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CLOSURE RULES CURTAIL DISCUSSION

Government Majority Pass Motion Postponing Further Consideration.

Dramatic Announcement Made by Premier Causes Stir in House—Majority of Fifty.

Ottawa, May 7.—The first step to apply the closure rules on the discussion of the naval bill occurred this evening when, following a speech by Mr. Carvel, Mr. Borden moved that further discussion on the second section of the naval bill be now postponed. The announcement was a dramatic one and created no little stir in the commons.

Mr. Borden in explaining his reasons for moving such a motion stated that the discussion on the second section of the bill had been heard time and again during the past two months, and was only delaying action.

On a standing vote being taken the motion carried, 70 members supporting the government against 20 polled by the opposition.

Wanted Papers.

The question of the production of original documents from a government department which has on more than one occasion in the past caused considerable debate in the house, was again brought to the front when Hon. Frank Oliver moved for the production of the original papers, letters, memorandum and other documents from which the minister of public works quoted in the debate of Tuesday, April 17, on the Prince Albert homestead case.

The minister of public works, Hon. Robert Rogers, had no objection to bringing down the file but wished it understood it would remain in the custody of the officials of the house. The motion will be allowed to stand on the understanding that the papers except such as might be of a private character would be brought down.

Hon. Frank Oliver was inclined to doubt whether this would achieve their purpose but Sir Wilfrid Laurier remarked: "All roads lead to Rome and we don't care how they come as long as we get the papers."

"Hy hon. friend from Edmonton does not seem to have the same confidence in the government as has his leader" remarked Premier Borden with a smile.

"I am afraid he is right," retorted Sir Wilfrid.

"This is one of the cases where I think the right hon. gentleman is right," added the premier.

In moving a resolution fixing morning sessions on and after Monday next Premier Borden remarked that as the committees had about concluded their work there was no reason why the house should not meet in the mornings. He noted that in 1911 when the session commenced a little later than the autumn, morning sessions were started on May 12, the date now proposed.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier agreed that when the committees complete their work it is usually porper to begin morning sessions. The house, however, was entitled to know if additional legislation was to be brought down. The house, he said, had reason to expect the delivery of the budget speech before the morning sessions are commenced.

Mr. Borden said he could not see any connection between the budget speech and morning sessions.

Not at Night.

The budget could not be delivered this week, but it would probably come on Wednesday or Thursday next. He added that in 1911 reciprocity had been dicsussed for a long time after morning sittings were commenced.

Sir Wilfrid—Yes, reciprocity was discussed morning and afternoon but not at night.

He insisted that the government should state whether more legislation is to be introduced.

Mr. Borden said that there would be no legislation than what was already taken up, of great importance.

Sir Wilfrid said he would like the premier to take the country into his

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ADVANCE DATE FOR SUBMITTING BYLAWS

May 27 May Be Fixed as Time for Voting Instead of May 20—Eight Bylaws.

The matter of postponing the by laws election will probably come up before the city council at their meeting on Monday evening.

Instead of May 20 it is urged that the date set might be more conveniently and economically fixed for May 27.

Then the eight money bylaws, the bylaw to raise the rate of interest on the city bonds from 4½ to 5 per cent., and a plebiscite on the subject whether it is judicious to include the city in the agreement between the Dominion government and the B. C. E. R. in respect to Coquitlam lake might all be voted on at the same time.

The maintenance of the purity of the water would have to be a sine qua non of the proposed agreement and if that were properly guaranteed it is thought the opinion of the people might be invited on the matter.

WANT EXEMPTION FROM TAXATION

Company Desirous of Erecting $85,000 Plant in Burnaby If Granted Concessions.

Edmonds, May 7.—Provided they are exempted from taxation for ten years and no charges are made for improvements or additions, that they might make for some time to come a certain concern has written the council through Messrs. Ladner & Cantelo, solicitors, Vancouver, stating that they will establish a most up-to-date saw mill plant in Burnaby at the cost of $85,000. The municipal clerk has been instructed to write the firm of solicitors and obtain more information.

The plant, the letter stated, would have a capacity of 85,000 feet of lumber for a 10 hour day, which could easily be increased to 125,000 feet if warranted.

A staff of 75 to 100 men would be employed. The manager of the plant will be given $250 to $300 per month and his assistant $150 to $200 a month. The sawyer would receive $7 a day and the filer $11 per diem. The wages of the balance of the men would range from $3.50 to $4 a day excepting laborers and helpers. The entire staff would live near the saw mill.

The concern wished to secure a location near Vancouver and the letter indicated that other municipalities would also be approached in a similar manner. They wanted exemption from taxation for ten years, and wished the council to agree that after that period the land on which the plant was established be assessed at an upset figure of $65,000.

GRADING PROCEEDS ON LULU ISLAND

C. N. R. Branch Nearly Ready for the Steel—Require Thirty-five Thousand Ties.

Over 75 per cent of the grading operations of the Canadian Northern railway on Lulu island has been completed by the contractors and it is expected that steel laying will commence early in June in order to have same completed by the first of July.

Steel rails from the steamer Strathtay will be shipped down river by scows during the next two weeks.

Thirty-five thousand ties will be required for this section of the transcontinental and will probably be brought down river in scows from the company's plant at Tynehead where some 100,000 ties are stored.

EXTEND BURNABY BOUNDARY LINE

Will Hereafter Have Jurisdiction Over Share of the North Arm.

Edmonds, May 7.—By a pact reached between Reeve McGregor of Burnaby and Reeve Bridge of Richmond, the southern boundary of Burnaby will hereafter be constituted by an imaginary line down the centre of the main channel of the North Arm of the Fraser river from a point where the south end of the eastern boundary terminates to a point where the south end of the western boundary terminates.

Hitherto the position of Burnaby as of Burnaby has been constituted by the northern shore line of the North Arm from the same points as above.

For the extension of the boundary Burnaby will give $7000 to Richmond in two payments, the last to be made before the end of December, 1914.

Reeve McGregor reported the making of the agreement at a meeting of the Burnaby council this evening. Some formalities have yet to be gone through but the deal to all intents and purposes is concluded.

itherto the position of Burnaby as regards its southern boundary has been somewhat peculiar. If a wharf was projected from the north side of the North Arm that wharf and the buildings on that wharf were under the jurisdiction of Richmond and they could not be assessed by Burnaby.

Nor did Burnaby have any control whatever over what occurred on the waters of the North Arm even though such occurrence took place within touch of the north shoreline. The pact simply means that Burnaby maintains jurisdiction over half of the waterway between her two limits and Richmond the other half.

MANY TROUBLES OF SMALL FRUIT FARMERS

Agricultural Commissioners Hold Sittings in Fruit Centres—Need of Co-operation Emphasized.

The royal agricultural commission is now sitting in the great small fruit centres. At Port Haney yesterday the same ills that afflict the pastoralist, agriculturist and vegetable farmer were proclaimed with similar unanimity and similar remedies were suggested.

The prohibitive price of land and the initial cost of clearing owing to the high cost of unskilled labor, added to real estate gambling were difficulties unsuperable to the farmer without government aid.

The returns were good in the districts round Mission, but prices were not commensurate with the cost of production.

Co-operation was a necessity if small fruit farming was to be made a paying proposition. A low estimate for clearing land in the district was $200 per acre, and the land was held at from $500 to $1000 per acre, which were exorbitant prices. Consequently speculators got possession of the land and held it for their own purposes.

A solution of part of the difficulty was that the government should clear large tracts and sell them to bona fide cultivators, the payment to be spread over a number of years without interest.

Central fruit packing stations and cheaper powder were other two palliatives for the small cultivator.

ACASSIZ FARMER GORED TO DEATH

Agassiz, May 7.—James R. Bean, a prominent farmer of Agassiz, died last evening from injuries received from being gored by a bull in a field on Monday evening.

Mr. Bean had gone into the field where he kept the animal tethered, but in some manner it had gotten loose and seeing Mr. Bean approaching immediately charged him.

The farmer jumped aside on the first charge, but before he could reach the gate the animal was on top of him, the unfortunate man being frightfully injured internally. Mr. Bean lingered until last evening when death took place. The funeral will be held on Thursday.

Judge Gommits Suicide.

Snohomish, Wash., May 7.—H. N. Stockton, police judge of this city, committed suicide last night by shooting himself. The bullet pierced his right temple. His death occurred half an hour later. Judge Stockton was in his chamber last night when the city council was in session. Although his office adjoins the council chamber the report of the revolver attracted no attention.

Sustained Fractured Skull.

Edmonds, May 7.—A man named William Adams, a resident of North Burnaby, was taken to the Vancouver general hospital this morning suffering from a fracture of the skull. It is believed that he was overcome by a fainting spell while walking along the Boundary road and in falling he struck some hard substance on the road which caused the fracture. Adams, who is a married man, is reported at the hospital to be much improved.

DEADLOCK OCCURS IN COUNCIL MEETING

Burnaby Councillor Threatened to Talk All Night—Meet Monday.

Selection of Paving Material Bone of Contention—Pave 18 Miles of Streets.

Edmonds, May 7.—Something like a naval obtsruction on a small scale which finally resulted in the apparent government side capitulating, occurred at a meeting of the Burnaby council city this evening when Councillor Macpherson about 11 o'clock threatened to speak for an hour and a half or even longer on a motion made by Councillor Coldicutt. The deadlock occurred on the question of selecting a paving material for use on the Burnaby streets which the municipality proposes to pave this year and followed a lengthy caucus session of the board of works committee which is a committee of the council as a whole to discuss the matter.

When the meeting was opened to the public at 11 o'clock Councillor Coldicutt introduced a motion that the council call for tenders for a specific grade of paving material. Councillor Mayne seconded the motion but before the question was passed upon, Councillor Macpherson, the evident opposition, rose to his feet declaring that he had something to say on the matter and it would take him anywhere from an hour to an hour and a half to say it if the motion was pushed.

There were some mutterings among the other councillors as to home and bed and a "hard day's work tomorrow," but Councillor Coldicutt resignedly assumed an easy posture in his chair and said: "All right; I am waiting for you."

Councillor Mayne followed suit and the other councillors seemed to be swinging in favor of an all night session, not without grumblings, however, when Reeve McGregor stated point blank that he for one was not going to wait until 1:30 a.m. and suggested an adjournment.

This turned the tide again and it was finally arranged that the meeting should be adjourned as it stood until Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Through it all Councillor Macpherson resolutely maintained his feet beside his chair impressing again and again his intentions if any attempt was made to force the motion through.

In all the council proposes to authorize the paving of 18.3 miles of streets this year, the whole involving an expenditure of $488,000. The main through thoroughfares including River road, Barnet road, Douglas road, Edmonds and Sixth streets are the ones proposed to permanently improve.

Municipal Engineer F. L. Macpherson has prepared a most comprehensive report on the paving material which he thought most suitable for the roads. The motion of Councillor Coldicutt covered the selection made by the engineer.

VISCOUNT CHINDA TO MEET BRYAN

Japanese Embassador Will Discuss Alien Land Legislation.

Washington, May 7.—First among Secretary Bryan's callers when he reaches Washington from Sacramento tomorrow morning probably will be Viscount Chinda, the Japanese ambassador. It has been assumed that the ambassador has been awaiting this opportunity to deliver personally to the secretary of state a protest from his government against the California alien legislation, but it is believed now the first effort of the ambassador will be to get from the secretary some idea of what the administration proposes to do after Governor Johnson signs the land bill, as it is generally expected he will do.

Before answering this question, however, Mr. Bryan must report and confer with President Wilson regarding his California mission, so he probably will suggest that his conference with Viscount Chinda be postponed for a short time.

It is well understood that the effect of this will be simply to delay the presentation of the Japanese protest unless Secretary Bryan is able to suggest some means of dealing with the present phase of the question that will make the protest unnecessary. It has been suggested that this might take the form of a proposal to negotiate a new treaty to replace the one of 1911, which has been unsatisfactory to both parties.

A new treaty expressly disclaiming the right of citizens of either country to acquire real property in the other might meet the needs of the case, and save Japanese pride by removing ground for the charge of discriminations. This, it is pointed out, would work hardship upon American missionary interests and some large business concerns which now hold real estate in Japan, under the

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UNION DEPOT AND RAILWAY BRIDGE

Mayor Gray Unfolds Gigantic Scheme—Bridge Main Channel.

A union depot on the property owned by the Canadian Northern railway to be used by both the Canadian Northern and the Great Northern railways, and also the building of a railway bridge across the main channel of the river from a point opposite Annacis island to the north shore, is the project now being worked out by Mayor Gray, who returned yesterday morning from a visit to Victoria.

While in Victoria Mayor Gray spent most of the time with Sir Richard McBride who has promised to attend a meeting to be held in this city on Tuesday, May 13, when representatives of the Great Northern and Canadian Northern will be present.

The present plan for the proposed new bridge is that it be a railway bridge exclusively, the plan being to secure a subsidy from the provincial government and have the railroads who would use the bridge defray the other portion.

Mayor Gray has already unfolded the plans of the scheme to Mr. L. C. Gilman, vice-president of the Great Northern railway who is said to favor the project and who has promised to attend the meeting on May 13. Mr. Hoult, Vancouver, representative of the Canadian Northern, is also expected to be present at the gathering.

The meeting will be held in the city hall at 4 o'clock in the afternoon of May 13, Mayor Gray, the city council and representatives from the Board of Trade and Progressive association being also present.

BURNABY RESUMES ROAD OILING

Principal Macadamized Roads in the Municipality Will Be Treated This Summer.

Edmonds, May 6.—The oiling of the principal macadamized roads of the municipality will be resumed tomorrow, according to Municipal Engineer F. L. Macpherson. It is estimated that this year the oiling will cost $4000 including the labor connected with managing the sprinkling wagon, sweeping the roads, etc.

It is proposed to give the Douglas and other of the main highways of the municipality which it is proposed to pave this year only one light sprinkling as that will be sufficient to keep the dust down until the permanent improvements are undertaken.

A much heavier oil than used in 1912 will be sprinkled this year. It contains 48 per cent. asphaltum and is supplied by the B. C. Oil refineries at the cost of $1.37 per barrel delivered f.o.b. to any siding in the municipality. It is estimated that the cost per mile for oiling with this liquid will be $160 for a twelve foot strip on each road.

Municipal Engineer Macpherson is a firm believer in oil sprinkling to keep the dust down on the roads in the summer though he states that its advantages all depend on the manner in which it is applied. This year the experiment of sprinkling it on a newly macadamized road on which no traffic has occurred will be tried.

The usual system with the well matured roads is to sweep off the dust and then apply the oil. By this means the liquid soaks right in between the road rock of which the macadamized highway is composed, thus giving a more lasting advantage. When placed on a highway which has not been swept it is mixed up into mud with the first rain and easily removed with the traffic.

Probe Bachelors' Club.

Los Angeles, May 7.—The Bachelor's club, an organization of rich men, quartered in an exclusive section of the city, was subjected to a police investigation today, following disclosures made by a 15 year old girl, Rene Hagberg, of certain alleged acts of some of the members.

German Sailors Drowned.

Cuxhaven, Germany, May 7.—Senior Lieutenant George von Sastraw, of the German navy, and two bluejackets, were drowned yesterday evening by the capsizing of the pinnace of a torpedo boat off the Island of Sylt. Lieut. von Sastrow was the commander of the vessel.

FRENCH CANADIAN ON TRIAL FOR LIFE

Calgary, May 7.—Joseph Dionne, the French Canadian laborer, charged with the murder of little five year old Justine Frick, was called before Magistrate Sanders this morning and the charge was read to him through a French interpreter, Dionne stating that he understood English imperfectly.

Dionne listened to the charge with lowered eyes and then mumbled a few words to the interpreter.

"He says he knows nothing about it," said the latter.

The preliminary hearing of the case will be commenced at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning before Police Magistrate Sanders.

