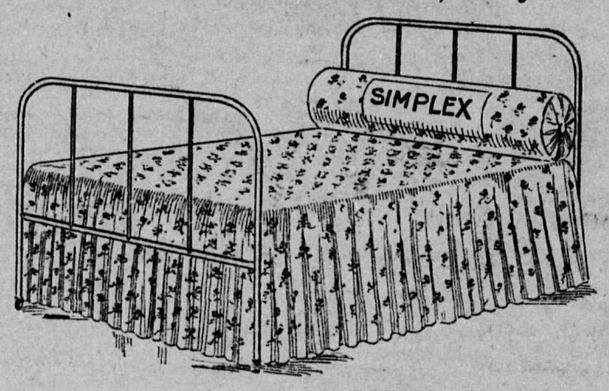

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SEEING THE PENINSULA

It is an excellent thing to note that the languorous hot weather of these present days has little effect upon the activities of the Progressive association, and we trust that the suggestion voiced at its recent executive meeting will grow into actuality by the kindly co-operation of the tramway company.

This suggestion was that the observation car should traverse the interurban lines between this city and Vancouver via Eburne and Burnaby Lake at least once a day. If this be done there is no doubt that the innovation will prove of material benefit to all concerned.

To a surprisingly large number of people in Vancouver the province of British Columbia is summed up in the "sea of mountains" idea—an idea by the way which will take some time to remove from many minds—and in like manner there are very many people there who have but a scanty idea of the surrounding districts and the city of Westminster.

To them the extended route of the car should prove of value when they feel inclined for an open air run. But it is to the visitors in our midst that the most benefit is likely to accrue, and the scheme should enable them to grasp in the shortest possible time the lay of the land on the peninsula, the relation of the Fraser and Burrard Inlet.

At present visitors spending a brief period in Vancouver hear very little of New Westminster. If they can be brought to the city by this means, and the many objects of interest intelligently pointed out to them both here and on their route hither, much all round good will have been accomplished.

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT.

The bribery scandal in Detroit furnishes another opportunity for reflection upon the difference between the method and tone of civic government in Great Britain and the United States. In the British Isles a city corporation is regarded very much as if it were a joint stock company. In such a company none but the shareholders are allowed to vote, and they choose the very best men within their circle to conduct their affairs. The directors engage expert workers and superintendents, and continue the period of their employment, or promote them, strictly on business principles.

And then, there is also in every British community a feeling that public service is an honor, and an avenue to distinction. A city council is a lesser parliament. The aldermen, as a rule, are men either of inherited wealth or with fortunes amassed in business, who can afford to serve the public without thought of personal gain, and who, because of their financial independence and their sense of honor, are infinitely above the realm of "graft."

Such men remain in municipal life year after year, patiently administering the affairs of the corporation with tried ability, and finding their reward in the social prominence attaching to their position, as well as in the consciousness of duty well done. Neither politics nor the whim of a newcomer at the aldermanic board can affect the tenure of office of the expert staff.

In the United States, business men seem to feel that the only occupation in life worthy of their powers is the making of dollars. Rarely does a man retire before he is worn out. His occupation is so absorbing that he cares little for social life, only easing the strain by such diversion as he can find at a vaudeville theatre. Of civic virtue he has practically none. If he had time to attend to municipal affairs, he would be repelled by the class of men with whom he would have to associate—the efflorescence of republican institutions.

The typical alderman is a man who in England would be regarded as only fit for the penitentiary—an unscrupulous ward politician, with a gang of heelers, better termed thugs, in his own bailliwick, and himself amenable only to the will of a Tammany boss. Graft, instead of being an exception, is the rule. Corporations wanting privileges, contractors wanting slices of patronage—all, in fact, who have any serious business with the city council, have to make terms with the powers that be, and usually for a good round sum.

In the expert staff there are very decent men; but they never know when they will have to give place to other men, and if they fail to wink at the rascality they see, they go, and stand not on the order of their going.

In Canada, fortunately, the British standard of civic government still prevails. Our aldermen, as a rule, are successful men of business, who either after retirement or in the midst of their business career, are willing to give time and strength to the welfare of the communities with which they are identified.

Such men feel repaid in the consciousness of civic patriotism exercised and in the gratitude of the people whose interests they so faithfully serve. As Canada grows, changes may supervene, but it is to the mother country, and not to our afflicted neighbors, that we should look for our model.—Hamilton Spectator.

CANADA'S BETTER PLAN.

Canadians this year are afforded a practical opportunity of observing the large disturbance which a United States presidential election causes in the business world. Indirectly this disturbance has cost Canada many thousands of dollars this summer.

Along the St. Lawrence, and amid the Thousand Islands, reside each summer thousands of Americans. Men able to afford Thousand Island cottages are usually at the head of some extensive business or occupy influential official positions. This year the American summer population along the river and about the islands is less by from 15 to 20 per cent than the usual. Direct interest in the election, the occupation of positions in political spheres which require their presence and work all summer, accounts for the absence of some of these men. But, mostly, the disturbance to business through uncertainty as to the tariff in view of the coming election has cut down so many incomes that the summer has to be spent in the city.

All over the United States complaints are rife amongst business men as to the effect of politics on business. Merchants will not give orders hoping that some change in the tariff will result to their benefit, and a standstill is threatened in many industries and pursuits.

Canada's manner of government seems to approach the ideal closer than that of most countries. The disturbance to business at four year intervals through a presidential election is avoided, while, on the other hand the country escapes the financial burden imposed by Royalty and a court —Ottawa Free Press.

LAND TAXATION IN AUSTRALASIA.

Now that the movement in favor of the taxation of land values is in progress with the virtual approval of the government the result of its operation in the Australasian states has become of unusual interest. The principle was given practical effect by New South Wales in 1896, and a year later Sir George Reid, then premier, and now high commissioner in London for the commonwealth of Australia declared that the land tax small as it was, had killed the trade of the land gambler. Besides providing revenue he held that it had penalized the gambler holding for a rise and had thus brought a measure of prosperity to the rest of the community. Following the adoption of the land tax it was officially claimed that in four years the area of cultivated land had increased by nearly a million acres. The report further pointed out that while in New South Wales there had been an excess of arrivals over departures, in the adjoining state of Victoria, about equal in population and resources, the emigration had considerably exceeded the immigration.

In 1905 New South Wales, satisfied with its experience, extended its system of land value taxation by dividing the state into shares, increasing the rating of land values and exempting improvements. This action was followed by further expansion. A message from Sydney, the capital of New South Wales, on Dec. 11, 1911, states that the city was growing at a marvelous pace and that the building operations of that year constituted a record. Excluding those of a public character, 6563 buildings were completed in 11 at a cost of over $28,000,000, and in the four years 22,211 buildings had been erected, costing over $60 000,000. New Zealand, which preceded New South Wales, in taxing land values, had a similar experience, the land under cultivation continually increasing between 1891 and 1898 by millions of acres and the value of improvements by nearly $100,000,000. The taxation of land values has largely broken up the great Australasian land monopolies, and its success has been so evident that no public man favors its repeal. The demand is rather for its more drastic application.—Toronto World.

Subscription Prices.

All over the civilized world the prices of subscriptions to papers are insufficent. The present prices put our newspapers on an unsound basis both morally and physically, because they are obliged to pay more for their paper than they can sell it for when it is printed. Thus they come to depend upon their advertising to make enough profit to cover the losses on their circulation. On this basis the one cent daily becomes an immoral thing. It means that the editor leans too much upon his advertising and the inference of course is that he must be more or less controlled by his advertisers. By charging enough for the paper, so that a profit be made independently the editor would be placed on a more independent basis.