GENERAL MARKET PRODUCE CONVENTION

Agricultural Commissioners Will Be Represented at Today's Meeting—Important Gathering.

The royal agricultural commissioners will be represented at the markets and general produce convention to be held this afternoon in the board of trade room at 1:30 o'clock.

Mr. C. H. Stuart Wade has received word that the chairman, Mr. Hayward, and Commissioner Shannon will be present. Mr. Winslow, chief horticulturist of the department of agriculture, will also be present and it is hoped Mr. W. E. Scott, deputy minister of agriculture, will take part in the proceedings.

PLANS FOR BURNABY SEWERAGE SCHEME

Engineer Macpherson Instructed to Prepare Plans to Accommodate Edmonds and Districts.

Edmonds, May 7.—Municipal Engineer Fred L. Macpherson has been instructed to prepare plans for a comprehensive sewerage scheme covering all those districts in Burnaby which at present have no facilities for carrying away sewerage. The districts include Edmonds, East Burnaby, North Burnaby and other important residential quarters.

The instructions were issued to the engineer at a meeting of the municipal council this evening, the motion being that of Councillor FauVel. It is probable, however, that the engineer's department will not set to work on the plans for some time to come as Mr. Macpherson and his assistants are already heavily beset with work in connection with the Kingsway paving and other improvements. Mr. Macpherson stated that if he was required to go ahead with the plans at once he would need more help but he was told there was no immediate hurry.

From the preliminary discussion this evening it will probably be arranged to empty the sewerage from the districts adjoining New Westminster into that city's trunk sewer. The sewerage from the other districts will be diverted by the easiest possible route to the sea or the Fraser river.

On the receipt of a letter from the solicitors of New Westminster city that it would not be possible on account of the delays to complete the work relating to the Burnaby-New Westminster sewer scheme within the four months called for in the agreement between the Royal City and this municipality, a four months' extension was granted to finish the construction. If necessary a council bylaw permitting the extension of time will be passed.

PHYSICIANS WILL EXAMINE PRISONER

Louis Cvar, Captured at Boundary Line, Alleged Insane—May Be Deported.

Louis Cvar, the Austrian, who was captured by Immigration Officer McColl at Douglas on Tuesday evening while trying to cross the international boundary into the states, will be examined by a commission composed of two physicians before he is brought into court at Burnaby to be tried for jail breaking.

Cvar showed signs of insanity when talking with the police so that his appearance in police court is doubtful.

Cvar is an American citizen, although an Austrian by birth and will probably be deported should he serve out his sentence at the Burnaby prison farm from whence he escaped some weeks ago.

COQUITLAM MAY BUILD NEW HALL

New Municipal Building Is Under Consideration—Good Meeting.

May Make Arrangement for Water Supply from New Westminster Mains.

At the meeting of the municipal district council of Coquitlam last night a discussion took place on the building of a municipal hall on some central site within the municipality, but no definite action was resolved on until the exact financial position of the council was ascertained. The school board's requisition for $5100 was approved of.

Reeve Barth was appointed to meet the water committee of the New Westminster city council tomorrow and negotiate a water supply for Milliardville. An indemnity bylaw was read a third time and a temporary bylaw was adopted.

It was resolved to ask the government to oil the Pitt river road which they are expected to finishin, a week. Permission to build a vaudeville and picture theatre applied for by Lew Davis & Co., New Westminster, was referred to the engineer and solicitor for report, as to what kind of building was contemplated.

The meeting was held in the agricultural hall, Burquitlam, and was attended by a large number of the ratepayers, a large number from Maillardville putting in an appearance.

Water Application.

A letter from Mr. Duncan, Westminster city clerk, was read intimating that the application for water from Milliardville would be considered on Friday by the water committee. If granted the rate would be 10 cents gross rate per 100 cubic feet, the minimum amount to be $25 per month. The net rate, however, would be eight cents per 100 cubic feet.

The reeve suggested it would be advisable to get an estimate of the cost of installation and the properties benefitted.

Mr. Verner, engineer, explained that a former estimate by the old council put it down at $9000.

The Reeve—The installation would be done under the local improvement act so that those benefitted would pay their proportion.

Councillor Mounce raised the question of fire breaking out in the village. He moved that a dozen pails be purchased and placed in the police office so that they could be operated by a bucket brigade.

Mr. Boileau from the audience stated there were only three wells in the entire community during the summer season. People had to pack water about a quarter of a mile for domestic purposes.

The motion was agreed to and Councillor Walker, chairman of the fire committee, authorized to make the purchases and the reeve appointed to meet the New Westminster water committee.

New Municipal Hall.

A letter from Mr. Lamoreaux, Millardville, was read offering his house and a little over one half acre of land for $2300, to the council for the purpose of a municipal hall.

The house and land was central and easy of access.

The question of purchase or of building a new hall was then discussed and resolved itself into a matter of finance.

Councillor Martin said at election time he expressed himself as of opinion that they could not go to the expense of building this year. If they had to build he favored a new hall. He thought it would cost them too much in tearing down and reconstructing. He still considered their finances would not stand it this year. Another thing was that they had ground of their own more centrally situated in the municipality than Maillardville, which was at one extremity of it.

Councillor Foster in answer to a question said Mr. Lamoreux's house was 40 feet long and 26 feet 5 inches in width.

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COUNCIL OF WOMEN; CHILD IMMIGRATION

Montreal, May 7.—A message of greeting from Regina was read at the opening session of the Council of Women this morning. The day was given over to the proposed change in standing committees.

The discussion on the playgrounds committee report brought out the fact that it is impossible to get trained supervisors for play grounds in Canada. Social centres will be added to the committee's work.

A committee on professions for women, with sub-committees for nursing, law, medicine, etc., was formed.

Miss McKenzie, superintendent of the Victorian Order of Nurses, took part in the discussion. A new committee named conservation of natural resources were added to the list.

Victoria and Hamilton local councils stand highest in the record of the greatest number of advertisements for the year book.

Toronto local council brought in a resolution regarding granting a certificate stating age and educational standing, such certificate to be issued by school authorities. This was carried unanimously.

Mothers' Pensions.

Mothers' pensions were advocated by the Toronto council.

Dr. Margaret Gordon suggested that space hereafter be found on the agenda for the work of the national organized societies. But on account of the time involved the resolution was lost. The compulsory education question was brought up and an interesting discussion followed.

The National Council placed itself on record as being in favor of a compulsory education act for the Dominion. Toronto women view with apprehension the increasing number of poor law and other undesirable children coming to Canada. One immigration organization has for 45 years been sending out children. For the past 12 or 14 years they have been sending out 1000 children a year.

Miss Burt of Liverpool, asked per-

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JAPANESE SUCCEED WITH FRUIT FARMS

Port Hammond, May 7—Statements that the Japanese were about the only people who were making good in the small fruit industry and that the white men engaged in the industry were just marking time awaiting developments, were made to the royal commission on agriculture which held a sitting here this afternoon.

Mr. J. C. Metcalf and Mr. John Bailey, two of the best known fruit growers in the district, were the principal witnesses, both stating that while the prices paid for small fruit were no better than eight or ten years ago the cost of labor, material and other things had increased 100 per cent.

According to Mr. Metcalf the only salvation of the industry was better co-operation and the importation of cheaper labor.

He suggested that the co-operative movement extend throughout the lower mainland so that the growers would be able to compete with those on the American side of the border. Together with the high cost of labor the grower during the past few years had been unable to attend much to fertilizing his land with the result that the yield for small fruits had been reduced 70 to 80 crates an acre. Mr. Metcalf instanced several cases where Japanese were leasing or buying lands for small fruit farming and were making a success on the venture.

Chairman Hayward asked witness whether the advent of the Japanese deteriorated the value of the land. Mr. Metcalf said it did, as a white man did not feel like buying land and working same in the same community where Orientals had obtained a foothold.

Mr. John Bailey explained how the Japanese had tried to become members of the Port Hammond Fruit

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BRIDGES AND DEVELOPMENT.

Events of the past few days have shown that bridges and bridge building are live topics in our midst and are destined to prove still more interesting and, we trust, beneficial to this district. We are glad to note that the council is determined to leave no stone unturned in an endeavor to assist the municipalities interested to attain a permanent structure on the North Road.

By no other bridge can results of that beneficial nature which there is the best of ground for anticipating, accrue both to the municipalities and to Westminster, which is equally interested in preserving and improving one of her main arteries of commerce.

Mayor Gray has done well for the city in securing the presence of Sir Richard McBride together with the representatives of the G. N. R. and the C. N. R. at a conference to be held next Tuesday. Bridge matters here will bulk largely in the deliberations, in which it is to be noted that representatives of the Board of Trade and of the Progressive association will take part.

The development of our harbor renders it essential that communication be established with Annacis Island, and the whole question, not only of bridge communication between Annacis Island and Lulu Island and Lulu Island and the city proper, but of an entirely new bridge across the Fraser, will, it is hoped, receive some advancement from this important conference.

Other railways have their eyes upon New Westminster and the advantages offered by the Fraser. One may gain some idea of the nature of one class of freight they will carry from the words of Mr. G. W. Hamilton of Regina, a well known authority upon the wheat situation.

This gentleman is now on the coast and states that as far as Western Saskatchewan is concerned they are figuring upon routing their grain via the Pacific coast ports. He expressed the opinion also that he would not be surprised to see Alberta have its own government elevators either in Vancouver or New Westminster.

Even if the future set of the grain tide alone be considered the future is full of promise, and as the head of the C. N. R. stated in this city last year, we cannot prepare for the future upon too great a scale.

THE UNITED STATES AND JAPAN

The American people are being fed on a lot of "flapdoodle" these days about their helplessness in the face of Japan's big navy and splendid army. They are reminded that their warships are in the Atlantic, and could not get around Cape Horn in time to meet the Japanese fleet if that fine fighting machine were to be hurled across the Pacific at the exposed coasts of California.

The Japanese, we are told, "could occupy Alaska and ravage the Pacific coast from Puget sound to San Diego, not to mention the Pacific terminal of the Panama canal, before the American fleet could get to the Straits of Magellan." This gives us a horrifying picture of Japanese big guns plowing up the exclusive real estate of California which their humble emigrants are not to be permitted to own.

Of course, all this is supreme nonsense. What, in the name of reason would the Japanese want to harry the Pacific coast of the United States for? If they did transport a part of their excellent army across the Pacific and land it in California, how long would it stay there?

Everybody knows that the whole of the United States would eventually arm and pour through the passes of the Rockies and overwhelm the dare-devil invader, before they could sit down tamely under the humiliation and imminent danger of a permanent Japanese occupation of the Pacific States. The Japanese would be fighting a losing battle from the first.

They would be merely wasting men and treasure; and they have none too much of the latter at all events.

Then it should be remembered that it would be no light adventure for the Japanese navy to cross the great Pacific ocean, far from its coaling stations and supply bases, and enter upon a hostile campaign on the American coast. The American navy might be slow in arriving; but when it did get there, it would be "among friends"—it would have plenty of coal at hand—it could get all the supplies and ammunition it needed.

Moreover, it is the larger and heavier fleet. The Japanese could indulge in their "carnival of folly" only until the Americans steamed up. Then they would have to cut and run for it, with empty bunkers and the whole Pacific ocean to cross.

No one who has studied the situation imagines for a moment that the Japanese would be mad enough to carry the war so far from home. They would simply occupy the Philipines—and possibly Hawaii—and sit tight. They would permit the Americans to do the long and perilous voyaging across the widest of the oceans.

Nations at war do not fight for the sheer fun of it. They conduct their campaigns with some definite object in view; and there could be no possible object in flinging a Japanese expedition into California. It could not plant the flag of Nippon there over an inch of new territory.

All this is on the assumption that Japan would go to war with the United States—a most unlikely hypothesis. Such a war would come near to bankrupting that plucky little kingdom. Finances is the weak point in the defences of Japan; and a gigantic struggle with a great and wealthy—if naeedy—people like the Americans, would put intolerable pressure upon that precise point.

The United States, meanwhile, would bear the financial strain quite easily, and would be entirely confident that in the end it could at least make its own coasts impregnable. If it lost the "white elephant" of the Philipinnes in the melee, it would only hayve lost a bill of expense and a burden of responsibility, with precious of comfort or profit.

Then we must not forget the part which Britain would play. Britain would never permit war between her ally and her friend if she could possibly help it. She would exhaust the resources of appeal and reason, and even pressure before she stood aside and watched with dismay this destructive head-on collision.

Whichever of the combatants might win, Britain would lose—and lose heavily. Much of her prestige in Europe would be cut away by this quarrel between her aly in Asia and her friend in America.—Montreal Star.

LOYALTY, PATRIOTISM, FEALTY

"Loyalty" and "patriotism" are generaly used as synonymous words in Canada. There is really a very remote relationship between them, even when "loyalty" is misused, as it commonly is.

The popular error concerning "loyalty" lies in the supposition that it referes to special devotion to the throne. "Fealty" is the word, which of right, bears the signification ordinarily in country attached quite wrongly to "loyalty." "Patriotism" refers exclusively to love of "Fatherland," that is to say, of native land. One might be the most patriotic of citizens, yet utterly disloyal and entirely lacking in fealty. One might be the most devoted of subjects to the king or queen, yet devoid of both patriotism and loyalty.

In brief, "patriotism" means devotion to country; "loyalty," devotion to institutions; "fealty," devotion to leadership, be it kingly or elected. Our patriotism, our public love and devotion should be for our own land first, last, and always.

Our loyalty, we owe to the empire, the foundation of our institutions. Our fealty is due, and right willingly will be paid, to the crown head of that empire.—Hailifax Chronicle.

CANADIAN HISTORY TODAY

MAY EIGHTH.

In 1641, the Sieur de Maisonneuve, leader of a little band of forty men and four women sent out by a religious association to found "Ville Marie de Montreal," landed in New France. It was too late to commence the new settlement that year, so they wintered near Quebec.

The governor, Montmagny, urged that they should settle where their presence would strengthen Quebec, but Maisonneuve declared "It is my duty to found a colony at Montreal; and I would go, if every tree were an Iroquois."

Accordingly on this date—May 8th—two hundred and seventy-one years ago, he and his followers embarked on their perilous enterprise. Their little flotilla consisted of a pinnace, a flat-bottomed sailing craft and two rowboats. They were nine days on the voyage, and when they approached the site of Canada's greatest city "all on board arised in unison a hymn of praise."

Montmagny, on behalf of the "Hundred Associates," from whom the adventurers were obtaining a grant of St. Helen's Island, had come with them to give possession in due form; and they landed on the "Place Royale," chosen by Champlain, thirty-one years earlier, as a good spot for a settlement.

The treaty of Washington, in which Canada was vitally interested, was signed forty-two years ago today, May 8, 1871. In addition to submitting the Alabama claims to arbitration, the fisheries question was determined for a twelve-year period, during which fish and fish oil were to be admitted free as between Canada and the United States, and each was to share freely in the fisheries of the other.

As the United States was the beneficiary of such an arrangement, it was agreed that a lump sum should be paid the Dominion of Newfoundland, the former eventually receiving $4,490,882. The treaty admitted Americans to the navigation of the St. Lawrence and the Canadian canal system. The privilege of transporting lumber from the Maine woods down the St. John to the ocean was also granted to Americans.

Canadians were permitted to share in the free navigation of the Yukon, Porcupine and Stikine rivers in Alaska. The free passage of merchandise in bond through either country was another important provision.

San Juan Island, commanding the straits between British Columbia and the United States, was later awarded to the United States, as a result of that section of the treaty submitting the question of ownership to the arbitration of the German ruler.

Sir Samuel Leonard Tilley, a leader in the Confederation movement, and later member of the Dominion parliament, minister of finance, and lieutenant-governor of New Brunswick, was born at Georgetown, N. B., ninety-five years ago today, and died in St. John in 1896.

The four provisional districts now comprising the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta were created by the Dominion government thirty-one years ago today.

LITERARY NOTES.

On April 28th, T. Fisher Unwin of London, published a volume of "American City Government" by Professor Charles A. Beard, of Columbia University.

The work is not a systematic treatise on municipal government, but a survey of recent tendencies. It lays special stress on the social and economic functions of city government, and among the subjects treated are: Municipal Democracy, Municipal Government and Administration; Raising and spending the City's Money; Guardin gthe City Against Crime and Vice; Franchises and Public Utilities. Municipal Ownership; The Streets of the City; Guarding the Halth of the People; Tenement-House Reform; Education and Industrial Training; Municipal Recreation; and City Planning.

Social students wil find much that is valuable in this account of American methods of dealing with the problems of modern city life.

THE HUMAN PROCESSION.

(By O. Terence.)

James A. Patten, Wheat and Cotton Plunger, 60 Today.

James A. Patten, the multi-millionaire speculator, who became an international figure by reason of his sensational and profitable wheat and cotton "corners," was born on an Illinois farm, at Freeland Corners, sixty years ago today. He was educated in the country schools, and at seventeen went to work as a clerk in a rural town store.

After two years in such mercantile pursuits he returned to the plow, and for several years was employed as a "hand" on his grandfather's farm, at a salary of $16 per month and his "keep." In 1874 he went to Chicago to become an employe of the state grain inspection department, and later entered the grain commission business with his brother.

Becoming more and more daring in his speculations, he was almost uniformly successful, and his daring wheat and cotton corners made him a millionaire many times over. The Patten cotton corner, it is said, gave him a profit of ten million dollars. Mr. Patten was recently convicted of violation of the Sherman anti-trust law, and was fined $4,000.

The charge was based on the "bull" campaign carried on by Patten and his associates in the 1910-11 cotton crop, and the former plunger pleaded guilty, while at the same time declaring that in so doing he was not "conscious of being guilty of any moral turpitude or of offending in the slightest degree against any law or proper rule of conduct."

Rear-Admiral Robert Potts, U. S. N., was born in Dublin, Ireland, seventy-eight years ago today, and was educated in New York. He entered the United States navy as an engineer and served through the civil war, becoming chief engineer in 1873. He retired in 1897, and was after given the rank of rear-admiral, as a recognition of his civil war services.

Last February the admiral's youngest daughter, Frances, took the veil, despite her father's pleading, thus following the example of her two older sisters. The Potts sisters were very popular in Washington and Baltimore society, and noted for their beauty.

As members of the Carmelite order, the sisters are pledged to a life of silence and perpetual prayer.

The Rev. Dr. John Wesley Hill, president of the International Peace Forum, and a leader in the movement for disarmament and arbitration, rounds out half a century of life today, having been born at Kalida, O., May 8, 1863.

Dr. Hill was ordained to the Methodist ministry in 1889, and served congregations at Sprague, Wash., Ogden, Utah, Helena, Mont., Fostoria, O., and Harrisburg, Pa., before beginning his connection with the Metropolitan Temple in New York.

As a political speaker he has taken part in several Republican campaigns and has delivered lectures on international peace, religious and civic topics in cities all over the United States and Canada and in Engalnd.

Robert Ingersoll Aitken, one of the most distinguished of younger American sculptors, was born in San Francisco, thirty-five years ago today. His native city contains many of the finest examples of his genius, including the McKinley monument in Golden Gate Park, and the Bret Harte, Haal McAllister and American navy monuments.

At the recent "Cubist Academy of Misapplied Arts" in New York, Mr. Aitken carried off the first prize, a lead medal, with his bust of Herbert Adams, a fellow sculptor. Mr. Aitken's more serious work includes busts of Modjeska, David Warfield, Augustus Thomas, and other notables.

SCRAP BOOK FOR TODAY

Martinique, 11 Years After Disaster, Still Scene of Desolation.

Its bare bones bleaching in the tropic sun, its roofless ruins open to the rain, a scene of desolation and destruction, a city dead beyond hope of resurrection—such is St. Pierre, such it has been since eleven years ago today, the eighth of May, 1902, when Mount Pelee sent down its cloud of death; such it will ever be until its grim and grisly skeleton has crumbled into dust.

Eleven years ago today, at 7.30 in the morning, St. Pierre, the metropolis of the French West Indian Island of Martinique was a city of forty thousand population. An hour later it was a collection of ruins, with a living population of one person, a convict, who escaped with his life, but died a few days later.

A deafening explosion was the herald of destruction, and the people rushed for the churches, where death in the form of a cloud of sulphurous gases, came down upon them and stifled their cries and their prayers.

Of eighteen vessels in the harbor only one escaped the tidal wave that followed the eruption.

The eleventh anniversary of that most complete of disasters finds St. Pierre's ruins half covered with vines and undergrowth and gay blossoms. Within its ruins lie the bones of most of its victims of nature's holocaust, for but few of the bodies were recovered and buried elsewhere.

In the outskirts of the dead city are a few huts inhabitated by negroes who risk Pelee's perils in order to sell relics to tourists. These half naked vendors of grisly mementos are St. Pierre's only inhabitants.

An examination of the ruins gives some idea of the brief terrors of that day of wrath. All metals were melted or fused, blocks of marble and granite were split into fragments, and wood was charred as if by flame.

The main business stret of St. Pierre, a mile long, is still lined with shops of stone, but all are empty, save for the volcanic dust that fills most of them to a depth of several feet. Doors and windows are gone for neither wood nor glass could withstand the heat.

Trees, shrubs, vegetation of all sorts, line the deserted thoroughfare that was once the most fashionable shopping street in the West Indies, and creeping vines and brilliant flowers bedeck the ruins that are the tombs of forty thousand. The gayest, wickedest city in the West Indies is as dead as Sodom and Gomorrah.

Fourteen miles south of St. Pierre is Fort-de-France, now the capital and commercial metropolis of Martinique. It is a city of about twenty-five thousand population, and since the destruction of St. Pierre, has become the trade centre of the 150,000 people who inhabit the fertile valleys and rugged mountain slopes of Martinique.

Martinique has just sufered a severe blow by reason of the adverse report of the French engineers sent out to investigate the possibilities for trade consequent upon the opening of the Panama canal.

It was hoped that the great maritime traffic would bring prosperity to Martinique, but the commissioners found that shipping would take a more northerly route, and that expenditures for dock and harbor improvements would not be justified.

Martinique was the birthplace of Josephine, Empress of the French, and her youth was spent near St. Pierre. A statue of the first wife of the Man of Destiny was St. Pierre's most magnificent monument.

The centennary of the death of Josephine will be observed a year hence with special memorial exercises at Fort-de-France.

OUR POET'S CORNER

THOU REMEMBEREST.

God of the universe, what dost thou ask
Of a handful of dust?
Is there no gauging of strength of the task
When the master is just?
'Neath the terrible wheels we have cried, we have striven
When o'er the King's highway his chariots are driven,
Who, hearing, shall pity? Who, seeing, shall care?
We are dust on the air.

God of the worlds, dost thou heed from afar
When the wind on the sea,
Forgot of the wave and unheard of the star,
Cries wailing to thee?
The black of the midnight enfoldeth alone
The voice of our grieving, the plaint of our moan;
What fiat of destiny framed us to be
Winds lost on the sea.

Great Worker, Great Dreamer, love smote thee to lean
Down the spaces of splendor that lightened between;
To touch this dull earth till each clod was athrill
And write in the dust the plain word of thy will;
To breathe in the winds on the dark of the sea
The breath of thy spirit—a challenge from thee,
Oh, great the remembrance and mighty the trust!
Thou knowest, O God, we are wind, we are dust!

—Grace Duffield-Goodwin.

NATIONAL INSURANCE

Life Insurance May Be Added to Lloyd George's System.

who is Chancellor Lloyd George's lieutenant in the administration of the scheme of national insurance, hinted at a great development of the act in a speech at the inaugural dinner of the Faculty of insurance at the Trocadero last Saturday night.

"It may be," he said, "that life insurance will be added to sickness insurance in the future—that the inquiry we have introduced through the insurance committee into the conditions which make for the prevalence of disease, such as bad houses and overcrowding, may develop into something beyond the dreams of anyone present.

"We may find we shall pay less attention to the parents and be compelled to pay more attention to the children. It may be that the comparatively small method by which through this act we are subsidizing medical research may develop beyond the expectations of even those who have placed it in the act. It may be that more and more we shall find that prevention is less costly than the cure.

"We shall ot be amazed and we shall not be miserable if, towards the end of our days, we find that others who succeeds us have taken hold of this act and transformed it almost beyond recognition as a great scheme of social reform."

CUPID WORKS OVERTIME IN CANADIAN WEST

London, May 7.—Presiding at the annual meeting of the central emigration board yesterday, Sir E. Edling Lawrence spoke in strong terms of a fallacy provided by the immigration laws, which, he said, prevented the entry of any person whose passage had been wholly or partly defrayed by any public body or charitable organization, yet, if he wanted, he could send a "waster" to Canada, to send a "waster" to Canada told hard upon the board, or any similar organization that after careful inquiry into a man's fitness, and assisting him out he should be refused entry.

Some details of the opportunity for matrimony were then given by Miss Teetgen, who spent the greater part of the last wour years in the Dominion. She said that if a woman went out to the west she was married almost inevitably.

She herself, had had seven proposals in seven weeks, and she did not even know the names of some of the men, one of whom was a cook. On a C. P. R. train, she said a party of 45 girls went from Montreal to Vancouver. Forty of them got married on the way and only five of them arrived at their destination.

J. O. Smith, immigration officer, said one of the objects of the central emigration board was that it professd to encourage and promote the emigration of desirable and suitable persons form the United Kingdom to the British dominions overseas. It was a matter, of regret, he said, that this policy had not been fully recognized years ago.

Twelve or thirteen years ago, 67 per cent. of the total emigration from this country west to foreign lands. Last year the state of things was reversed and 82 per cent. of the total emigration from the United Kingdom went to places within the empire.

COUNTESS LAMBSDORFF DANCES 16,000 MILES

St. Petersburg, May 7.—Widespread interest has been created in society circles here by the publication of the memoirs of Countess Lambsdorff.

The authoress, who in her youth was an enthusiastic dancer, states that prior to her marriage she attended 225 balls and after her wedding 557 more.

At the different dances she received eighteen offers of marriage. Afterwards 272 men sent her love letters and a hundred of he radmirers threatened to shoot themselves in their despair.

The number of dances which the countess takes to her credit is stupendous. Altogether she took part in 2,934 square dances, 4,500 waltzes and 600 polkas, her partners numbering 1,760.

Of the latter she described 1,200 as stupid, 300 as boresome, 120 offensive, 32 nice and 3 witty.

Countess Lamtsdorff estimates the total distance danced by her at not less than 16,000 miles.

A Witty Cadi.

"The gallows will be my end; I'm very passionate," said a young woman who applied to Mr. Hedderwick at the North London Police Court for a summons against a man for assaulting her.

The Magistrate: "I'm very sorry to hear that. You must endeavor to control your passion."

Applicant: "But I'm Irish and Spanish mixed."

The Magistrate: "That ought to be a splendid mixture—the Spanish people are brave and the Irish people are numerous."

The woman said the man was a mean worm to assault her.

The Magistrate: "Yes, there are lots of worms; they will have all of us some day."

Sir Sydney Olivier.

The appointment of Sir Sydney Olivier as secretary to the Board of Agriculture occasioned some discussion in England owing to the fact that he is a Socialist, but there can be no question as to his fitness for the post.

Sir Sydney Olivier is fifty-four years of age, and is the son of Rev. H. A. Olivier, of Winchfield, Hants, Eng. He was educated at Tonbridge School and Oxford, and in 1882 he entered the Colonial Office. In his early days he was an ardent Socialist, and helped to found the Fabian Society.

Scene from "Oliver Twist" with Nat Goodwin at the opera house Thursday

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SYNOPSIS OF COAL MINING REGULATIONS.

COAL MINING rights of the Dominion in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the Northwest Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years at an annual rental of $1 an acre. Not more than 2560 acres will be leased to one applicant.

Application for a lease must be made by the applicant in person to the Agent or Sub-Agent of the district in which the rights applied for are situated.

In surveyed territory the land must be described by sections, or legal sub-divisions of sections, and in unsurveyed territory the tract applied for shall be staked out by the applicant himself.

Each application must be accompanied by a fee of $5 which will be refunded if the rights applied for are not available, but not otherwise. A royalty shall be paid on the merchantable output of the mine at the rate of five cents per ton.

The person operating the mine shall furnish the Agent with sworn returns accounting for the full quantity of merchantable coal mined and pay the royalty thereon. If the coal mining rights are not being operated such returns should be furnished at least once a year.

The lease will include the coal mining rights only, but the lessee will be permitted to purchase whatever available surface rights may be considered necessary for the working of the mine at the rate of $10 an acre.

For full information application should be made to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, or to any Agent or Sub-Agent of Dominion Lands.

W. W. CORY,
Deputy Minister of the Interior.

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A PAGE FOR *The* GARDENER

SPRAYING KEEPS PESTS FROM TREES

Diseases to Which Peaches Are Subject—Good Pruning and Fertiling of Orchard Necessary.

The chief objects of spraying are to keep trees healthy and vigorous to prevent the fruit from falling and to preserve it from injury by either insects or diseases, says Porf. L. Saesar, O. A. C., Guelph, in the Canadian Horticulist.

The chief insects that weaken peach trees or attack the fruit are San Jose scale, plum curculio, peach borers, and shotbole borers, or pin borers as they are often called. Several other insects such as aphids, red spiders, tarnished plant bugs and peach twig borers are present, but seldom require much attention.

The chief peach diseases are: Leaf curl, brown rot, scab or black spot, of thme fruit, powdery mildew, crown gall, gummonsis yellows, and little peach. Of these insects and diseases the following can be controlled by spraying: San Jose scale, plum curculio, leaf curl, brown rot, scab or black spot of fruit and powdery mildew. It is true that sprays will control aphids, red spiders and twig borers, but, as mentioned above, these are seldom of much importance, and so would not in themselves justify treatment.

San Jose scale and leaf curl can both be satisfactorily controlled by a single verythorough spraying of the trunk and branches with stronk lime-sulphur, either comemrcial or home-made concentrated. If the commercial is used, it should be diluted about one gallon to eight, but the safest way to dilute either tis or the home-made concentrated, is to use the hydrometer as described on pages twelve and thirteen in bulletin 188 of the Ontario department of agriculture, and make the strength 1.032 specific gravity or even stronger.

Spray in Spring.

The spraying should be done because the leaf curl disease begins to develop with the buds and often cannot be warded off if the spraying is delayed until the buds are almost ready to burst. Damp, cold springs when the buds are swelling and the leaves coming out greatly favor this disease.

No one should expect to control it or San Jose scale unles he will take the trouble to cover every twig and bud, and, in fact, the whole tree with the sprays. In most orchards these two pests are by far the most destructive ones controllable by spraying, therefore, this application is much the most important; in fact, it is the only application the majority of our peach orchards receive.

An application of four pounds of arsenate of lead to forty gallons of water, to which one or two pounds of freshly slacked lime has been added, is of great value against the plum curculio if applied shortly after the fruit has set and before it is half an inch in diameter.

It is also indirectly valuable against brown rot, because wherever the curculios feed on the fruit they give an opportunity to the spores of this disease to enter, hence the prevention of such insect injuries means to a large extent the prevention of brown rot.

Preventing Scab.

Whenever scab, or black spot, as it is often called, attacks and disfigures the fruit, this can be prevented by a thorough application of the self-boiled lime-sulphur about four weeks after the blossoms have fallen. The self-boiled lime-sulphur is a weak spray mixture, and is the only really safe one we yet know of for peach trees after the foliage is out.