NO MORE LOVE LETTERS.

Uncle Sam Decrees Young Girls Shall Be Checked.

Cupid has received another jolt by the decision of Postmaster-General Hitchcock, of the United States, to curtail the use of the general delivery by young girls. In the future, according to his decree, all young misses who expect love missives handed to them through the general delivery windows the entire country over must give their addresses and the reasons why their letters should not be sent direct to their homes.

"It is just perfectly horrid," says Mamie, whose dainty feet once trod the pavements of Buffalo.

"It is like this," said one with curly curls. "Some of the girls, when they are young, frequently meet young men and mutual affection results. Very frequently the girl's parents are very strict and refuse to allow her to correspond with young men until she reaches a certain age. To get over that obstacle, her friend writes to the general delivery, where up to the present she has received her letters. But from now on, I guess, there will be nothing doing."

The other side of the question is different, according to the local postoffice officials. Inquiries elicited the information that the entire staff was heartily in favor of the stand taken by Postmaster-General Hitchcock.

"There are simply hosts and hosts of young scamps of girls who get their letters at the general delivery in Hamilton," said one of the officials. "The number is surprising. They come here in a continual stream all day. Young girls who are engaged in clandestine correspondence with men deceive their parents by securing their letters at the general delivery windows, and very frequently serious results ocur for them. In many cases the general delivery system is necessary for strangers or persons without settled abodes, but for young girls there is no excuse."

So far, there has been no word that the Canadian Government intends to introduce a similar regulation restricting the practice.

THE NEW ARCHBISHOP

Distinguished Prelate of St. John, N. B., to Come to Coast.

Vancouver, Aug. 7.—Bishop Casey of St. John, N.B., is to be the next Archbishop of Vancouver, succeeding Archbishop McNeil, who will leave for Toronto as soon as he can set his affairs in order. This much is certain, though the announcement has not yet been publicly made from Rome. The new archbishop, it is expected, will arrive in Vancouver in a very few weeks to assume the duties of his new position.

The Right Rev. Timothy Casey D.D., was born at Flumeridge, Charlotte county, New Brunswick, on February 20, 1862. He was educated at St. Stephen Grammar school and St. Joseph's college, Memramcook, N. B., and pursued his theological studies at Laval university, from which he received the degree of Doctor of Divinity in 1899. He was ordained a priest in Quebec on June 29, 1886, and immediately after became curate at Fredericton. Subsequently he was successively rector of the cathedral at St. John, chancellor of the diocese and rector of St. Dunstan's church, Fredericton. On September 30, 1899, he was made bishop of Utina and coadjutor bishop of St. John with the right of succession to the late Right Rev. John Sweeny. Since 1900 he has been bishop of St. John.

Bishop Casey made a tour of the Holy Land and of Europe in 1905. In 1909 he was a delegate to the Plenary council of the church at Quebec, and in 1910 attended the Eucharistic congress at Montreal. He is known as a broadminded man interested in everything that is for the general good. He has taken a stand strongly in opposition to the liquor traffic.

GERMANS MAY REFUSE BOY SCOUTS LANDING

Leith, Scotland, Aug. 7.—A party of fifty Boy Scouts on board the steamer Coblenz has sailed from this port for Hamburg for a trip to Germany.

Telegrams received from Hamburg say that the authorities there will refuse to allow the Boy Scouts to land apparently regarding them as a part of a military organization.

NINETY YEARS OLD

Father of House of Lords and Grand Nephew of Nelson.

London, Aug. 7.—Earl Nelson, grand nephew of the famous hero of Trafalgar, entered upon his ninetieth year today and was the recipient of many messages of congratulations.

Lord Nelson is the oldest member of the House of Lords, and is still a fairly regular attendant at St. Stephens. He succeeded to the earldom at the age of twelve, but did not take his seat until 1843.

SUFFERING IN CHINA

Terrible Conditions Exist There, Says Returned Missionary.

Seattle, Aug. 7.—E. W. Ellis, for the past eight years stationed at Lintsingchow, province of Shantung, China, as a missionary for the Plymouth church of Seattle, gave today a graphic account of conditions in the famine regions of China.

Mr. Ellis lived on the border of the devastated district of China.

"Much suffering yet exists in the Yellow river valley," he said. "The natives have eaten all weeds, plants, vegetables and bark from the trees, and the stronger have formed robber bands, while the weak are beggars. Native huts are deserted and work is progressing in erecting mammoth dykes and bulkheads to prevent disastrous floods."

GAMBLER REVEALS SYSTEM OF GRAFT

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"fix" the case before the grand jury, Rose charged, provided the unfortunate gambler would "come across." To impress the gambler, Becker would procure further warrants, threatening to continue his raids as long as the gambler refused to pay blackmail. Specific instances are given.

Rose said that his own acquaintance began when Becker raided his gambling house. Rose said he then became a stool pigeon for Becker in his raiding activities and later his collector.

Rose substantiated all that Rosenthal had charged as to Becker being his partner in the Rosenthal gambling house. He said that Becker got 32½ per cent. of the "play," 20 per cent. on his own account and one-half of Rose's share, which was 25 per cent.

The district attorney obtained telephone records substantiating Rose's story that a few minutes after the murder of Rosenthal, Rose called Becker up and asked him to come down at once, and that he communicated by telephone with Becker several times that day.

Becker saw newspaper men in his cell today. When he was asked if it was true that "the system" was collecting a $50,000 fund to defend him he replied: "I have engaged John F. McIntyre to conduct my case by advice of my counsel, John W. Hart. No system will suggest my counsel. I am master of my own case."

CARIBOO LODGE

Mr. Wade Returns—Was on Prospecting Trip Also.

Publicity Commissioner Wade returned to the city yesterday morning after two days sojourn in the upper country where he participated in the rather diverse occupations of hunting geological specimens and attending the institution of the Cariboo lodge at Kamloops.

In company with an expert mining engineer, who for a time was in the employ of the Russian government and who later worked for the two largest transportation companies in operation in the United States, Mr Wade spent part of Monday investigating the possibilities of certain lands along the line of a railway in the upper part of the province.

Mr. Wade has traversed these lands before when collecting specimens for the American expositions, and although he was not in a position to state the results or object of his mission yesterday, he admitted that a mineral discovery of magnitude might be made known in a few days.

On Tuesday morning Mr. Wade went to Kamloops where he took part in the institution of Cariboo lodge No 2, the central organization of which he assisted in fostering a few weeks back. The headquarters of this lodge is at Ashcroft, B.C., and the aims and objects of the order are stated to be for perpetuating and fostering a national spirit, and recording the history of present and pioneer days.

Thirty-five members were admitted to the lodge at Kamloops, the following officers being elected: Past chief pioneer, J. T. Robinson; chief pioneer J. L. Burien; vice-chief pioneer, R Unwin; historian, F. E. Simpson; secretary, A. B. Hogg; treasurer, E Hodgson; guide, F. A. Kelly; inside sentry, J. A. Wilson; outside sentry, O. A. Benson.

Burned to Death.

Coalt, Mont., Aug. 7.—A log shack on Granite creek, famous as a jail in the gold rush in the '80's, burned early today, and Earnest Eplett, who occupied the cabin, was burned to death. The building contained one large room and two cells, in one of which Eplett slept. When he was awakened by flames, escape by the only possible exit, the cabin door, was cut off there being no window in the cell.