The commercial and home made concentrated will burn unless diluted so greatly that they are ineffective against diseases. The self-boiled is made by putting the lime and sulphur together in a vessel, adding water and allowing the heat generated by the slaking of lime to do the boiling.

Whenever a grower is troubled with brown rot, the use of the self-boiled lime sulphur about four weeks before the fruit ripens will be found very valuable. Of course, as previously mentioned, he must have previously sprayed for plum curculio with the arsenate of lead if this insect is present.

The self-boiled lime sulphur clings to the pubescence of the fruit, so has to be applied nearly a month before ripening or otherwise it will remain on the fruit and render it unsaleable. This is the reason it is not applied nearer the time of ripening. Usually it is the white-fleshed and early peaches that are most subject to rot and that would be most benefited by spraying.

The Mildew.

It is very seldom that growers spray for mildew on the leaves, but if a considerable number of trees are affected the self-boiled lime sulphur can be used against this disease also. The mildew is a surface feeding disease and can be killed after it appears, whereas spraying for other diseases is intended to prevent germination of the spores and thus keep the disease from getting a start.

The different sprayings that peach orchards may receive and the object of each haw now been outlined. Each grower will have to be his own judge as to how many of these applications it will be desirable for him to use, but no grower can afford to omit the first application.

This should be given to every peach tree on the farm, even though it be just freshly set out from the nursery, for such trees are subject to leaf curl, and there is also a possibility that once in a long while a live scale may chance to be found in one of them, whether the nursery stock was grown in Canada or in the United States.

Other Things Necessary.

The value of spraying any kind of orchard is increased by good pruning, cultivation and fertilizing of the orchard. The pruning allows the air to circulate more freely and the sunlight to get through the branches better, consequently the leaves and fruit dry off rapidly after a rain. This drying off is unfavorable to fungus diseases, most of which thrive best where the air is stagnant and moisture abundant.

The removal of all dead and dying branches and trees and burning these along with any brush heap and rubbish there may be nearby before May helps against several insects and is the best means known to keep orchards free from shothole borers.

Cultivation if continued up to about August 1st, will destroy numerous pupae of the plum curculio and leave no good hiding place for the adults over winter. Moreover it, along with fertilizers, helps to give vigor to the trees and render them less susceptible to attack by either insects or diseases.

No Cures Known.

There is not space to discuss the best methods of combating the different insects or diseases that spraying is ineffective against, but it is perhaps desirable to utter a word of warning here to growers against placing much faith in the so-called cures of peach yellows and little peach.

The writer has probably given more careful thought and study to these diseases than any other man in Canada and would welcome any remedy that would be even partially helpful. He has seen the cases that have been supposed to have been cured and believes that there is not sufficient proof yet that any diseased tree has been cured.

It is even doubtful whether the substances used have helped the trees at all; at any rate, at least another year must elapse before any conclusions can be drawn. There is as present only one known way of combating these diseases, namely, to take out the diseased trees promptly and burn them.

GARDEN LAWN IRRIGATION.

Upon application at the collector's department, City Hall, permits will be issued free of charge to householders who are property consumers of water from the City Corporation's water system.

J. J. Mackay,
(1267) City Treasurer.

GROWING GARDEN PEAS.

Easily grown and One of the Most Palatable of Vegetables.

Garden peas require a rather rich and friable soil with good drainage in order that the first plantings may be made early in the spring.

Fertilizers that are high in nitrogeneous matter should not be applied to the land immediately before planting, as they will have a tendency to produce too great a growth of vines at the expense of pods. Land that has been well manured the previous year will be found satisfactory without additional fertilizer.

A sandy loam is to be preferred for growing peas, but a good crop may be produced on clay soils; however, the pods will be a few days later in forming. Peas are easily grown and form one of the most palatable of garden products.

The first plantings should be of such varities as Alaska or Gradus, which make a small but quick growth and may or may not be provided with supports. The dwarf sorts, like Amehican Wonder come on later, require very little care, and produce peas of fine quality.

The tall growing sort of the Telephone type are desirable on account of their large production and excellent quality. Sugar peas have tender pods and if gathered very young, the pods may be eaten in the same manner as snap beans. In order to maintain a continuous supply of fresh peas, plantings should be made every tn days or two weeks during the spring months, beginning as soon as the ground can be worked.

For the best results peas should be planted in the bottom of a furrow six inches in depth and the seeds covered with not more than two or three inches of soil. If the soil is heavy the covering should be less than two inches. After the plants attain a height of four or five inches the soil should be worked in around them until the trench is filled. The rows for peas should be three feet apart for the dwarf sort and four feet apart for the tall kinds.

A pint of seed wil plant about 100 feet of single row. Many growers folow the practice of planting in a double row with a six inch space between. The double row method is especially adapted for the varieties that require some sort of support, as a trellis can be placed between the two rows.

Brush stuck in the ground wil answer as a support for the peas to climb upon. Three foot poultry netting makes a desirable trellis. If peas are planted for autumn use the earliest varieties should be employed.

HOW TO ELIMINATE ROOT MAGGOTS IN GARDENS

One of the most serious and increasing pests in the garden is the root maggot, attacking radishes, turnips, cabbages and cauliflower. This larva or so-called worm is the young of a fly closel resyembling the house fly.

A good plan for control is to sprinkle turpentine or kerosene on sand, enough to give it a strong odor, and stir it up well in a bucket. Then sprinkle a little of this close to the roots of the plants, and on each side of them shortly after the leaves commence to develop.

It will be enough to drive away the flies that lay the eggs from which the maggots or worms hatch. If there is much rain after the application it should be repeated again.

FLOWER CHORUS IN SPRING

Oh, such a commotion under the ground
When March called "Ho, there, ho"
Such spreading of rootlets far and wide
Such whispering to and fro!
"Are you ready," the Snowdrop asked,
"'Tis time to start, you know."
"Almost, my dear," the scilla replied,
"I'll follow as soon as you go."
Then "Ha, ha, ha!" a chorus came
Of laughter, sweet and low.
Of millions of flowers under the ground,
Yes, millions, beginning to grow.

"I'll promise my blossoms," the crocus said,
"When I hear the blackbird sing."
And straight thereafter, the narcissus cried,
"My silver and gold, I'll bring.
"And ere they are dulled," another spoke,
"The hyacinth bells shall ring;"
But the violet only murmured, "I'm here,"
And sweet grew the air of spring.
Then "Ha, ha, ha," a chorus came
Of laughter, sweet and low,
From millions of flowers under the ground,
Yes, millions, beginning to grow.

—Emerson.

CUTWORMS IN GARDENS.

Troublesome Pests in Some Seasons—How to Handle Them.

A poison bait made with bran and Paris green and sweetened with molasses or sugar seems to be a most effective remedy for cutworms in gardens. As far as is to be seen, birds do not touch it.

Mix Paris green and bran together unti lthe bran is quite green. Cornmeal can be used instead, and is perhaps quite as good, or better, than the bran, or shorts can be mixed with the bran (the writer used some self-rising pancake flour with good effect.)

Mix this with water to the consistency of chicken dough, as above stated and place a spoonful at intervals through the garden wher cutworms are bad, not closer than three four or five inches to a plant. This is best done at sundown or in the early evening.

The old-time remedy of tin collars or paper collars around tomatoes and other plants, when not too numerous, is excellent. Care must be taken, however, not to enclose the cutworm in the soil inside the colar.

Where a plot or a flower bed or a limited planted area is to be protected, supposing, of course, that no cutworms exist in the space, one can afford to place boards temporarily around the area putting the edge of the boards about two and one half to three inches below the surface of the ground and letting them project six inches or more, so that the valuable plants to be protected are enclosed by the tight board.

Put poisoned bait at intervals on the outside of this enclosure close to the boards, or, better, smear the boards with a narrow band of some sticky substance, such as tanglefoot. This has been used successfully to form a barrier against stalk borers in gardens by putting it on the outside of boards as indicated above.

One might go to the trouble of sharpening a broomstick or a hoe handle and making numerous deep holes on the outside of this barrier into which the worms might fall, where they can be easily kiled, or, for that matter, the holes might be made around unprotected plants. This board plan might also be used where plants are grown in rows, running a board on each side of the row, care, of course, being taken as above, that no cutworms are enclosed inside.

SOLVING PPOBLEM OF ANTS IN THE GARDEN

Ants in the garden are rather difficult to eradicate when in large numbers, and this latter fact is largely due to some specialy attractive feature in the soil. Working the land so as to break up the small pests has a good effect in driving the insects away.

Watering also makes the place unpleasant for the ants. A light sprinkling of nitrate of soda indues growth and shade, and also is distasteful to the ants. This may be put on with a watering pot after dissolving it in water, one ounce in three gallons.

A more radical treatment is ta take about a teaspoonful of bisulphide of carbon and pour it into each nest, and then close up the entry by pushing earth over it with the foot.

HIGH PRICES STARE PARISIANS IN FACE

Landlords Want More Money—People With Fixed Incomes Object to More.

Paris, May 7.—After a steady progressive increase in the price of living during the last few years, the unfortunate Parisian is suddenly being faced with a big rise in his rent, without any reason being given by the tyrannical "proprio," who, as soon as current leases run out, simply doubles, trebles or quadruples his demand.

It is natural that, with a general inflation of prices from that of the commonest necessities upwards, the cost of labor and material should rise gradually. But in the matter of rents the jump has not been at all gradual.

No explanation is offered for this phenomenon. Landords cynically raise rents, and in reply to quiries merely shrug their shoulders and say, "Every thing can be let," and the wretched tenants can only submit or move out. They generally move.

There must, however, sooner or later, come a movement when the limit is reached, but temporarily anybody who intends living in Paris should estimate his budget on the basis of twenty-five per cent. of his income for rent and "contributions," and another twenty-five per cent. for the plus cost of living here as compared with the ordinary life in other capitals.

He will then be left with fifty per cent. of his revenue instead of seventy or eighty upon which to exist.

M. Cochon, president of the Syndicate of Tenants, is a very busy man indeed. His offices are beseiged by scores of poor folk who have come to look upon him as their only resource. One day this week he received offers to lodge a few families from humane sympathizers who happened to have empty rooms.

In the first case two couples each with four small children, were housed by a charitable house owner and then a telephone message gave the unexpected news that an empty house existed in the Latin quarter, where a number of volunteers quickly escorted no fewer than four families. Nobody knew to whom the house belonged and nobody opposed the installation of the poor wanderers.

But more expelled refugees arrived faster than they could be got rid of, many of them in a piteous condition, such as mothers with several children whose husbands were dead or away on military service.

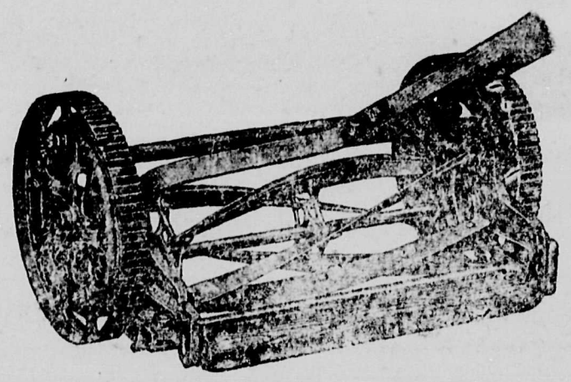
After forcibly rushing several empty rooms and being arrested several times, the indefatigable Cochon finally decided to escort as many as he could to the Hotel de Ville. The first handcart, full of nondescript household furniture, managed to slip into the court yard, and before the policeman on duty could prevent it the cart was unloaded in one of the passages.

Cochon, who commanded the party, was again arrested, but there came another cart with a soldier in the shafts dragging his wife and two babies. This was fololwed by a third and a fourth, and the square in front of the Hotel de Ville was filled with an amused but sympathetic crowd. Gradually, however, each succeeding caravan was taken in charge by the police and the homeless tenants were given temporary shelter and food.

It might have been thought that the Assistance Publique, which has immense funds at its disposal and plenty of spare room in many public buildings, would have been appealed to, but all these poor waifs seem to prefer leaving their cases in the hands of M. Cochon who, in spite of his somewhat eccentric and forcible methods has proved a real providence and has succeeded in finding temporary lodings for several hundreds of people expelled into the streets by callous-hearted proprietors.

The worst feature of the situation is that there is no apparent permanent remedy, and no means of compelling owners to accept tenants, especially those having large families, while the state possesses no special machinery for meting this kind of distress which is the result rather of general economic conditions than any specific evil other than the racapity of house owners.

A proposal is being matured in Aberdeen Episcopal church circles with the idea of raising St. Andrew's church, Aberdeen to the status of a cathedral.



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McLEOD AND LEWIS ARE REINSTATED

Two Westminster Athletes Are Once More Reinstated to Amateur Ranks.

Donald McLeod and W. J. Lewis, two athletes of this city, were restored to good standing in the amateur ranks by the provincial board of the British Columbia Amateur Athletic union at a meeting held in Victoria on Monday evening.

Both McLeod and Lewis were under the ban because they had associated themselves with a so-called professional bunch, but both having made affidavits to the effect that they had not received money for playing soccer, the union had little else to do but to reinstate them.

Hereafter when a reinstatement case comes up for action at the hands of the provincial board, the application can be permitted unless a dissenting vote is received within 14 days from the date application is made.

The McBride shield, emblematic of the soccer football championship of the province will remain in the hands of the trustees this year, owing to Victoria and the B. C. E. R. teams of Vancouver not being able to agree regarding a neutral ground for the play off. A revision of the rules governing the custody of the trophy will be made before the shield is again placed in competition.

The next meeting will be held in the Moose club on Saturday evening.

MEASLES BREAK OUT AMONG ALTA VISTA CHILDREN

Edmonds, May 6.—Several cases of measles have broken out among the children attending the Alta Vista school and though no concern is expressed as to a possible spread of the ailment the school board are issuing a circular letter to the parents in the neighborhood advising as to the best preventive measures to adopt to safeguard their children.

The parents are advised to keep a careful watch for suspicious symptoms and ini cases where the children take ill they are asked to keep them at home. They are also requested not to permit their children to mingle with members of households in which the ailment exists and also not to permit them or any member of their own household, if a member is afflicted to visit the homes of other children or play with them.

COQUITLAM MAY BUILD NEW HALL

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Councillor Atkins—The question of finance was most important. Their road work must not be allowed to suffer through the purchase or building of a hall. Something must be done for the Lake Como road people.

In the discussion about finances the reeve said they had roughly $60,000 at their disposal, and they had expended $7000 of that.

State of Exchequer.

Councillor Foster demurred to that rosy state of the exchequer and pointed out that the expenses of administration, interest on loans, sinking fund, etc., had to be deducted and he estimated they would not have much more than $15,000.

It was finally resolved to hold the matter over until thtey had ascertained definitely how the council stood financially and meantime secure temporary offices for the clerk and inquire as to other sites in the municipality with the recommendations of a central situation and easy access.

The sanitary condition of Milliardville came under review in a letter from Dr. Sutherland, the medical health officer. Dr. Sutherland said they were not what they ought to be.

The constable should be appointed sanitary inspector with authority to order places to be cleaned up. Garbage and ash tins should be provided and removed once a week, the garbage to be burned or buried.

The water supply was a source of danger as the people were compelled to drink surface water.

The doctor also suggested that if prizes were offered for the best gardens, Milliardville, in a few months, would be a beauty spot.

The importance of the subject was recognized and the medical officer's suggestions adopted. In addition Mr. McIntyre, municipal solicitor, was requested to make extracts from the old health bylaw applicable to the situation which could be distributed throughout Maillardville in the shape of posters.

Indemnity Bylaw.

The indemnity bylaw was read a third time. It provides for the indemnifying of reeve and councillors for their time attending meetings and the business of the municipality, the reeve at the rate of $300 per annum and the councillors $200. As the council were only in March the rate this year, however, will only amount to $225 for the reeve and $150 for the councillors.

The reeve explained that in regard to the bill of $700 rendered to them by Port Coquitlam he had seen Mayor Mars and after a tussle succeeded in impressing him with the fact that the expenditure did not concern them, but was all laid out within the new city. The clerk was instructed to record the fact and also the high appreciation of the council of the reeve's action.

Pitt River Road.

The reeve informed the council that the Pitt River road was expected to be finished by the government this week. It would be all right when it was completed, but he pointed out that the heavy motor and wagon traffic would soon tear it to pieces if it were not oiled. Port Coquitlam had a contract with Cotton & Co. for the oiling of their streets and he suggested that as the machinery was all ready and convenient there it might be judicious if they approved of his suggestion to get them to oil the Pitt River road.

The government might be asked to defray the cost and hand over the road completely finished and they could then undertake its maintenance.

Mr. Verner said the cost worked out at $175 a mile and approximately there were five miles to oil from the Brunette river.

On the motion of Councillor Martin it was agreed to request the government to perform the work.

The dilatoriness of Mr. R. S. Scott, the contractor for the Bond road, in getting on with the work, caused Councillor Atkins to move that if he did not commence operations by Monday the council would proceed with the work by day labor and charge the bill up to him. The motion was adopted.

The clerk of Burnaby municipality wrote regarding the furnishing of water to the Coquitlam residents on the North road that the work across the narrows was expected to be completed by May 15 and that they expected the water would be turned on then. The request was in the hands of the water committee and it was probable the council would have the requisite water to spare.

Councillor Martin said he had seen the clerk and it was probable the water would be turned on sonner, perhaps today or tomorrow. The pipes were all laid along the North road.

The reeve reported that there was every reason to believe that they would be permitted to connect the Austin road with the Lake Como road through the asylum lands at Essondale.

Purchase Horses.

A team of horses and harness were ordered to be bought from Port Coquitlam at $850, Councillor Foster dissenting.

Mr. P. J. Hunt's resignation as special constable was accepted. Mr Hunt is taking up his residence in the city.

A letter from Mr. T. S. Murdoff demanding that the school house road be put in proper condition for lumber hauling traffic and a cross road between the Austin road and Pitt River road opened up.

The clerk was instructed to reply that the School house road would be put into shape, but in the subdivision road he would have to bear a third of the cost and give an assurance that he was going to build.

Councillors Atkins and Mounce and the engineer were appointed to attend the Port Coquitlam meeting on May 15 when the paving of a road from Port Coquitlam to Vancouver by the government will be considered and discussed.

A letter from Mr. O. Wilkie asking the council to send an exhibit to the exhibition of the Progress club, Vancouver, on June 21 was referred to the Agricultural Society.

Councillor Mounce urged the desirability that all subdivisions should be slashed and burned and rough graded before roads would be made by the council. There was a danger of fire to a man who had cleared his lot and built upon it, from a neighboring lot if it were under brush. Port Moody and Maple Ridge had that regulation.

Mr. McIntyre explained that it would be necessary to amend their building bylaw if that commendation were adopted. He promised to look it up for next meeting.

A number of application for new roads were remitted to the engineer to report.

Council of Women: Child Immigration

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mission to speak on the question of child immigration, which was granted by the council. Some English societies have medical inspection, keep homes in Canada and are prepared to go even further. She said Ontario has declined its young blood. The viewpoint of the city is not that of the rural districts of Canada.

The local council of Edmonton reported that of the children imported into Alberta less than a fourth are Canadian born. The children are received in Ottawa and on an average 60 boys are received monthly during the Quebec steamship service and are distributed throughout Alberta, was the statement made by Mrs. Scott of Ottawa.

Miss Derrick thought the old country should meet its own problems. There are 2000 feeble minded in Montreal alone. If poor law children are allowed to come in at all they should carry carefully filled certificates of experts. A resolution against the importation of mentally and morally deficient children into the Dominion was passed.

Mrs. Hamilton announced that the Dominion government has made a fund of ten million dollars for the next ten years for improvement and development of rural life.

Loudon council asked the council to petition for more stringent laws or the enforcement of such as already exist.

An address on the "International Council of Women" was given by Mrs. Sanford of Hamilton. Canada's National council has contributed $100 to the special fund of the international council.

Halifax women are agitating for the municipal franchise to be extended to married women.

Twice during the last year the city council of Toronto petitioned the Ontario government to give the franchise to women ratepayers of the province irrespective of marriage.

Peace Day.

May 18 will be "Peace Day" all over America and the celebration will be held the Monday following that date.

The National council will recommend and do their utmost to secure the co-operation of anti-tuberculosis societies in order to arouse public opinion to the dangers of using infected milk and meat.

Toronto women want a municipal ice supply. They claim it is cheaper to supply ice than to allow the people to be affected with tuberculosis.

Miss Short advocated a pure milk supply from certified cows. Canada requires more meat inspectors, was the opinion of the women.

The National council will recommend the local councils to inaugurate fly campaigns.

A reception was tendered the delegates by the Montreal council this evening in the Art association building. Mrs. McNaughton gave an address on art. Miss Ritchie also addressed the council on "The artist and his public."

Behind THE FOOTLIGHTS

Nat Goodwin Tonight.

At the opera house this evening Nat C. Goodwin will be seen in a special starring engagement under the direction of Oliver Morosco. This is a theatrical event that has been awaited with no little degree of patience and anticipation by the theatre goers of this city for months—ever since the unfortunate accident to Mr. Goodwin eight months ago made imperative his retirement from all active stage work. The actor has recovered his usual good health and has "come back" in most pronounced style.

Manager Morosco has chosen "Oliver Twist for Mr. Goodwin's reappearance and from a score or more available versions of Dickens' famous story has selected Comyn Carr's dramatization. This is the same version in which Mr. Goodwin appeared under the management of Liebler at the New Amsterdam theatre, New York, last spring.

Mr. Goodwin enacts the role of Fagin, the cunning and dangerous thief trainer, and it is without a doubt the greatest role in which he has been seen in his long and brilliant career as an actor. Mr. Morosco has not been content merely with offering theatre goers as celebrated an actor as Mr. Goodwin in "Oliver Twist,5' but he has supplied an organization of excellent players well known in this city to support the star, and a performance of exceptional merit is assured.

In the cast are Miss Marjorie Moreland, who will be seen in the role of Nancy Sikes; Miss Norma Mitchell as Oliver Twist; Miss Caroline Cooke as Mrs. Maylie; Enid Markey as Rose Maylie; Mr. Herbert Standing as Mr. Brownlow, and Mr. Percy Standing as Bill Sikes. Others are Louise Fanning, Emma C. Cranz, Virginia Rose, George Rand, Karl Marks, William Chapman, William Walert, John Frane, Louis Egard, Richard Barbee, Otto Williams, Leonard D. Hollister, Jack Belgrave, Frank Gray and Lew Haynes.

The play is in five acts, and nine scenes and is mounted in a lavish and artistic manner. "Oliver Twist" will remain at the opera house this evening only.

ANOTHER SUCCESS.

Amateur theatricals held sway in St. Barnabas' hall last evening when "Facing the Music," under the stage management of Mr. B. R. Hill, was shown before the footlights. This is not the first time that the play has been shown before a New Westminster audience, but those present last evening enjoyed themselves to their heart's content, a gale of laughter existing in the hall for nearly three hours until the last curtain fell.

Mr. Hill as "The Other Mr. Smith," was unusually good and played the part of a distracted husband to a fine finish. There was no fault to find with Mr. Hill's performance, in fact he made a showing well on a par with many a professional and the rest of the cast were by no means seconds in the show.

Mrs. J. D. Taylor was remarkably good as Mrs. Ponting, while Mr. A. Matthison played Rev. John Smith with extreme unctuousness. The two poor wives were also good as was Sergeant Duffrell, who could hardly have been denser.

Altegether the amateur performance was very creditable and speaks well for those who formed the cast, not forgetting the work of Mr. Hill as stage manager. A goodly sum is understood to have been realized from the performance.

FEATURE ACTS AT ROYAL.

The new show that opens at the Royal theatre today is a novel one from start to finish. It consists of a comedy bicycle act, a lady musician, an illustrated song and four reels of brand new feature films from the Canadian Gaumont company.

Manager Gillis considers one of the reels a big feature. It is an entire reel showing the funeral of the late King George I of Greece.

JAPANESE SUCCEED WITH FRUIT FARMS

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Growers' Association, but their application had been refused. He thought that perhaps had they been admitted a change for the better might have taken place as the association would have been in a stronger position to compete with the Americans.

Mr. Bailey stated he had been in the fruit growing industry for a number of years, but had now decided to go into dairy farming.

Milk Tester.

Mr. John Lally, a dairyman farmer, thought the government ought to appoint a milk tester. At present the American milk was held up as the standard of purity, although it was not required to meet the same tests as in B. C.

Evidence was presented showing the method practiced by the United States Farmers' Agency, a co-operation firm for buying fruit or grain who bought in carload lots and paid cash for same. The methods had been found so profitable that it was proposed to enlarge the scope of the agency and form a selling agency.

Many complaints were made to the commission as to the manner the fruit was handled by the different transportation companies, one witness stating that fruit was handled like cordwood.

A deputation from Pitt Meadows appeared before the commission stating that there were 30,000 acres within the dykes, 8000 of which were owned by private parties and not for speculation. They had had some trouble with the grain which looked healthy enough during June and July, but when threshed out did not give the yield it ought to do.

One witness suggested that the trouble might exist from the water coming down from the highlands and thought that the government ought to dig a ditch near the dykes. He would like to see the government take even 20 or 30 acres of the land and experiment.

THE CHILDREN WHO TOOK PART IN THE DANCES.

Below will be found a complete list of all those boys and girls who participated in the Maypole and country dances at the recent May Day festival.

Great interest is being taken in the essay competition as announced in The News on Monday morning last. Miss O'Meara, city librarian, has consented to act with Mr. P. W. Luce and Mr. Hugh Savage in judging the stories sent in.

Saturday noon is the time limit, the prizes are bank accounts of $5, $2.50 and the choice of two May Day pictures. Subject of the essay is "What I Thought of May Day." Children of 12 years and under are invited to compete.

The Flower Girls.

One of the prettiest of all the charming features of the recent May Day festival was that when the May queen walked from her carriage to her throne preceded by little girls who strewed flowers in her path with graceful steps backward.

The majority of these girls were drawn from the May queen's class, Miss M. H. Davidson's (junior fourth), F. W. Howay school. This innovation has, in all probability, come to stay.

The flower girls' names are as follows:

Dollie Gamon, Gertrude Blackburn, Gracie Turnbull, Gracie Gilley, Mary Malins, Marjorie Mase, M. Abbott, Annie Duncan, Dora Kirk, Kathleen Paine, Isabelle McQuarrie, Helen Reid, Claudia Farness, Nellie Callender, Roberta Smith, (all of Miss Miss Davidson's class); Olive Cotsworth (Miss Gray's class), Jessie Sutherland (John Robson school.)

St. Ann's Academy.

*Laura Swencisky, Margaret Swencisky, Grace Swencisky, Annie Swencisky, May Withyman, Helen Bacon, *Gladys McIntee, *Irene McIntee, *Josephine McDonald, *Uneta McDonald, *Margaret Poirier, Irene Harvey, Irene Lanahan, Mary Doyle, *Virginia Walters, Lizzie Wentz, Clara Wentz, Josephine Venables, B. Venables, Kathleen Byrne, Lizzie Byrne, Margaret Dynes, *Annie Dynes, Winnie Gregory.

St. Louis College.

*Paul Le Brun, Lawrence McMullen, Albert Thompson, William Barrow, *Luke McDonell, Frank Walsh, *Leslie Manahan, Louis Pumphrey, William Dynes, George Pasto, Norman Carriere, Raymond Pidgeon, *Earle Karl, George Harrison, John Farrell, Harry Jordan, *Ultan Byrne, William De Laurier, *Stanalaus Gatien, Charles Banks, *Rene La Croix, Claude Ringwald, *Claude McDonald, Austin O'Donnell.

Herbert Spencer School.

Division 2. Girls—May Beadle, Rosie Pasmore, Katie Gunn, Barbara McWaters, Rhoda Sclater, Ruby Archibald, Daisy Schofield.

Boys—Gordon Ryan, L. Lindahl, Alfred Ross, Kenneth Calbrick, Victor Strople, Willie Murison, Hazel Best.

Teacher—Mr. I. Hoppenstadt, B. Sc.

Division 3. Girls—May Campbell, Mabel Ruckle, Agnes Matheson, Sarah Matheson, Dorothy Saunders, Annie McLeod.

Boys—Clifford Crispin, Hugh Matheson, Hayden Connor, Frederick Thom, George Ellis, James Dauphinee.

Teacher: Miss Hood.

Division H. Girls—Agnes Hunter, Mona Adams, Annie Briggs, Margaret Seymour, Elsie Lane.

Boys—Charles Gillispie, Cecil Ruckle, James Brenner, Roy Kelly, Charlie Beadle.

Teacher: Miss M. Sinclair.

Div. 5. Girls—*Mary Bryer, *Mary Whitelaw, *Elsie Gibbs, *Elsie Plummer, *Essie Purkiss, *Enid Hadfield, *Frances McLean, *Jessie Priest, Pearl Best, Nelly Schofield, Elsie Smith.

Boys—*Leonard Libby, *Edgar Parsons, *Elma Gillespie, *Albert Marshall, *Alvin Ross, *Lorne Best, *Roy Pearson, *Alfred Bryer, Alex Irvin, Katherine Phipps, Herbert Beaty.

Teacher: Miss L. Leamy.

*Signifies Maypole set.

Division 6. Girls—Annie Johnson, Elma Galvin, Agnes Leggie, Puby Hockley, Melba Strople, Jeanne Purdy, Mabel Solomon, Nellie Campbell.

Boys—Willie Eden, Willie Birch, Roy Eden, Fred Waters, Jimmie McGee, Angus McDonald, Joe Jameson, Alfred Miller.

Teacher: Miss Chester.

Lord Kelvin School.

Mr. B. Cullen's Class—Boys: George E. Adams, Clarence Connolly, Alfred Butcher, Neil Craig, Jim Earle, *Wm. Laird, *Blosworth Benner, *Vernon Carlyle, *Whitney Marshall.

Girls: Myrtle Gregory, Hope Butterfield, Elsie Butcher, Helen Craig, Florence Smith, Sadie McWhinnie, *Alice McDougall, *Ella Morrill, *Alice Dunn, *Muriel Moulton, Ruth Balliet.

Mr. G. Dickenson's Class—Boys: Hanley Fairweather, *Robert Carlyle, *Hector Purvis, Kenneth Wright, Albert Jeal, Willie Taylor.

Girls: Mabel Hargreaves, Cissie Hargreaves, Caroline Crelier, Millias Marshall, Mary Dodwell, Francis O'Connor.

Miss I. Ross' Class—Boys: Gordon Patterson, Frank Bester, Kenneth Estabrooke, Robert Bartlett, Leonard Young, Walter Adams, *Willie Hampton, Arthur Bee.

Girls—Ida Patterson, Thelma Bingham, Dorothy Shaw, Irene Adams, Viola Belyea, Addie Bassett, Bessie Flowers, Etta Geddes, *Carrie McCullough, *Viola Gregory, *Margaret Howe, *Ruby McLeod.

Note—Asterisk indicates Maypole set trained by Mr. B. Cullen.

Fred W. Howay School.

Following composed the Maypole set:

Girls: Beatrice Matheson, Amy Mackenzie, Margaret Nelson, Helen Olsen, Marion Grimston, Anna Montieth, Gertie Norris, Laura Imlah.