At Athabasca Landing.

Edmonton, Alta., Aug. 7.—General Superintendent Wilcox of the C. N. R. says that all of the construction work on the Athabasca Landing branch is practically completed and as soon as permission has been secured the railway commission and the company will be ready to give a regular passenger and freight service to the farthest railroad point north.

English Bay Case.

Vancouver, Aug. 7.—A charge against William S. Borden, who was prosecuted under a section of the vagrancy act, was dismissed in the police court this morning by Magistrate Procter. Borden was arrested at English Bay beach on Sunday afternoon after he had held an unasked conversation with Miss Miller, one of the two women police officers. Borden was charged with obstructing traffic, but no evidence along this line was submitted and the case was dismissed.

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SPORTS

Sporting Events of Today.

East Burnaby vs. Coquitlam at Queens park, 6:30 o'clock.
Roverts Soccer club practice on Moody park.

ALL STARS WALK AROUND THE HERD

Moose Go Down with Daylight—Weingartner and Christianson Were Features.

Mr. J. O'Connell, of Butte, Montana, pitched. That is the answer to the result of last night's ball game when the All-Stars outshone the Moose. Such an exhibition of twirling as he gave, backed by sterling work on the part of his teammates was sufficient to encourage a ball team to do its best at the bat and in the field.

Last evening's encounter between the All-Stars and the Moose had everything that has been dished out to the fans this season nailed to the main mast. It went a full six innings, and furnished the fans with plenty of thought that this city has some ball players in its midst after all.

A little cyclone struck the park after the sixth when the herd, not counting the few straggling wisps of daylight in the air, desired to continue the session another stanza. Not so, however, with Umpire Maiden, who there and then stated that it would be an injustice to the populace, and would endanger the lives of the players themselves if they continued to play in semi-darkness. So the game was called with the All-Stars leading by 7-5.

Mr. Silver, the player who pitched the Balmorals on to victory, was on the mound for the Moose, and before the session ended had been touched up for thirteen safeties.

As for O'Connell, he was peppered quite freely, but his teammates were there with the goods, and allowed but three hits to get by them.

The batting of Weingartner and Christianson were the features of the game, the two burly Maple Leaf slugging the pill at every opportunity The list of casualties follows:

	R.	H.	E.
All-Stars	7	13	5
Moose	5	3	3

Batteries: O'Connell and Brown; Silver and Dwyer.

Basketball League.

There is some talk going on of organizing an international basketball league, consisting of New Westminster, Vancouver, Bellingham and Seattle. The Terminal City septette held on to the championship last winter by defeating Bellingham. There appears to be plenty of material in the city which could hold its own against any other team around these parts of the coast.

FRIDAY'S GAME

Fairviews Will Try Conclusions with Senior Amateurs.

Preparations are being made to start the Senior Amateur-Fairview game tomorrow night at 6:15 o'clock prompt. This will ensure the fans a fair show of witnessing a full game in daylight. The Royals will make a great effort to take the visitors into camp by a good score.

The following is the selection made for the Westminster line-up: Stoddard, goal; Patchell, point; W. Patchell, cover point; Cotton, Gregory and Batson, defence field; Hulme, centre; L. Sangster, R. Sangster, F. Smith, Storme and W. Dawe, home field. Cooper and G. Kelly, spares.

FRASER VALLEY TROPHY.

Member for Dewdney Presents Cup to Riflemen.

Mr. W. J. Manson, M. P. P., Dewdney, has presented a trophy for competition among the Civilian Rifle Associations of the Fraser Valley, confined to Port Moody, Port Haney, Agassiz, North Bend and Hope. The first competition will take place on Aug. 24, and will be shot for by each association on its home range.

This has been agreed on for the first year to eliminate the cost of transportation, hotel bills, etc. The teams will consist of five men, and the ranges 200, 500 and 600. The scores will be sworn to before a J. P. and transmitted to Mr. Manson.

The winning team will retain the trophy for a year when it is open for any of the other mentioned associations to challenge for it, but the competition must take place on the victor's range.

COWES REGATTA

Wet Weather Mars Races—Schooner Ashore—Royalty Present.

London, Aug. 7.—An oilskin and mackintosh-covered crowd watched the races at the Cowes regatta yesterday. When the competitors for the King's Cup reached open water in the neighborhood of Spithead, they encountered heavy seas and squally weather and sailing became almost waterlogged. After the first round only three of the nine starters continued the contest. The kaiser's Meteor was among the first to haul down her sails.

Lord Dunraven's Cariad won the race, Mr. A. K. Strother's Marinquita won the 19-metre class. Mr. Albert Krazzy's auxiliary schooner Czarina went ashore on the Brambles near Southampton.

King George and King Alfonso attended the squadron dinner at night.

GREAT INTEREST IN COMING GAME

Bumper Crowd Looked for Saturday—Vancouver and Western Style of Play.

Indications point to a bumper crowd being at the game on Saturday afternoon. The tickets went on sale yesterday morning and a steady stream of fans visited Ryall's store and the office of Gray and Gilchrist. The grandstand coupons are to be had at the former place, while the bleacher tickets are being sold at the Gray and Gilchrist establishment.

The Salmon Bellies were out for practice last evening and will be out for a run around this evening in preparation for Saturday's game. Buoyed up by the success which has attended their efforts of late the Red Shirts will take the field prepared to administer another dose of defeat medicine to Vancouver.

The Royals realize the importance of winning this game and will start right in from the opening and make no let up until the last gong.

As for Vancouver, it can be expected of them that where there is a straw to catch hold of in their efforts to retain the Minto Cup the imported stars from the East will play one of the best games of the season. They were outplayed last Saturday in the first quarters, but in the last came back with the Western style of play which meant danger to the Salmon Bellies.

The question has been asked will they try the Western style on Saturday? Everything points to it and it should be a game worth seeing Several special cars have been engaged by the followers of the Vancouver team while far and near up the Fraser Valley, enquiries are being made as to the game.

SAPPERTON JUNIORS ARE OFF TOMORROW

Play at Kamloops on Saturday—About Score Make Trip—Manager Optimistic.

Confident of showing the lacrosse teams in the upper country that the national game in the Royal City has by no means taken a backward step, the Sapperton juniors leave here tomorrow morning for Kamloops, where they will play their first game on Saturday afternoon.

The party will number in all some twenty persons, and in order to spread abroad the fair name of New Westminster, badges are being prepared by the Progressive association which will be given to each member of the party to wear on the trip in the interior.

Manager Sid Cameron is optimistic regarding his team, and feels brim full of enthusiasm when it comes to talking about his aggregation of lacrosse stars.

The team will be under the captaincy of Bert Johnston, who has been playing great guns with the intermediate team during the past season. Those who will make up the party will be: Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cameron Miss Chasty, Sid Cameron, Bert Johnston, L. Nelson, A. Hulme, H. Johnston, Jack Chambers, D. Huff, E. Mitchell, A. MacKenzie, C. Little, A. Garrett, A. Follis, J. Middleton, J. McDonald, Guy Atkinson and E. Cameron.

Kamloops will be visited on Saturday. Monday the team will be at Armstrong, Wednesday at Vernon, Friday at Kelowna, and Revelstoke on the following Friday. After this it is probable that a return game will be arranged with Kamloops on the way back. The team will leave the city at 9 o'clock Friday morning.

BASEBALL.

National League.

At Brooklyn—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	7	14	2
Brooklyn	8	12	0

Batteries: Steele, Sallee, Harmon and Bliss, Wingo; Allen and Miller.

At New York—	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	7	16	0
New York	2	8	3

Batteries: O'Toole and Kelly; Mathewson, Kirby and Meyers.

At Philadelphia—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1	6	0
Philadelphia	4	10	1

Batteries: Reulback and Archer; Rixey and Killifer.

At Boston—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	11	15	1
Boston	3	13	2

Batteries: Benton and Clarke; Hess, Donnelly, Brown and Raridan.

American League.

At Chicago—	R.	H.	E.
Washington	10	14	0
Chicago	1	5	3

Batteries: Johnson, Engle and Ainsmith; Lange, Peters and Kuhn.

JOHN ARTHUR NOW TURNS TO BASEBALL

Chicago, Aug. 7.—Jack Johnson, the heavyweight champion of the world is about to become a baseball player. Johnson has made application for the position of first baseman on the American Giants, "Rube" Foster's colored semi-professional team, and will be given a chance for the place.

Manager Foster asked Johnson to report for morning practice for a couple of weeks for the purpose of developing his batting powers. Johnson says he played a fair game of ball several years ago and he has no doubt that he can "come back."

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Any Connection with the Rovers?

At Belfast a football match was played betwen Ireland and Scotland. One of the home supporters, who was getting excited, kept shouting out: "Sit on 'em, Ireland!" An old Scotchman in the crowd, unable to stand it any longer, cried out: "Ye micht be able to sit on the leek, mon, an' mebbe on the rose, but I tell ye, mon, ye canna sit on the thustle."—Manchester Guardian.

DRAGGED TO DEATH.

Former Tecumseh Hockey Player Killed on Prairies.

Weyburne, Sask., Aug. 7.— Hodder McWilliams, homesteader, a few miles south of Pangman, Sask., was found dead early Monday morning at his farm. It looked as though the man had fallen from the rig and got entangled in the wheel, whereat the horse became frightened and dragged him along.

McWilliams was a young man aged 27, and of marked ability in business and sport. At 18 he was considered the star player of the Toronto Tecumsehs hockey team. He brought his fame to the west, leading the Weyburne boys many times to victory.

McWilliams is the son of Dr. J. McWilliams of Dundalk, Ont., and came west with his brother, Bethune five years ago.

MINISTER GOES EAST

Colonel Hon. Sam Hughes Receives Rousing Send-off.

Vancouver, Aug. 7.—Colonel the Hon. Sam Hughes, minister of militia, left for the East this morning, and was given a rousing send-off at the depot. His first stop will be at Calgary and if time permits he will visit Edmonton before reaching Winnipeg. He will sail for England August 21, to attend the army manoeuvres.

METEOROLOGICAL OFFICE EXTENDS USEFULNESS

Ashcroft, Aug. 7.—Mr. Baynes Reed, the chief agent for British Columbia of the Dominion Meteorological Service has been inspecting the various stations in the Cariboo. A new station has been established at Fort George and it is announced that a temperature and rainfall station is to established at Ashcroft. The Rev. Mr. Reeves, Vicar of St. Albans Church, has consented to take the required observations.

Bank Amalgamation.

Ottawa, Aug. 7.—The treasury board will in a few days have before it for consideration the application for the amalgamation of the Royal and Traders bank. The final word, however, as to whether the cabinet council will agree to the merger lies with the government, but it is expected they will be guided largely by the recommendation of the treasury board.

A Sheer Waste of Money.

"When I played politics and little else," observed "Indian Jim" Finlay, "I was delegated to raise a subscription to buy a solid brass chandelier for a well konwn politician who first saw the light of day in the Emerald isle. It was to be a present to him to be installed in the parlor of a new house he was about to move into. Among those I tackled for a contribution was an Irishman who had been born in the same town and came across the pond about the same time as the politician. I told him what was to be bought with the money, and as he put his name down for a fiver, he blurted out:

"I was born and brought up with Blank, and it is like throwing money in the river buying the likes of him a chandelier, as the divil of a note can he play on it."—Kansas City Journal.

Boston's Spinning School.

Comparatively few people know that there was once a "spinning school" on Boston common. Winsor's "Memorial History of Boston" records that upon the arrival in Boston of some Irish spinners and weavers a spinning craze took possession of the town, "and the women, young and old, high and low, rich and poor, flocked into the spinning school, which for want of better quarters was set up in the common, in the open air. Here the whir of their wheels was heard from morning to night." Thirty-five years later the Society For Encouraging Industry and Employing the Poor again used the common as a spinning school, about 300 young women appearing there, seated at their wheels, as a sort of example and advertisement.

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WINNING A BRIDE.

Mark Twain's Wooing of Lovely Olivia Langdon.

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They Seemed to Agree That He Would Make About the Worst Husband on Record, but Miss Langdon's Father Took a Different View.

In Harper's Magazine Albert Bigelow Paine, the authorized biographer of Mark Twain, tells how the great humorist first met Olivia Langdon, who afterward became his wife. They met in New York. Young Charles Langdon, who had been on the voyage of the "Innocents," brought them together.

"At the old St. Nicholas hotel, which stood on the west side of Broadway between Spring and Broome streets, there were stopping at this time Jervis Langdon, a wealthy coal dealer and mine owner of Elmira; his son Charles and his daughter, Olivia, whose pictured face Samuel Clemens had first seen in the bay of Smyrna one September day. Young Langdon had been especially anxious to bring his distinguished Quaker City friend and his own people together, and two days before Christmas Samuel Clemens was invited to dine at the hotel. He went very willingly. The lovely girl of the miniature which he had first seen in her brother's stateroom had been often a part of his waking dreams. For the first time, now, he looked upon its reality. Long afterward he said:

"'It is forty years ago. From that day to this she has never been out of my mind.

"His was not an unruffled courtship When at last he reached the point of proposing for the daughter of the house neither the daughter nor the household offered any noticeable encouragement to his suit.

"There was only a provisional engagement at first. Jervis Langdon suggested, and Samuel Clemens agreed with him, that it was proper to know something of his past as well as of his present before the official parental sanction should be given. When Mr Langdon inquired as to the names of persons of standing to whom he might write for credentials, Clemens pretty confidently gave him the name of the Rev. Mr. Stebbings and others of San Francisco, adding that he might write also to Joe Goodman if he wanted to but that he had lied for Goodman a hundred times and that Goodman would lie for him if necessary, so his testimony would be of no value. The letters to the clergy were written, and Mr. Langdon also wrote one on his own account.

"Clemens was in Jacksonville, Ill. at the end of March, 1869, and in a letter to his publisher states that he will be in Elmira two days later and asks that proofs of the book be sent there. He arrived according to schedule, anxious to hear the reports that would make him, as the novels might say, 'the happiest or the most miserable of men.' Jervis Langdon had a rather solemn look when they were alone together. Clemens asked:

"'You've heard from those gentlemen out there?'

"'Yes, and from another gentleman I wrote concerning you.'

"'They don't appear to have been very enthusiastic from your manner.'

"'Well, yes; some of them were.'

"'I suppose I may ask what particular form their emotion took?'

"'Oh, yes; yes, they agree unanimously that you are a brilliant, able man, a man with a future, and that you would make about the worst husband on record.'

"The applicant for favor had a forlorn look.

"'There's nothing very evasive about that, he said.

"There was a period of reflective silence. It was probably no more than a few seconds, but it seemed longer.

"'Haven't you any other friend that you suggest?' Langdon said.