Boys: Roy Currie, Lindsay Mann, Lawrence Harrison, Cecil Gilchrist, Charlie Mark, George Thorberg, Howard Webb, Allison Maxwell.

Country Dances only—Edna Stoddart, Eva Gray, Janet McIntosh, Mary Reid.

Andrew Abrahamson, Sinclair Lane, Joe Mayers, Melville Hutchinson.

Teacher: Miss Margaret M. Wilson.

John Robson School.

Girls—Lizzie Fenton, May Burkitt, Georgia Nobles, Beatrice Gilley, Nettie Netherby, Dorothy Jackson, Lena Witt, Margaret Currie, Ella Burgland, Violet Stead, Margaret Hudson and Grace Eddy.

Boys—Clifford Todd, Harold Gilley, Lyle Munn, Frank Gaudin, Thoralf Hansen, Blythe Eagles, Lindsay Galbraith, Harold Whitmore, James Allenbaugh, Fred Edmonds, Robert Renshaw and Archie Brown.

Teacher—Miss M. Gladwell.

Queensborough School.

Names of Maypole set: Boys—Robert Mosdell, Stephen Fryer, Willie Gaudette, Arthur Mercer, Archie Mosell, Allan Donkersley, Norman Dobney, Robert Crane.

Girls—Gerda Falk, Mary Mosdell, Katie Gibb, Marion Carlson, Vera Crane, Lillie Latval, Fanny Latval, Alice Sparks.

Trained by Miss R. Ashburn and Principal Crandall.

Richard McBride.

Maypole Set—Girls: Freda Nelson, Ethel McGill, Sybil Shaw, Fern Wilkinson, Vera McQuarrie, Marjorie Osborne, Pearl Terhune, Edith Holt.

Boys: John Pearce, Clinton Pickell, Clinton Scott, Lewis Wintrip, Oliver Wintrip, Arnold Buchholz, Frank McDonald, Melville Ebert.

Teacher: Principal W. H. Gray.

Division 3. Country Dances Only. Miss M. B. McLean.—Alexandra Lessard, Jessie Aitcheson, Esther Brogen, Vervile McGuffin, Gwendoline Bunting.

Division 5. Miss B. Bowell—*Clinton Scott.

Division 2. D. P. McCallum—Emma Ebetr, Eva Atkinson, Beatrice Bowden.

Division 4. Miss E. Stott.—Olive Ward, Ellen Oliver, Marjorie Roberts, Lillian Pollard, Alma McKay, Edith Brogren, Evelyn McCallum, Ruth Robinson, Mabel Hume, Clinton Pickell, Ross Harrison, Oliver Wintrip, Melville Eberts, Willie Erickson, Charlie McKenzie.

Christmas Classes.

As many children responded to Miss Lena Cotsworth's invitation to learn the country dances last Christmas, the subjoined list places them on record:

F. W. Howay School—Ellen Bradshtaw, Mytrle Brown, Elsie Kirk, Bessie Whiteside, Annie Staton, Edith d'Easum, Marjory Gilley, Olive Walker, Olive Cotsworth, Grace Turnbull, Annie Duncan, Allison Maxwell, Marion Grimstone, Bessie Henderson, Vivian Brown, Mabel Dowd, Frances Johnstone, Dora Kirk, Glen Nobles, Helen Whiteside, Margaret Johnstone, Louise Maxwell, Ray Welch, Eileen Callahan, Charlotte Dean, Jessie Sutherland, Lily Spencer, Oscar Whiteside.

John Robson School—Joe Whitmore, Harold Whitmore, George Nobles, Theodore Whitmore.

Dorothy Taylor (Mrs. Broad's school)

Enid Hedfield (Herbert Spencer).

BURNABY NOTES.

Edmonds, May 7.—Mr. Sholto McColl, Dominion immigration officer at Douglas, who effected the capture of Lewis Cvar, the man who escaped from the Burnaby prison farm on April, was a former member of the Burnaby police force.

Steel for the B. C. E. R. tracks on the portion of Kingsway between Edmonds and Tenth avenue is being unloaded from B. C. E. R. flat cars at the Edmonds siding. The steam shovel of the Canadian Mineral Rubber company, which has been operating in the neighborhood of the power house for some time, is now being removed back to the lower portion of Kingsway where it was first placed in operation.

About 100 employees of the water department are at present engaged on the highway laying special water mains in preparation for the permanent improvements. Extra large drain pipes which will probably be later used for sewer mains have been laid at the point where Kingsway intersects with Edmonds road.

Use of Fire Arms.

The regulations regarding the use of fire arms recently passed by the provincial legislature are being strictly enforced by the Burnaby police several convictions on breaches of the act having already been secured. Today two boys, Vincent and Kyree Money, both under 16, appeared before Magistrate Montgomery Beatty charged with having in their possession fire arms. The lads were given a sound warning as to the regulations and their rifles, two .22 calibre makes, were confiscated. They were also assessed for the costs of their case.

Numerous complaints have been received by the police of Chinamen killing trout in Burnaby and Trout lakes by means of a spear and the officers of the law have been continually on the outlook for the offenders. Two Chinamen by the names of Hung and Lung were produced before the beak, charged with having killed or caught trout by means of spearing them. The offence occurred at Burnaby lake. They were found guilty and fined $10 each. The catching of the fish for food is not so much objected to as the spearing. Often when a fish is speared it happens to escape, but subsequently dies and there is much wanton killing when this instrument is used.

For permitting two horses which he possessed to roam at large in a public place Ah Sam, a Chinaman, was assessed $10 and costs.

Car Service Delayed.

A blowout in the motors of one of the Sixth street cars near Highland Park this morning caused a partial disruption of the service on the Sixth street line for a time. The car was subsequently towed into New Westminster for repairs.

The Royal Oak burns club will give a concert in the municipal hall on Friday evening in aid of the Burnaby auxiliary of the Victorian Order of Nurses. The members of the order are exceedingly pleased at the action of the council in granting them $100 to aid their efforts. It will now be possible to broaden the scope of their activities.

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INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE OPENS THIS EVENING

Sapperton and East Burnaby Will Do the Honors—Game Starts at 6:30 o'clock.

Queens park will be the mecca of lacrosse fans this evening when the first game of the intermediate league will be staged between teams representing Sapperton and East Burnaby.

Sapperton have been the champions of the league for three straight seasons so that a strong delegation of their supporters have begun to switch over to one of the other aggregations forming the league and there will likely be some fun when the contest starts at 6:30 o'clock this evening with East Burnaby the favorites.

Manager Howard Welsh, whose aims and ambitions are apparently to lead either a Mann cup or a Minto cup team to the fray is not such a press agent as to do much crowing as to the merits of his compilation of lacrosse players, but he let out enough yesterday afternoon to indicate that any other team in the organization might find it hard rowing before they put one over the east siders.

The suburbanites can be regarded as the dark horse in the contest for the league championship and during the past few weeks they have been holding forth on the East Burnaby school grounds practically every evening, so that Manager McMurphy believes he has a machine well worthy of carrying the name of Burnaby.

East Burnaby entered the league three seasons ago, and while they have yet to win a championship, have been improving every season to such an extent that the trick may be turned during the summer of 1913.

Walker Sangster and Leo Gregory have been selected as the officials of this evening's engagement.

The Sapperton line-up will be as follows:

R. Coulson, R. Chambers, W. Follis, K. McKenzie, Guy Atkinson, George Atkinson, L. Nelson, H. Sclater, J. Chambers, E. Cameron, A. Follis and Bert Johnston (captain).

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MEET IN WESTMINSTER.

Provincial Board of B. C. A. A. U. Will Hold Session Saturday.

The provincial board of the B. C. A. A. U. will hold an adjourned meeting in the Moose club quarters in this city on Saturday evening when matters of importance to the baseball, football and boxing sports will be discussed.

It is probable that the question of reinstating any players seeking to again enter the amateur football ranks and who have played with the Vancouver and District league, will be taken up as one of the main items.

SCHEDULE FOR CITY BASEBALL GIVEN OUT

Twenty-four Games to Be Played—Opener Next Thursday Evening at Queens Park.

A week from today the City Baseball league will be started in action for the season of 1913 with the Maple Leafs and the Moose as the opposing teams.

At a meeting of the league held in the Club alleys last evening with President L. A. Lewis in the chair, the league schedule as drawn up by Secretary Wilson, was adopted.

Twenty-four games will be played, the season extending to August 7, so that the fans of this city will have no cause to kick on the number of games to be witnessed.

The following is the schedule:

May 15—Maple Leaf vs. Moose.
May 20—Balmorals vs. B. C. E. R.
May 22—Moose vs. Balmorals.
May 27—B.C.E.R. vs. Maple Leafs.
May 29—Maple Leafs vs. Balmorals.
June 3—B. C. E. R. vs. Moose.
June 5—Moose vs. Maple Leafs.
June 10—B.C.E.R. vs. Balmorals.
June 12—Balmorals vs. Moose.
June 17—Maple Leafs vs. B.C.E.R.
June 19—Moose vs. B. C. E. R.
June 24—Balmorals vs. Maple Leafs
June 26—Maple Leafs vs. Moose.
July 3—Balmorals vs. B. C. E. R.
July 8—Moose vs. Balmorals.
July 10—B.C.E.R. vs. Maple Leafs.
July 15—Maple Leafs vs. Balmorals.
July 17—B. C. E. R. vs. Moose.
July 22—Moose vs. Maple Leafs.
July 24—B. C. E. R. vs. Balmorals.
July 29—Balmorals vs. Moose.
July 31—Maple Leafs vs. B.C.E.R.
Aug. 5—Moose vs. B. C. E. R.
Aug. 7—Balmorals vs. Maple Leafs.

Teams scheduled to play within a few days of a holiday date may change game to morning of holiday.

SPORTOGRAPHY.
(By "Gravy.")

GUNBOAT SMITH 25 TODAY.

Edward Smith, known to sporting page fame as "Gunboat," has been an inhabitant of this oblate pill called earth for exactly a quarter of a century. "Gunboat is usually called a Californian, but he isn't a native son, having been born in Philadelphia 25 years ago today.

Another misconception regarding Mr. Smith is that he acquired his fighting monaker by reason of naval service, whereas the name "Gunboat" was wished on him because he wears No. 11 gunboats on his tootsies. The inventor of the "occipital punch" is an Irish-American, flies the Stars and Stripes except on St. Patrick's day, has a length over all of six feet and a displacement of 185 pounds when stripped for action.

Of late he has been attempting to put a damper on the celebration of the centenary of peace between Uncle Sam and Johnny Bull by mussing up John's subjects. He put the kibosh sign on Bombardier Wells of England in two rounds and forced Fred McKay, the pride of Winnipeg, to hoist the flag of surrender after an equally brief engagement.

Then the new Union of South Africa came to the rescue of the British empire's reputation and Rodel, the Boer warrior, assimilated all of the Gunboat's punches, including the occipital, and at the end of ten rounds was eager for more.

Gunboat has come to the front in the heavyweight ranks with a rush. His bouts in California didn't make a good impression on the Golden state fans, but when he landed in New York Smith hit his stride and speedily became a great drawing card. He is a clever boxer, and in hitting ability has been compared with Bob Fitzsimmons

The Irish in Smith fairly boils when he gets into a ring and he is a mighty hard man to discourage.

Smith began fighting professionally five years ago, and won most of his early battles by the knockout route. His first defeat was administered by Jim Barry in 1910. Smith's occipital blow is usually delivered with the right, which flashes over his opponent's shoulder and connects with the occipital bone, at the base of the skull.

It was this punch that got Bombardier Wells' number, but it was a right to the jaw, a plain punch without any frills that stretched McKay out for the count.

JONES WILL NOT RELEASE CARTER

Home Lacrosse Player Will Probably Sign with Vancouver Club This Week.

New Westminster has just about lost her grasp of the services of Nick Carter, the lacrosse star. Although Carter would sooner play with the Salmon Bellies than any other team in the game today and is now a resident of the Royal City where he has a position, Manager Con Jones, of the Vancouvers, refuses to give a quit claim on the home player's services and the agreement entered into at the meeting held at the Russell hotel last week prevents Manager Gifford from using Carter unless he is released by Vancouver.

With Carter and Lalonde on the home the green shirts will have two players who will make it interesting to the New Westminster defence, not forgetting the players that the Vancouver manager may pick up from the Big Four.

LALONDE WILL PLAY IN OPENING GAME

High Priced Beauty Accepts Vancouver Offer Rather Than Stay Out of Game.

Newsy Lalonde, whose name is known throughout the Dominion as being the highest priced lacrosse player in the game during the season of 1912, is again on his way to the coast and will be seen in action on the Queens park oval on Victoria Day, May 24, when the B. C. L. A. commence operations for 1913.

Lalonde was regarded by many as being out of the game this season owing to a pact entered into by Messrs. Jones and the Big Four regarding a salary limit, but the lure of the lucre and his love to "play" against the Salmon Bellies was too much for the Cornwall star.

He accepted Con Jones' terms on Monday and left Montreal yesterday for the coast. Lalonde is said to be bringing a partner along with him, having been wedded in Montreal just before he left for the West. This remains to be seen, however.

Yesterday Ernie Murray, the fleet fielder, affixed his signature to a Vancouver contract for 1913.

At the present time Con Jones is looking for a goaltender. While in Victoria at the B. C. L. A. meeting he approached Boss Johnson of the Victoria amateur team, but the star refused to listen, stating that he would assist the Capital City to win the Mann cup this summer from the V. A. C.

Manager Jones still has Cory Hess to sign up, while there is some talk of Harry (Lizzie) Griffiths being seen between the nets this summer. Which ever he steps he is unlikely to find an equal to Bun Clark, who appears to be going just as well as ever with the Salmon Bellies.

"DON'T PLAY IN OUR YARD MR. McKAY

Toronto Amateur Officials Hand Another Jolt to B. C. Champion Boxer.

Victoria, May 7.—"Scotty" McKay, the amateur welterweight champion boxer of British Columbia, drifted into Victoria yesterday much to the surprise of his friends who supposed that he was in Boston ready to compete in the American championships.

It developed that the Canadian Amateur Athletic union objected to McKay travelling to Boston with the Toronto boxers and even went out of their way to prevent him competing at Boston on the grounds that he did not hold an A.A.U. card.

"Scotty," after his treatment at the hands of Secretary Crew and other officials of the C. A. A. U., announces he is through with the boxing game forever, but next month will probably see him in a different frame of mind.

SPORT COMMENT.

Findlay Shield.

The members of the Royal City High school soccer team feel they have been handed a raw deal by the other delegates of the Junior Alliance by reason of St. Andrews being awarded possession of the Findlay Shield, emblematic of the league championship.

At a meeting held in Vancouver on Tuesday evening the matter was discussed for a considerable length of time, but the fact that no quorum was present prevented a full vote being taken.

Ex-Mayor Findlay, of Vancouver, the donor of the shield, was present at the gathering and in no little emphatic way stated that a replay between the Westminsters and the Sons of England should be staged in order to settle the dispute.

Need a Track Team.

Victoria is going to hold a big carnival in August of this year. One of the main events in the sports program will be an international field meet, entries having been received from clubs in California, Oregon, Washington, Alberta and British Columbia, including teams from Vancouver and Victoria. One wonders just why New Westminster has not a properly organized track team. The Moose club of this city has now passed the 450 mark in membership and is mixed up in hockey, soccer and baseball and it might not be a bad idea to start things along this line. There is no dearth of material for the formation of a strong track team once the movement is launched.

Inter-City Soccer League.

Plans are on foot for a strong professional soccer league taking in Vancouver, Victoria and New Westminster.

While the details have yet to be worked out the head moguls back of the organization state they are prepared to sink a pile of money into the scheme and will secure the best players now on the coast in order to bring the sport back to a strong basis.