"'Apparently none whose testimony would be valuable.'

"Jervis Langdon held out his hand. 'You have at least one,' he said. 'I believe in you. I know you better than they do.'

"And so came the crown of happiness. The engagement of Samuel Langhorne Clemens and Olivia Lewis Langdon was ratified next day, Feb 2, 1869."

A Fortune in His Legs.

During the reign of Queen Elizabeth an English gentleman of wealth named Corbet, of a distinguished family near Shrewsbury, bet that his leg was the handsomest in the country or kingdom and staked estates worth $400,000 on the subject. He won the wager, and a picture is still preserved in the family mansion representing the process of measuring the legs of the different contestants.

The Milky Way.

"Grandpa," said the small boy from the city, pointing to a wayside plant, "what is that?"

"That's milkweed," was the reply.

"Oh, I know," exclaimed the little fellow. "That's what you feed to the cows so they will give milk."—Chicago News.

Fine Teachers.

Fond Mother—Willie, where did you learn to swear like that? Young Hopeful—Pa's shaving, uncle's golf, grandpa's auto and your parrot.—Life.

Charm strikes the sight, but merit wins the soul.—Pope.

GOOD SUBSTITUTE.

When Closet Room Is Scarce Try This Scheme.

To get along comfortably without a closet in which to keep your clothes is a problem which can only be solved by resorting to the rack scheme. Have racks consisting of two rows of hook fitted bars at the inner side of each door on which to hang your frocks and coats, these, of course, to be protected by a curtain of printed cretonne swinging from a rod projecting six inches or more from the top of the door.

For your party gowns have made of enameled wood a rack of the same surface measurements as a forty inch steamer trunk and about five feet high. This rack, fitted with five shelves, will hold a number of costumes, as in some of the cretonne covered boxes several garments may be placed, and because of their extreme length the skirts of the gowns need not be folded over. They will keep in better condition than if hung up.

The better to accommodate your hats get rid of your present chiffonier and replace it with a rack which will accommodate two large sized hat boxes of the square shape and above these three smaller boxes, one long and narrow for blouses and two of half the shirt waist case size for veils and gloves, or you may have a chiffonier rack accommodating six shirt waist boxes, which may be used in part for lingerie, and then get a dressing table rack holding two boxes of dress dimensions, above these a square hat box and beside that twin receptacles for veils and gloves.

FLOWERS FOR HOTELS.

How the Girl With a Garden Can Make Money.

The energetic woman who lives near a summer resort, where there are plenty of hotels, will find a splendid market for flowers. If she desires to make a little extra pin money this will prove a successful method.

The old fashioned flowers are always loved and find a ready sale. Roses appeal to every one. The flowers noted for their delicate odors are not difficult to dispose of.

The guests at summer hotels always want bouquets for their rooms. The young gallants are ever ready to buy nosegays for their captivating "summer girls."

If the hotel has no garden of its own the dining tables must be supplied, so the amateur gardener finds a ready market for her sweet scented wares.

Who can resist a bouquet of sweet peas, their lovely blossoms dyed with every tint of the rainbow? Who will refuse a bunch of sweet williams, their spicy odor luring one to possess them?

The old fashioned pinks are delightful, and the moss roses are irresistible.

Phlox and mignonette are well loved flowers. In fact, almost any flower may be sold.

During the summer gather the seeds for very often people will want to buy them.

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is very smart with its draped veil and facing of white crape underneath the brim which softens the severe line of the shape.

New Way to Cook Bacon.

A new way to cook bacon is to soak the bacon in cold milk for twenty minutes before cooking, afterward dipping the slices in flour and frying in a very hot greased frying pan. The soaking in milk gives a fine flavor to the bacon and the flour, and the flour insures a crisp crust. Shake the pan well while cooking and after browning thoroughly on both sides remove the bacon. Pour off superfluous grease and place the slices on rough brown paper to absorb any fat that may adhere to the outside. Stir into the frying pan one or two tablespoonfuls of flour, gradually adding the milk the bacon was soaked in, and season with salt and pepper. When the sauce is thick pour it over the bacon and serve at once.

THE DAISY.

An angel found a daisy where it lay
On Heaven's highroad of transparent gold,
And, turning to one near, he said, "I pray,
Tell me what manner of strange bloom I hold.
You came a long, long way — perchance you know
In what far country such fair flowers blow."

Then spoke the other: "Turn thy radiant face
And gaze with me down purple depth of space.
See, where the stars lie spilled upon the night,
Like amber beads that hold a yellow light.
Note one that burns with faint yet steady glow;
It is the Earth—and there these blossoms grow.
Some little child from that dear, distant land
Hath borne this hither in his dimpled hand."

Still gazed he down. "Ah, friend," he said, "I, too,
Oft crossed the fields at home where daisies grew."

—Virna Sheard, in The Canadian Magazine.

EXPLORING THE PEACE.

C. F. Rochfort Has Spent 16 Seasons in the North.

Six-foot-three and straight as a young spruce, after fifteen summers of packing over portages at the head waters of the Peace and beyond—Mr. C. F. W. Rochfort put out a few days ago from the Canadian Northern head offices. This will be his sixteenth summer of discovery in the northern mountains. All winter he was on his ranch far west of Edmonton, where he will be next winter again.

Mr. Rochfort although he came out from England as a boy of fourteen, retains all the characteristics of an English gentleman abroad.

"Oh, we shall be back in the mountains very shortly now," he said; as though he spoke of a summer cruise on a yacht. "Back among the black flies and the bulldogs. Ah! here's my traveling mate now—he's an engineer from South America. No, we've never traveled together before; in fact I met him only the other day—but we shall get along famously."

As may be surmised, there are no railroads or steamboats anywhere near the head-water region where Mr. Rochfort and his engineer companion will spend the summer. Where they stretch their mosquito-bar and build their camp fires from June till the ice-needles come, is where the dubious trails of the Fraser and its tributaries meander into the Pacific, not far from where the trickles of the Parsnip and the Findlay twist and twirl into the canoe-wide bed of the Peace, where it begins its long swirl into the valley that leads down to Great Slave Lake and from there to the mighty Mackenzie and the Arctic.

It is all mainly as plain as a country-road to Mr. Rochfort, who began to explore long unexplored reaches of this mountain land, in the year of the pilgrimage to Klondike. It was the Klondike rush that took him up from his ranch in Alberta in 1898; via Edmonton and the overland death trail, still marked, as he says, by many a gloomy relic of the wildest trail-going in the history of gold camps. But he never got to the camps of the Yukon. He began to probe the unknown by the Liard route away from the Peace, while hundreds pushed on up to Mackenzie and the Peel and over the great divide. And in the fifteen summers that he has gone back among the Dog-Ribs and the Siwashes and the vagrant Iroquois, Rochfort has seen more of the big game in that back-country than Caspar Whitney, or Seton-Thompson, whom, with his partner, Mackay, he met up there in 1907. He has observed more unobvious facts about minerals than any of the pathfinders in the Yukon. He has seen as much of the trapping and the fur-trading as any of the furposters whose peltries trail out by the ice routes to Edmonton. He has known more explicitly what it means to be in the middle of nowhere from a railroad than any of the few thousand settlers who have waggoned up from Edmonton to the Peace River valley.—Canadian Courier.

Hangman on Strike.

A strike, unique and unprecedented in the affairs of the Dominion, is threatening. The official hangman Arthur Ellis, has declared that on account of arrears in his fee he must cease to act in the capacity of executioner unless his account is squared by the Government. With the advent of the Borden Ministry, it was decided that the carrying out of a death sentence was a matter resting solely in the hands of the provincial authorities, accordingly Mr. Ellis' yearly retainer of $700 was cut off.

He is now dependent upon the $50 per execution as his fee, and he claims that when he went to Sarnia on June 6 to hang an Indian, Stephen Flintoff, a reprieve was granted the doomed man until November, and accordingly he was put to expense and refused the fee of $50. The executioner has taken legal advice, but whether or not there will be a strike is not yet decided.

Ahrens as a Draughtsman.

Carl Ahrens, the well-known painter who now has his studio at Lambton, Ont., has lately completed one of two large canvases dealing with forest subjects for the interpretation of which his genius is well known. He has also by way of contrast been engaged in anatomical drawings of fowls and his charcoal studies of turkeys and other poultry are for detail and expression remarkable. Years ago before he became famous as a painter of trees, Mr. Ahrens used to paint such subjects by ways of experiment, but the power of these drawings show the great advances that he has made in strength and certainty of execution.

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A Story of American Colonial Times.

By F. A. MITCHEL

"I won't marry him, and that's all there is about it."

The words were spoken 250 years ago by a lass to her stepmother in a seaport town in England. The family to which she belonged was large and its income small. A rich man stricken in years had taken a fancy to the girl, and in those days children were not expected to refuse to marry one whom their parents provided for them. Anne Yeomans spoke the words with a hot cheek and a flashing eye and at the same time flung herself out of the house and down the street.

"Now, don't you go and do anything foolish," her stepmother called after her, but she paid no attention to the warning, moving on rapidly, as if her only hope to get away from the hated connection was to put space between her and her home.

The town was built on a side hill and overlooked the harbor. A brisk wind was blowing, and below ships at anchor were rocking, the sails of one pointing to windward flapping ready to make sail.

"Whither away, my lass?" came a voice, and the hand of a woman was laid upon her arm.

"I'm running away," cried Anne passionately. "They're going to make me marry an ugly old man that I hate, and I won't."

"And where are you going?" asked the woman.

"How do I know where I'm going since I have no place to go?"

The woman soothed her, won her confidence and finally said to her:

"There's a fine opportunity for such a maid as you to go across the sea to the new country they call Virginia. Once out on the water you will leave your stepmother and the old man they intend to force you to marry, and doubtless among the sturdy young men of Jamestown you will find a husband worthy of you. Why, not long ago a shipload of young women were sent over there, and all were married at once and each to the man of her choice. Do you see that ship down in the harbor? She sails this afternoon for the new country, and if you like you can go on her."

"Alas, I have no money to pay the passage."

"I can arrange that for you. You can go as a redemptioner."

"What's that?" asked the girl.

"You contract to work out your passage money after you get to Virginia. I will pay the amount to the captain of the ship, who will see that you get a good mistress when you reach Jamestown. After you have earned the money that has been spent for your taking over you will be free to do as you like."

"And is the work hard?"

"Not at all. In summer you will have to work but five days and a half, and for two months, when the sun is in the highest pitch of his heat, you will be permitted to repose yourself three hours in the day. In winter there is little for the women to do but build fires."

The woman, dominating the girl, was meanwhile leading her on, directing her steps toward a dock, Anne suffering herself to be led without resistance. When they reached the verge the woman waved to the ship in the offing, and a boat was sent ashore.

"I've a redemptioner for you," said the woman. "Here are 20 guineas for the passage money, and see that the captain returns them with a goodly profit."

Whereupon the men in the boat beckoned Anne to get in with them, and when she drew back two of them got out, and, one taking her by each arm, they forced her into the boat, she not being decided whether to go with them willingly. But it was now too late, for she had fallen into the hands of those who were looking out for persons to take to the American colony to sell into bondage.

So Anne was rowed to the ship and placed below deck with others, some of whom had been kidnaped for the same purpose as she. There were also persons who had been sentenced for crime, the penalty having been changed to transportation to Virginia. One of these was a woman who had been sentenced to death for stealing 3s 6d.

For forty days the little craft which bore this human cargo destined for semislavery breasted the Atlantic's huge billows, finally turning her prow into Chesapeake bay, passing the spot on which now stands Fort Monroe, through Hampton Roads, two centuries later destined to be the scene of the famous fight between the Monitor and Merrimac, which changed the battleships of the world from wood to steel. Then moving on up the yellow waters of the James river, she cast anchor opposite the settlement of Jamestown.

A crowd of hungry looking men and women stood on the shore gaping at the newly arrived ship. They looked solitary and the place looked solitary. There were houses making up some thing that resembled a town, but these looked solitary too. A church had been built, the tower of which is standing today a lone landmark of the town. Its former inhabitants and their sufferings. Much of the Atlantic coast is now was then beautiful. Why these designs chose such an unattractive spot on which to make the first American settlement is a mystery. As Anne looked from the ship on the town and on the churchyard it seemed to her that the latter was the more densely populated of the two.

Anne noticed that among those on the shore were very few women. There was a discouraged look on their faces, and one disease seemed to have descended upon them all—nostalgia, or homesickness. But Anne thought of the marriage that was to have been forced upon her in England, and it was enough to overcome any immediate desire to return there.

A gun was fired on the ship, and a hogshead of rum was sent aboard. When all were ready for the sale of the redemptioners the men were shaved and the women dressed in their best gowns, their neatest caps, and all were brought on deck. Since Anne had shipped as a runaway with only the clothes she had on at the time there was no finery to put on her. Since she was but eighteen and comely she did not need to be adorned. When the sale began each prisoner, at being put up to be purchased, told what was his trade.

Anne was bought by a middle aged man, whose benevolent face indicated that he would make a good master. He took her to his home, where she found that he had a wife and children. It was autumn, and most of the young men of the plantations were hunting for the winter supply of meat. One day when Anne was out gathering nuts, on rising from the ground with her apron full of the proceeds of her hunt, there stood before her a young man leaning on a rifle. His breeches and doublet were of buckskin, and his hat was decorated with the tail of a squirrel. Altogether he was a fine specimen of a man, not at all like the sallow, sickly looking men who were hanging about the town giving way to homesickness.

Richard Furnival had been in Virginia several years and now for the first time since his arrival looked upon a comely young woman. Indeed, to him, separated as he had been from the more delicate type of women—those who came to Virginia were not usually well born or well favored—Anne seemed to him a vision of loveliness.

"How now, pretty maid!" he exclaimed. "When did you come to this benighted land? You were surely not here when I went forth a few weeks ago to replenish my father's larder with venison."

Blushing under his admiring gaze, Anne replied that she had come on a ship which had arrived a fortnight before.

"If you came for a husband, heaven grant that you have not been taken up as yet. I have as many pounds of tobacco as will pay the amount advanced for your passage."

Anne, who was not used to the rapid courtships of the new world, blushed still deeper, but could not refrain from smiling at receiving a proposal of marriage from a man who had just seen her for the first time. She told him that her passage had been advanced by a woman in England and that she had been purchased by a citizen of Jamestown.

"Then will I buy you from that citizen if he will sell and if you will marry me."

"I know not if he will sell," replied Anne, making no reference to the other part of what the young man had said.

"And pray who bought you?"

"A Mr. Andrew Furnival."

"Andrew Furnival! Heaven be praised! He is my father."