First class football, if present conditions are any criterion, will be well supported by the public just so long as the clubs are run on a proper footing. The men back of the league must be able to stand the acid test or they had better drop all thoughts of entering a team in the organization. As far as the Royal City is concerned there are enough players to make a showing in any such intercity league if only placed in charge of a competent man who understands the game.

The Rovers had a glorious chance to win the championship of the Vancouver and District league this season, but fell down just when they were needed. As it stands now the league is just about on its last legs and will probably not finish out the schedule.

Baseball Results.

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.
Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct
Vancouver	13	6	.684
Seattle	15	8	.652
Tacoma	11	12	.478
Spokane	10	13	.434
Portland	8	12	.400
Victoria	8	14	.366

Yesterday's Games.

At Vancouver:	R.	H.	E.
Vancouver	5	9	2
Spokane	7	13	4

Batteries: Decanierre, Brinker and Lewis; Cadreau, Metter and Auer.

At Victoria:	R.	H.	E.
Tacoma	1	4	3
Victoria	2	11	3

Batteries: Concannon and Grindell; Wilson and Shea.

At Portland:	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	5	11	2
Portland	2	8	6

Batteries: Gipe, Fullerton and Cadman; Agnew, Callahan and Murray.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct
Philadelphia	10	5	.666
Chicago	14	8	.636
St. Louis	12	9	.571
New York	10	8	.555
Brooklyn	10	9	.526
Pittsburg	10	11	.476
Boston	6	12	.333
Cincinnati	4	16	.200

Yesterday's Games.

At New York—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	4	10	2
New York	6	7	0

Batteries: Benton, Packard and Clarke; Ames, Mathewson and Meyers.

At Brooklyn—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	4	8	2
Brooklyn	3	8	1

Batteries: Toney and Bresnahan; Allen, Stack and Miller, Erwin.

At Boston (12 innings)—	R.	H.	E.
Pittsburg	1	8	5
Boston	2	9	1

Batteries: O'Toole and Kelley; Tyler and Whaling.

At Philadelphia— (10 innings)	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	3	8	3
Philadelphia	4	10	1

Batteries: Griner and McLean; Seaton and Dooin.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct
Philadelphia	14	3	.823
Washington	12	4	.750
Cleveland	14	6	.700
Chicago	13	10	.565
St. Louis	9	13	.409
Boston	7	12	.368
Detroit	6	15	.285
New York	3	15	.170

Yesterday's Games.

At Detroit—	R.	H.	E.
New York	6	8	3
Detroit	0	2	4

Batteries: Keating and Sweeney; Mullin, Zamlock and Stanage.

At Cleveland—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	6	0
Cleveland	4	9	0

Batteries: Leonard, Foster and Carrigan; Falkenberg and Carisch.

At Chicago—	R.	H.	E.
Washington	3	8	3
Chicago	2	6	1

Batteries: Hughes and Ainsmith; Cicotte, Lange and Schalk.

At St. Louis—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	3	6	0
St. Louis	2	5	6

Batteries: Brown and Lapp; Mitchell and Alexander.

TODAY IN PUGILISTIC ANNALS.

1888—Edward (Gunboat) Smith, Irish-American heavyweight, born at Philadelphia.
1893—Bob Fitzsimmons knocked out Jim Hall in fourth round at New Orleans.
1909—Willie Lewis knocked out Honey Mellody in fourth round at Paris.
1911—Montana Jack Sullivan outpointed Sailor Burke in ten rounds at New York.
1911—Joe Mandot defeated Jack White in eight rounds at Memphis.
1911—Jack (Twin) Sullivan defeated Tony Ross in ten rounds at Buffalo.

FIRST WEEKLY SHOOT.

Westminster Gun Club Open Season at Lulu Island Traps.

Good scores were the order at the first weekly shoot of the season of the Westminster Gun club held on the Lulu island traps last night. The presence of several shots from the American side made the contest decidedly interesting, the visitors feeling well pleased with the traps and conditions under which the local trap shots compete.

Next Wednesday evening several professional shots from Vancouver and Tacoma will be on hand to compete for special prizes.

The scores made last evening by local shots were as follows: J. D. Galloway, 48; J. Perry, 43; A. Turnbull, 37; A. Turner, 33. All of these out of a possible 50.

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CLOSURE RULES CURTAIL DISCUSSION

(Continued from page one)

confidence as well as himself.

Mr. Borden retorted that he thought he had been following a good example in taking the opposition leader into his confidence. Sir Wilfrid when premier had treated him in the same way.

"My hon. friend flatters me too much. He always takes me as an example," replied the opposition leader with a smile.

"Not always," replied Mr. Borden *amidst great laughter.*

Mr. Devlin of Wright, drew the attention of the government to the fact that Hon. Robert Rogers when leading the house one night had promised to set apart a day for the further discussion of the resolution calling for the immediate construction of the Georgian Bay canal. Mr. Borden said he would consult Mr. Rogers and give a reply to the member for Wright later.

Mr. Devlin then asked if it was true as stated, in the Ottawa Evening Journal that the government proposed to include a large sum in the supplementary estimates for the construction of the canal but that owing to the long discussion on the naval bill it had been found necessary to drop the item.

Mr. Borden said that it was not customary to make announcement in regard to estimates before they aer brought down.

Naval Debate.

Mr. Chisholm of Antigonish, resumed the naval debate. He said that the speeches made by Premier Borden and other Conservative leaders could not be reconciled one with the other and it was time for the government to take parliament and the country into its confidence in regard to its policy. The $35,000,000 he said, is needed in Canada.

By spending it in this country the government could do a good deal in the way of redeeming pre-election pledges. Mr. Carvell, Carleton, replying to the argument of the minister of marine as to the plant of a modern shipbuilding company, said that there was not a shipbuilding company in the world that produced one half the articles going to make up a modern warship.

It was the same argument that had been put forward by Hon. Winston Churchill to the effect that all these collateral establishments were necessary. There was not a shipbuilding establishment in the United States that manufactured guns and there were only two in Britain that built their own guns. He did not know of a shipbuilding firm in the world that built its own machinery or its electrical apparatus or its compasses and in most cases they did not manufacture their own armor plate. He next dealt with the memorandum said to have been prepared by Commander Roper of the Canadian naval forces and dated Sept. 20, 1911, declaring the veesels of the Laurier navy would be obsolete when completed. Mr. Carvell said that he could not conceive of Commander Roper making any such statement, particularly on the eve of an election in which the naval policy was an issue in the province of Quebec. Still more remarkable was the fact that this memorandum had not been asked for and that although the minister of marine, Hon. Mr. Lemieux, held office for over two weeks after the election he had never said a word about this memorandum.

NOTICE.

A general meeting for the purpose of forming a Scotch association will be held in the Eagles' hall, Columbia street, on Monday, May 14, at 8 p.m. The objects of the proposed association will be to bind together, socially, the Scotch residents of this city and of those taking an interest in Scottish affairs. Membership will be open to both ladies and gentlemen.

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Dated this 3rd day of May, 1913.

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

By W. A. Duncan, City Clerk. (1197)

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E. S. WITHERS, Secretary.
Royal Columbian Hospital,
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LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Re Lots 3 and 4, Block 5, of Section 36, Block 5 North, Range 3 West, Map 529, in the District of New Westminster.

Whereas proof of the loss of Certificate of Title Number 16574F, issued in the name of Alexander Allan, has been filed in this office.

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

N. GWYNN,
District Registrar of Titles.
Land Registry Office, New Westminster, B.C., April 30, 1913. (1206)

CORPORATION OF BURNABY.

Warning.

The public are hereby warned that Section 19 of the Burnaby Street Traffic Bylaw No. 137, 1912, as follows:

"It shall be unlawful for any person to use, drive or propel in any public place any vehicle used for the purpose of conveying passengers whether for hire or not, without having attached thereto, near the front, two white lights of sufficient candle power to enable the person using such vehicle to clearly see a distance of at least 100 feet in front of such vehicle between dusk and dawn."

On and after May 10th inst. the above section will be strictly enforced within the limits of the Corporation of Burnaby.

By order of the Police Committee of Burnaby.

WM. PARKINSON,
Chief Constable.
Edmonds, B.C., May 3, 1913. (1238)

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Policewomen's Duties Specially Interesting

It was announced at the last meeting of the council that a policewoman is to be appointed in New Westminster. Vancouver, for some time, has sported more than one officer of this calibre, while Toronto is at present instituting women in its police force.

The following from the Toronto Mail and Empire gives some enlightenment upon what work policewomen have done and are doing:

What They Do.

The board of police commissioners has announced that a couple of women police will be appointed without delay, and there is a good deal of natural curiosity as to their functions

As a matter of fact, their powers will be no greater than the power of any other woman of equal physical capacity.

The authority of a policeman is no greater than the authority of any citizen, for it has been well said that the policeman is a man who does for pay what any citizen has a right to do for nothing. The power to arrest is not exclusively a police privilege. It is the right and even the duty of a citizen to arrest any person whom he finds in the commission of an unlawful act.

It is the duty of the citizen but it is the business of the policeman, and therefore if the policewomen have no greater legal authority than have their sisters who do not belong to the police force, the fact that they will be able to produce a badge on occasions will make them a force to be feared by evil-doers.

The Los Angeles Experiment.

As far as this country is concerned the policewoman is a novelty. Fiction has made us all acquainted with woman spies and detectives, and in the past few years, the policewoman has appeared in the United States, and is doing, for her numbers, as good service as the male police are doing. Too frequently she has been the subject for ridicule.

For instance, the Los Angeles experiment of employing women to arrest "mashers" was a failure, and the zealous officers were dismissed. Personally, they were not ladies with whom the average "masher" would care to start up a flirtation, and so they were left with the delicate duty of interfering when they saw flirtations going on between others.

They too frequently were repudiated by the young ladies whom they desired to protect that they became a joke, and their official career was short. Philadelphia, however, has women police and it is likely that the Toronto officers will model their duties upon those of the Philadelphia policewomen rather than upon their sprightly sisters in California.

Aid for Travellers.

The woman's police movement had its origin in the Travellers' Aid Society about 12 years ago. The object of this society, as the name implies, is to give assistance to travellers who find themselves in a strange city and require guidance. Men in this predicament can appeal to the police, and can secure the information they desire.

Women, however, do not so readily go to the police, and they are frequently in serious trouble before they do so. The Travellers' Aid Society devoted its attention chiefly to women, and very sensibly appointed women officials to meet trains and scan the passengers for women who might otherwise fall into the hands of unscrupulous and designing persons.

The Philadelphia branch of the society, from which the police women have sprung, was established by a man whose name is forgotten.

The Philadelphia Policewomen.

He appeared in Philadelphia in 1901, and was so much in earnest concerning the perils of unescorted women travellers that he interested several prominent ladies of the city, and they eventually formed a branch of the association.

At that time the white slave traffic had hardly been heard of, but the traffic existed nevertheless, and the women agents of the society, though clothed with no official authority, were able to rescue many girls. Later on they found their work hampered by the fact that when they desired to make an arrest they had to hunt up a policeman, and in several cases the delay led to the escape of the man who was endeavoring to kidnap a victim.

It was this obstacle to the work that led to the appointment in Philadelphia of two policewomen, who are now carrying on the work of the society at the expense of the municipality. As a rule their duties are preventive rather than punitive.

They have to exercise rare tact, for it is very easy to make mistakes.

They are not content to wait until they see some girl looking helplessly around before they proffer their services.

Watching the Trains.

They have to be able to "spot" a man who has made the acquaintance of a girl on the train, and emerges carrying her suitcase. A mere harmless flirtation may develop, as these oficers know, into crime and many a girl who has entered into conversation with a casual acquaintance in the train has found herself drugged and in the power of the white slavers before she realized her danger.

The policewomen are on the lookout for cases of this kind, which are said to be particularly numerous among foreigners, the girl naturally clinging to the stranger who is able to speak her language, and who promises to take her to her friends, whom he professes to know.

With the increasing foreign element that is passing through Toronto nowadays, it is likely that the services of one policewoman at the Union station might be a necessity. It is to work of this kind that the new officers ought to confine themselves leaving to the other policemen duties that they have been performing for a generation.

"War Is Outworn": Theme of Brilliant Young Poet

"Before the world was God."

This watchword of Frobisher's sailors facing the unknown that they called the "ocean seas," and later echoed from masthead to masthead in the forlorn hope that an English fleet that hung on the flanks of the Spanish armada was contrasted recently by Alfred Noyes, English poet and peace advocate, with the spirit of modern battle.

Mr. Noyes was speaking before the New York Peace Society at the Hotel Astor, where Andrew Carnegie, president of the society had introduced him as the young university man who had dared to go to London and attempt to earn his living by writing verse.

In contrast to the spirit that nerved the fighting arms of the half savage starving and tatterdemalion English seamen who ended Spains hopes, Mr. Noyes related a talk he had had with the captain of one of England's crack seafighters of today.

They had talked, he said, of what would happen "if the worst came to the worst," and what the the watchword of England's men at death grapple with other fighting men would be, and the English captain of the "modern murdering machine" had said:

"After all, if the worst does come to the worst, there is nothing at all that really matters, you know."

Virtues of Old.

Just that difference, Mr. Noyes held, proved that war is outworn. Once it had some virtues to redeem it. There was something to be said, the poet admitted, for the primeval struggle of man against man, for the sublime ideals of knighthood that began "a war within a war" and for the kind of warfare exemplified by Sir Richard Grenville, who, believing that Spain and Satan were one and the same, said he'd rather blow up his ship and "fall into the hands of God" than be taken by the Spanish.

But the square-jawed, close-cropped clean-cut young man, who looks more like a fighter than a poet himself, insisted that this spirit is dead and has given place to a gamble and the "nothing matters" cry. And for this reason he said:

"Frobisher's men in their tatters were stronger than our twenty-mile battle line in spite of appearance.

"The machinery of war," he said, "lost the utility it had when it lost the vitality of the watchword of he Elizabethan seamen." He told in this connection of a "great imperialist" who when word came of how British soldiers had thrown their lives away for an ideal in a desert battle said, "That's what I call damned non sense."

To the Point.

"Such glorious 'damned nonsense', said Mr. Noyes, "has no place in modern armaments."

Mr. Noyes described the situation existing in England and Europe this way:

"We in England are all agreed that we are strengthening our armaments be cause other nations are strengthening theirs, and the other nations say they are doing so because we are. Everyone asserts honestly that it desires to stop if the other will only begin."

So long as the nations were involved in this "vicious circle" it was useless, said Mr. Noyes, of even dream of solving social problems. England and Europe, he said, kept on pouring millions on millions into the "bottomless pit of war armament," while in England there are "hopeless armies of the unfed, with less promise of food and shelter than the foxes or the birds of the air," and Europe, the Europe that "couldn't afford even a pauper's grave for Mozart," saw its great hospitals perpetually on the verge of bankruptcy.

And yet, he said, the nations of Europe sat on "around the great green table" gambling for peace and raising and raising the stake in ship and men, hoping that the game would never end, since the end meant war.

"If there could be any good or gain of it," he said, "some of us might cry 'Oh, God, let the war begin,'" and he added:

Must Find Way.

"Man must find a way or nature will. One way or the other, end it must; all the laws of nature demand it."

One thing that works to hold back peace, Mr. Noyes said, is the "hypnotized admiration" with which the millions in rags watch the players about the great green table. The thrill that go with the drums and the crowd which shuffles along in step with a marching regiment—these, and other like things, proved, he said, that the crowd watching Power X raise Power Y ten more dreadnoughts thinks it still hears the cry: "Before the world was God!"

Mr. Noyes believes that the "treadmill can only be stopped by a hand outside," and quoted Sir Edward Grey that "Unless public opinion can rise to the height of discussing it as a great world movement, the substitution of law for force cannot be carried out." He said that this help from the outside must come from the United States, and added:

America's Mission.