They walked on together, the young man insisting on carrying the nuts, so Anne took off her apron and, gathering the corners, handed them to him. She had heard that the oldest son of the family she served was hunting, but did not know till this last remark that this was the man. As soon as they had arrived at the Furnival home and the young man had been welcomed he told her father that he wished to marry his bondservant. The father made no objection, but Anne, who was well treated and satisfied with her present condition, preferred a wooing. At any rate, she gave no affirmative answer.

But she enjoyed the companionship of Richard Furnival, for when her work was done she walked with him in the wood, starting now and again some animal, which scampered away through the brush and over the dead leaves, or they would sit on the bank of the river watching the swirling yellow waters looking across at the desolate wilderness opposite, and there was that in the loneliness of the place to force them together. In a strange land with little companionship courtships cannot be long. But it was a period of anxiety for Richard, for Anne was disposed to appear at least to waver, and since there were scores of men who would have given their heads to get her her lover dreaded lest he lose her.

Finally Andrew Furnival decided to leave Jamestown and its miseries and move up Chesapeake bay and join the settlement established by Lord Baltimore. Soon after their arrival there Anne yielded to Richard's persuasions and married him.

While the site of Jamestown is now the bleak, lonely spot it was when the settlers were there, Baltimore is a great city. Steamers moving up or down the James river tie up at the wharf to put off and take on a few passengers, while tourists on the guards look out upon all there is left of the former settlement, the tower of the church in which the first American settlers worshiped. Were it not for the interposition of the United States government the river would by this time have washed away even the site of the historic spot. That misfortune is prevented by a substantial riprap.

FREEDOM OF LONDON.

It Carries With It the Right to Keep Pigs in St. James' Parish.

Many towns in Great Britain enjoy special and peculiar privileges. When, some years ago, parliament deprived the Cinque Ports of their ancient privileges, Brightlingsea, a Cinque Port "limb" or "appanage," was in some way overlooked. Consequently its inhabitants are still exempt from serving on juries, they cannot be taken by the press gang, and the town can still appoint its own ale taster. It is at Brightlingsea that the ceremony of electing the mayor takes place in the belfry of the parish church.

In at least one manor, that of the Earl of Carnarvon, the inhabitants may cheerfully disregard the enactments of the ground game act, passed twenty years ago. The ancient right of free chase and warren over freehold land is still in force there. Indeed it was actually exercised a very few years ago, and a private bill was brought into parliament designed to do away with it. The bill however failed to become law.

The freedom of the city of London carries with it, nominally, at any rate, the right to keep pigs in the parish of St. James, Piccadilly. But, if any one was disposed to avail himself of this liberty land in that part of London is somewhat too costly for profitable pig farming.—London Family Herald.

HE HAD TO HURRY.

On the Dead Rush Because He Had No Time to Spare.

In Chicago there is a man whom his friends know as Inaburry Jones. One morning about 10 o'clock a man with southern blood in his veins saw Jones, whose energy he had often admired, tearing down State street as if propelled by the winds of heaven. It came over the southerner to follow Jones just to see where he was going and how tremendous a matter was dependent on his getting there.

Jones rushed into the Palmer House, rushed up to the cigar stand, grabbed a cigar, yelled back, "Puteronmyaccount," without stopping to sort the words, and dashed out, with the southerner panting hard behind. After tearing down Washington street for half a block he dived into the Field office building and just missed being jammed by the elevator doors in his determination not to lose a car.

The southerner took the next car up and entered Jones' office timidly, certain that he was about to come upon a conference of at least four of the most important men in Chicago's financial world. Inside he found Jones smoking his cigar behind the morning paper, his feet on his desk and his swivel chair tilted back comfortably.—New York Post.

The Doomed Shepherd Dog.

The shepherd's dog that kills a sheep is doomed. The penalty is death. Stevenson in one of his essays tells a story of how John Todd, "the oldest herd on the Pentlands," once saw a dog he knew maneuvering toward a pool behind Kirk Yetton.

"John lay the closer under the bush and presently saw the dog come forth upon the margin, look all about him to see if he were anywhere observed, plunge in and repeatedly wash himself over head and ears and then (but now openly with tail in air) strike homeward over the hills." But the dog's high intelligence did not save him. John reported his doings, and he "was had out to a dykeside and promptly shot." He was a sheep eater, he had betrayed his trust.—London Standard.

Bears One Crop and Dies.

The sago palm tree bears but one crop of fruit. Its load of nuts is its first and final effort in the way of fruit bearing. The nuts become ripe and are strewn in thousands around the tree until the great stem stands up by itself empty and bare. The branches turn brown and drop one by one to the ground. Inside the trunk the work of decay is going on until what at one time was a mass of white sago and pith becomes nothing but a collection of rotten brown fibers. One day the trade wind blows more strongly than usual, and the leafless column of the trunk falls with a crash, destroying in its fall many of the young palms that are already springing from the nuts scattered some months before.

Still Life.

They were looking at the canvases on exhibition in the artist's studio.

"Does this one represent a real landscape?" inquired the portly gentleman with the double chin.

"Yes, sir," answered the artist. "That little shack in the foreground is a moonshiner's cabin in the mountains."

"Oh, yes. This must be the painting called 'Still Life' in the catalogue."—Chicago Tribune.

Same Thing.

"What is a den?"

"A den, my son, is a place where wild beasts make their homes."

"No. I mean a den in a man's home."

"Eddie," interjected the mother, "your father's definition applies to that also."—London Express.

Used to Deception.

"Did your husband ever try his hand at sustained fiction?"

"Did he? For at least ten years he's been trying to make me believe he likes my cooking."—Chicago Tribune.

What He Won't Tell.

"Does you husband tell you everything?"

"Yes, everything except how much pocket money he spends himself every week."—Detroit Free Press.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Local Improvement Notice—Improvement of Nanaimo Street.

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:

Purchasing certain properties where necessary in order that Nanaimo Street may be straightened to a uniform width of 60 feet between 11th and 12th 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 acordance 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 report of the said City Engineer and City Assessor having been adopted by the Council.

Notice is hereby given that the said report is 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 work 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.

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CITY NEWS

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Business Office 999
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Mr. E. M. Carncross, C.M.C., Cloverdale, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Q. Turnbull leaves today for Banff, where she will spend two weeks' holiday.

Rye bread—like your mother used to make. Eighth Street Bakery, Telephone R 281. **

Mr. D. C. McKenzie has taken out a permit for a residence on Tenth street to cost $2500.

Mr. J. W. Clark, of the Scotch bakery, is having a residence built on Sixteenth avenue, Burnaby.

Mr. P. D. Roe, Port Moody, motored into town yesterday with his family and a party of guests.

Business has called Mr. E. Cairns, Motherwell & Darling's insurance manager, to the interior for a few weeks.

The Columbia Piano and Music House, 522 Columbia street, is headquarters for Victor Gramaphones and Records. **

A handsome house is being erected on the property of Mr. Jordon on Twelfth avenue near Fourth street, East Burnaby.

Mr. Malcolm McLeod, of Second street, who underwent a serious operation at the Royal Columbian hospital yesterday, is reported to be doing well.

A party of Seattle automobilists in charge of Mr. Gerald Stotter passed through the city yesterday on their way to Vancouver island, where they will spend a week under canvas.

Messrs. Patterson & Fisher, realty brokers and contractors, have established their headquarters at Edmonds on the Pacific highway in the same building as the post office.

Among the names of those included in the supplementary list of members to the first convocation of the University of British Columbia is seen that of J. E. Drew, of Westminster.

High grade, medium price and all grades of pianos and player pianos, low prices, easy payments at the Columbia Piano and Music House, 522 Columbia street. **

The Strand hotel, Port Moody, presently conducted by Mr. R. H. Smith, will be taken over by Mr. Harry Jones as soon as the licensing arrangements have been adjusted. Mr. Jones is well known in the town.

The Port Moody Sand and Gravel Company has now got all its transformers ready and the power turned on at the gravel works, Sunnyside. The electric power is furnished by the Western Canada Power Company.

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Mrs. James McLellan, New Westminster, Misses Edith and Bessie Nelson, New Westminster, and the Misses Ethel and Esther Frank, Seattle, have been visiting Mrs. C. Ellis at Rustic cottage, White Rock, for the past week and are having an enjoyable time.

Mr. G. E. Corbould, 115 Third street, has lost his fox terrier. The little animal has city license No. 93 affixed to its collar, and in color is black and white. He is naturally anxious to recover it speedily and will reward the finder. **

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At the regular meeting of the Westminster Loyal Orange lodge, No. 1593, last evening, Mr. J. Whitelay, most worshipful grand lecturer of British America and grand organizer for British Columbia, was present on an official visit.

Mr. T. J. Trapp intends shortly to remodel his warehouse on Front and Columbia streets. The new improvements have been designed by Messrs. Gardiner and Mercer and consist of three added stories, and a terra cotta front.

On Friday night the Progressive association will hold a meeting open to all the members, in the city hall. Review of work accomplished by the organization since its inception and the consideration of plans for the future will constitute the chief business of the evening.

Work on the Stanley apartments at the foot of Twelfth street is again in progress and the frame work of the upper storey is about completed. This was the building nearly burned down early in the spring when the occupants had several narrow escapes while leaving the place.

The piling for the large wharf which is being constructed above the bridge for the B. C. Transport company, with which Mr. E. J. Fader is associated, is now practically completed, and very soon the wharf will assume a prominent place in the substantial manufacturing section which is growing up in that part of the waterfront.

It has not taken Adkison & Dill, the contractors who were awarded the new hospital contract, very long to start operations. Yesterday a large gang of men started work making preparations for the job, and it is understood further men will be added within a few days when things will be in better shape.

REGIMENTAL CONCERT

Westminster's Service Men Make Merry in Drill Hall Tonight.

This evening the officers and men of the 104th regiment are holding a grand smoking concert in the spacious drill hall which has been gaily decorated for the event. The members of the United Service club and the National Reserve, the Boy Scouts, Boys' Brigade and all who are interested in military matters have been invited to attend, either by letter or through the press, and a big attendance is looked for, while an excellent program has been provided.

The militia uniforms have all been called in for the purpose of checking up, so that the militiamen will not appear in all their bravery, but on Tuesday next, when the drill is held, the uniforms will again be issued, and arrangements made for a series of parades in order to prepare for the coming of the Duke of Connaught next month.

STILL THEY COME

Another Budding Industry Locates in Sapperton District.

The East Westminster Wood Working Company Limited, is the latest addition to the congeries of manufacturing concerns in the Sapperton end of the city.

The new industry has secured a site on Columbia street east, just north of Braid street, and the lumber is on the ground ready for building operations.

The enterprise is a purely local one and is under the direction of Mr. Reamey. Its energies will be principally directed to the manufacture of store, hotel and household fittings.

The building will have a cement basement and is finely situated in the midst of a rapidly growing locality. The works will be driven by electricity.

IMPROVING ROADS.

Better Communication Between Port Moody and Westminster.

The Coquitlam Council is vigorously pushing forward the widening and grading of Clarke road from the North road to the boundary of Port Moody townsite. It is being converted into a road 24 feet broad with suitable lateral ditch. The work is being carried on by a gang of men and teamsters under Road Foreman J. Tepish, and already gives indication that Port Moody citizens will no longer be deterred from business or pleasure incursions into New Westminster by the terrors of miry roads during the rains as heretofore.

Similar operations are going on, on Smith's road which extends from the Blue Mountain road to Clarke road. Mr. Tepish has altogether 26 employees encamped close to the work.

BURQUITLAM DOINGS

Progress on Agricultural Hall—Looking to Westminster Fair.

The Burquitlam Agricultural society has erected its new hall on the Austin road to the roofing stage. The society has had to curtail a more ambitious scheme in order to make the hall available for the show next month.

Mr. Maurice Baker, the builder, under the supervision of Mr. F. A. Watson, architect, has done his work satisfactorily and the society expects to make even a better show at the provincial exhibition at New Westminster this year than last, when it took fourth place.

Colonel Hughes' Visit.

Due entirely to an oversight, it was omitted yesterday to state that Mr. J. D. Taylor, M.P., welcomed the minister to the city, and accompanied him on his tour of inspection here.

NO WORD OF FISHERMAN

Feared Lost in Gulf—Latest Fishing Reports.

Sockeye catches took another drop yesterday and Tuesday, and the reports from the different canneries do not indicate that the expected run had yet struck the straits. No word has yet been heard of the missing Japanese fisherman and it is feared he has lost his life somewhere in the gulf.

The nineteenth report from the B. C. Canners' association is as follows: Bellingham, 25,000 sockeyes; Anacortes, 10,300 sockeyes; Terra Nova, 2500 sockeyes; Brunswick, 900 sockeyes; St. Mungo, 2500 sockeyes; Phoenix, 2000 sockeyes; Imperial, 900 sockeyes; Scottish Canadian, 1200 sockeyes; Ewen's, 1500 sockeyes.

OLD RAILWAYMAN HERE

Mr. Hosker, of Kamloops, is Pioneer Engineer of C. P. R.

Mr. E. J. Hosker, one of the western pioneer engineers of the C. P. railway, and now a resident of Kamloops, was in the city yesterday on his way home from a week's business trip down on the coast.

Mr. Hosker has run trains for twenty years over the division between Kamloops and North Bend with never an accident chalked up against his record. As he spoke of this yesterday he laughingly alluded to his retirement, saying that possibly it would be best to step down now and let well enough alone.

COMINGS AND GOINGS AROUND PORT MOODY

Port Moody, Aug. 7.—Rev. Mr. Venables, St. Johns, is at present on a holiday in Victoria. Services in his absence are being conducted by Rev. Mr. Edge, Coquitlam.

Mr. W. Johnston has entered into partnership with Mr. Sydney Durham the well known real estate agent, Port Moody.

Mr. Fred Clarke has left in company with Chief Fire Ranger Selkirk on a trip to the outlying forest sections of Dewdney.

PORT MOODY SURVEY.

Preliminary Steps Taken Towards Incorporation—New Subdivision.

A party of Provincial Government surveyors has been engaged for the past few days in a resurvey of Port Moody townsite, as a preliminary necessity to the incorporation of the town.

One hundred acres purchased by a syndicate at the head of Burrard Inlet for subdivision, will be put on the market shortly, and form a desirable residential district of the embryonic municipality.

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NO. 1195 — SEVENTH AVENUE, near Fourth Street, two choice lots, cleared; $1,275.00 each; one-third cash.

NO. 1316—DUBLIN STREET, NEAR Twelfth street, on upper side; good view lot; cleared; 50x120 to lane. Price $1550.; one-third cash.

NO. 1283—FIFTH STREET, NEAR Sixth avenue, 50x132; cleared and graded; $2,000; one-third cash.

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(Via North Arm and Eburne) at 7 a.m., with hourly service until 11 p.m. Sundays—First car at 8 a.m., regular service thereafter.

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