"The future lies with your country. No more significant warfare is to be accomplished with steel. The United States can set up a statue of liberty such as our troubled dust has never known."

Mr. Carnegie told the peace society that while he had introduced to New York audiences "some world-wide characters, known and admired in all lands," it had never before been his fortune to introduce that "rare towering prodigy, a poet, one who carries in his heart and brain and can produce the magic contained in words." After telling how Mr. Noyes "made up his mind to earn his living by writing verse," Mr. Carnegie said:

"This was inevitable—great poets are born not made, and nobly born rich—poverty is for them the path of glory." There was a big laugh when he added:

"I used to scribble verses myself."

MISSING LINK.

Not Quite So Ugly as Hitherto Supposed, Says Scientist.

London, May 7.—Delivering the first two lecures on "Recent Discoveries of Early Man," at the Royal Institution, Dr. Arthur Smith Woodward, keeper of the geological department, British Museum, said:

"The home of ancestral man is to be found in the old world. No ancient man has hitherto been traced in America."

Dealing at length with the skull of the skeleton of Mousterien (or Neanderthal) man found last year in a cave of La Chapelle, the lecturer said there was actually a larger brain capacity than in the average modern man. There was, however, indications that the brain was, in many respects, low in quality.

By diagram Mr. Woodward indicated the many points in which its owner seemed to hold an intermediate position between modern man and the chimpanzee. He was, however, essentially a man.

Past discoveries were liable to give a false impression of the physiognomy of the "missing link." The general idea was a ferocus appearance as they grew up. There were no brow ridges in the newly-born ape, and brow ridges were not to be expected in either ancestral ape or man.

College For Soldiers.

A remarkable proposal has been launched by twelve eminent professors of Cambridge University with the view of promoting military training.

The question of national defence is being increasingly agitated every day. Some of the contributing factors are the German scare, Lord Roberts' campaign in favor of universal military service and the comparative failure of Lord Haldane's "territorial" scheme, which aimed to establish a great force of citizen soldiers or militia.

The Cambridge professors now suggest that no undergraduate shall be granted a degree until he has at least attained efficiency as a member of the officers' training corps or territorial force. Sixty-three members of the University Senate, which is the governing body, approved of the proposal, and will shortly confer with and try to procure the co-operation of Oxford, which institution, if Cambridge adopts it, is expected to follow suit.

The promoters urge that the scheme may be extended to the civil service and the municipal railway employment by making promotion dependent upon military efficiency. A long explanatory memorandum accompanies the proposal.

Scotland's Premier Earl.

The premier earl of Scotland is Lord Crawford, who is an extremely interesting personality. His family have been landowners beyond the Tweed since the days of the Conquest, but they derive more wealth from their minerals in Lancashire than from the possession of broad acres in Scotland.

With his red beard Lord Crawford looks a typical Scotsman. He is a capable astronomer, an enthusiastic traveler, and an ardent philatelist. He has traveled to various parts of the world to witness solar eclipses. In his wanderings he secured many rare birds. Those that were captured alive were presented to the Zoological Gardens, whilst the others he had stuffed and they now repose in the British Museum.

One of Lord Crawford's residences is Haigh Hall, Wigan, and he represented that constituency in the Commons from 1874-80.

A Literary Administrator.

Sir Hugh Clifford, the new governor of the Gold Coast, has left England to take up his residence in West Africa. Sir Hugh was intended for the army, and passed through Sandhurst, but being offered a cadetship in the Malay States Civil Service he resigned all thoughts of a military career. For many years he was Acting Resident at Pahang. In 1900 he was nominated by the Colonial Office to the post of governor of North Borneo and Labuan under the Chartered Company, but being opposed to the company's methods he resigned the appointment. From 1903-7 he administered the Government of Trinidad, and from 1907 until 1909 he held a similar position in Ceylon.

Women Orators.

We can no longer think with Pericles that good report for a woman means a minimum of any kind of report about her, whether for good or evil, nor with Dr. Johnson that when she speaks in public she is "like a pig standing on its hind legs. It is not that she does it well, but you are surprised that she can do it at all." We are as proud of our famous women as we are of our famous men, and some of the very best speakers in the world to-day are women

KRUGER RELIC GOING OUT TO TRANSVAAL

The Hague, May 8.—Certain relics of Paul Kruger are to have a resting place in a Transvaal museum by virtue of a court of appeal's decision just rendered.

Judgment was given in the appeal brought by M. Hidde Nyland, the defendant in the action instituted by Dr Leyds and various Boer leaders for the restoration of certain South African relics, and other objects of interest, lent by Oom Paul, which formed the nucleus of the South African museum established by M. Nyland at Dordrecht.

The court upheld the provision decision of the Dordrecht court, which rejected the application of the Boer leaders, but found Dr. Leyds' application to be admissible. The objects will now be transported to South Africa.

IS NOW A P.C.

Samuel Barker Has Made a Study of Railway Affairs.

Samuel Barker, Conservative member for the constituency of East Hamilton, who has recently been created a member of the Privy Council of the Dominion, is among the most prominent figures in the Canadian House of Commons and was noted long before he entered political life for his ability and business integrity. He has made a deep study of transportation problems and was a recognized authority on railway and transportation matters long before he entered the popular chamber. Even while a member of the Opposition, his counsel and advice were often sought by the Liberal administration, when questions dealing with the big transportation interests of the country were before Parliament.

The new Privy Councillor was born at Kingston, in May, 1839, and when quite a young man moved to London and was educated at the grammar school in that town and soon became actively identified with municipal politics in that city. He was elected to the aldermanic board and became chairman of the finance committee of the City Council. He acted for some years as solicitor for the Great Western Railway and as general legal adviser, and also for a time filled the position of general manager of the Northern & Northwestern Railway.

The marked ability he displayed in connection with his duties in these offices attracted the attention of the directors of the Grand Trunk Railway and in 1895 he was selected by the shareholders to investigate into the bookkeeping methods and accounts of that system.

He first ran for Parliament in 1896, when he unsuccessfully contested Hamilton, but he was successful at the general elections in 1900, being at the head of the poll in East Hamilton, and again had the honor of heading the poll in 1904 and 1908. He has been twice president of the Board of Trade of Hamilton and during his term of office performed invaluable services for the mercantile and manufacturing community in that city. He is a member of the Church of England and a member of the Rideau Club, Ottawa.

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NOTICE.

All those having accounts against the May Day committee are requested to send them to the undersigned not later than Tuesday, May 13.

D. E. MACKENZIE,
(1257) Secretary.

CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER.

Notice re Irrigation.

All persons desirous of using City water for irrigation purposes must first obtain an irrigation permit at the City Hall, which will be issued free of charge to householders using City water for domestic purposes; subject to the Waterworks Regulations.

The hours during which irrigation is permitted are:

7:30 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.
6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

on week days only. No irrigation being permitted on Sundays.

Such hours being subject to alteration by the City Council at any time.

Irrigation outside the stated hours renders the offender liable to prosecution.

W. A. DUNCAN, City Clerk
City Hall, May 6, 1913. (1255)

DOMINION LANDS, RAILWAY BELT

New Westminster District.

The following applies only to the New Westminster Dominion Lands Agency.

Squatters on Dominion Lands in the New Westminster Agency who are not located in Timber Berths will be given until Monday, the 19th day of May, 1913, within which to appear and make application for entry.

Squatters whose claims have been allowed, who have not yet secured homestead entries, will be notified by the Dominion Land Agent at their last known address. In the event of any such squatters failing to appear and make application before the date mentioned, their claims will lapse and the lands will be otherwise disposed of on and after that date. If, however, good reason is shown for failing to appear and the improvements on the land are of substantial value a further period of protection may be allowed by the Agent in cases of merit. Claims not yet dealt with must be filed immediately.

Squatting on Dominion Lands without the authority of the Department will not henceforth be allowed and will result in loss of claim and forfeiture of improvements.

S. MABER,
Supt., B. C. Lands.
Ottawa, 9th April, 1913. (1089)

CORPORATION OF BURNABY.

Closing of Kingsway to Vehicular Traffic.

No through traffic will be permitted on Kingsway between Tenth avenue, New Westminster, and Boundary avenue from this date until after the completion of the paving of the roadway.

Inter-city traffic should be taken via Eighth street and Douglas road.

Local traffic via Edmonds street, Linden avenue, Elwell street, Sperling avenue, Windsor street, Prince street, Imperial street and Boundary avenue.

By order,

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Stefannson Will Sail from Coast in June

Ottawa, May 7.—The steamer St. Paul, which has just arrived at New York, brought over the well known Arctic explorer, V. Stefansson, who has now all but completed his arrangements for the new expedition which is being financed by the Dominion government at an estimated cost of $75,000.

The distinguished traveler and well known ethnologist, who is one of the greatest living authorities on the Esquimo, has filled many high academic posts in the American universities and other seats of learning. Within the last six years he has traveled 10,000 miles on foot in the Arctic regions, gathering much data from which it has been possible to correct many errors shown on the hitherto existing maps of the northern regions.

After spending a day or two in New York, Stefansson is proceeding to Ottawa, there to put the final touches to such formal business with the federal authorities as may be necessary before his impending departure for the north, via Victoria, B. C.

An Anglo-Canadian journalist on board the St. Paul, who spent some pleasant hours in the state cabin with the explorer, writes appreciatively of the man who is undertaking this new quest in the north.

It seems peculiarly appropriate, writes the press representative, that the Dominion authorities, having recognized the potential value of an Arctic mission, should so promptly and so handsomely act as to forthwith take over the whole responsibility as to virtually constitute the undertaking an act of state, and it is equally fitting that the leadership should devolve upon a man of high courage and resource who, Canadian by birth, has spent many years in scientific exploration work within her borders, and whose family and friends are still today found among her citizens in Amelia, Sask. With regard to the new expedition Stefansson expressed great satisfaction at the business-like way in which the whole thing had been dealt with. Instead of partaking of the character of a private venture with mixed British, Canadian and American interests, the expedition will sail under the British flag and any new territory found will by right of ancient discovery pass under British sway.

Stefansson will lead a body of picked men into the Arctic. "At the wish of the Canadian government," said Stefansson, "I am going to employ only British subjects wherever British volunteers are available. Meanwhile I have ten times as many British volunteers as can be taken.

"All the positions, including even those of cabin boy, cook, carpenter and foremast hands could be filled by British subjects of university education and social position, who are willing to serve without pay. This is one of the ways in which the effect of the Antarctic tragedy upon the British nation is shown."

The Staff.

The scientific staff will number ten, and Dr. Anderson, a trusty friend of Stefansson, will be second in command. James Murray, of Glasgow, who goes as oceanographer, was biologist in Sir Ernest Shackleton's Antarctic expedition, and in selecting him Stefansson has had in mind the importance of the scientific comparisons between the north and south polar experience of both.

James Murray was educated in Glasgow, and eventually gave up the study of medicine for sculpture at the Glasgow Art School, taking up simultaneously as hobbies natural history and microscopic work. His success in these fields led in 1902 to his selection by Sir James Murray as biologist on the Scottish lochs survey. While engaged here he was selected as biologist in the Shackleton expedition, and many of the chapters in Sir Ernest's book on the scientific results of the expedition are from his pen.

Upon returning from the Antarctic Murray joined the Bolivian boundary commission as naturalist. Dr. Jamess, an English anthropologist, who is now on his way from New Zealand to Canada, and M. Henri Beuchat, the well known French scientist, who has made a close study of the Eskimos, will also be members of the staff.

Stefansson did not expect to take a surgeon, but while he was in England Dr. A. Forbes McKie, a Sotsman, of Edinburgh, who was also in Shackleton's expedition, volunteered to accompany the explorer into the Arctic. He, too, will therfore be included on the staff.

"I shall have upon the staff," said Stefansson, "a number of Canadian geologists. These are being picked out for me in Canada from the topographical and geological survey department. I am relying a great deal upon R. W. Brock for the selection of these.

Born in Manitoba.

"I do not anticipate that there will be any formal ceremony of leave-taking at Ottawa. Our British men are still in the United Kingdom, but as all arrangements are now well under way, and the time of departure is rapidly drawing near we shall soon be assembling preparatory to the final push-off.

"Meanwhile I have some few matters to attend to in Canada before I set out. I want among other things to visit my family, who reside in Saskatchewan—mother, sister and brother. I have received, also, invitations to address the members of the two Canadian clubs in Winnipeg and although I have not at the moment formally accepted these I think it is likely that I shall take the opportunity to meet the members on my way through to the coast.

"My parents, who came from Iceland, settled near Winnipeg in the seventies before the Canadian Pacific Railway company's steel reached the city. I was myself born in that neighborhood in 1879, and but for the heavy flooding of both the Red river and Lake Winnipeg, which caused deep distress, it is possible that the family would not have moved away from it.

"Some of our neighbors, though not exactly starved, died from malnutrition; my parents lost two children from the same cause, and I myself became very ill, and finally, fearing a recurrence of the floods, by parents moved to the south and began farming in North Dakota.

The Object.

Dealing with the object of the expedition, which is to explore the vast uncharted regions between the north of Canada and Sibera and the north pole, Stefansson put on at once the habit of the scientist.

It was, he said, scarcely possible after years of patient stought and special study, that one should not form in his own mind some idea of those untrodden hundreds of thousands of miles of space, but whatever speculations one might indulge in, the fact remains that nothing was known, or could be known, except by investigation.

Whatever they found, land or ice-covered sea, the character of their investigations would be such that the results could scarcely fail to be of great value. Nansen believed that a deep polar ocean occupied the space; while professor Harris, of the United States coast and geodetic survey, was of the opinion that within the region there lay an undiscovered Arctic continent, or series of large islands separated by narrow channels, the whole not greatly different from Banks island, Prince Patrick island and Grant land.

Tradition among the Eskimos and indefinite reports of whalers strengthen the theories in fixing the southern edge of the unknown land not far north of Point Barrow and the northern shores of America. Peary, the great explorer, treating of the subject recently said: "I must believe in the existence of such land, because I have seen it." This was in 1906, when land was sighted from Cape Thomas Hubbard.

Praise From Peary.

In view, therefore, of the diverse notions existing in the minds of many experts, it seems doubly important that a man like Stefsansson should lead in this great inquest. A man of middle height, strong of frame, with no superfluous flesh, the explorer seems an ideal pioneer. He tells you frankly he makes no pretensions as an athlete.

He never walks where it is possible to ride, and takes little or no exercise of any description. Yet his powers of endurance seem phenomenal and far in exces of those of the trained athlete in hard condition.

Treating of the new expedition and its leader, Admiral Peary says: "In personality and from training and experience, Stefansson is specially fitted for this work; his courage and control of untoward circumstances have been proved in the six years he has already put in on arctic investigations, and he has shown executive ability and judgment in his plans for organization of the new expedition.

"I am glad that in addition he has some of the qualities of a dreamer. For the greater work of life requires the man to whom the vision can come with such allurement that he must follow its leading through all obstacles and many years, goaded always to express the irresistible power within him in the accomplishment of that vision.

"And when I recall that to these characteristics he add the hardy qualities that come from his ancestry of the north and to these still again the authority of science from his training as ethnologist, I can but congratulate the scientific world and the Canadian government that Stefansson has stepped forth to do a man's work in arctic exploration."

Start From Victoria.

The expedition will start from the navy yard at Esquimalt, Victoria, for Behring strait in the first week of June, in the steam whaler Karluk, of 247 tons, proceeding east along the north coast of Alaska. The skipper will be Capt. C. T. Peterson, a whaler of 20 years' experience, and there will be a crew of fourteen or fifteen hands. As far north as land has been discovered there is plenty of bear, caribou, musk-ox, seal and walrus.

Stefansson believes, and his past experience shows, that explorers can best live on the local produce available, but supplies of other provisions will be taken, including grains, rice, oats, and dried fruit. The 13-ton schooner Teddy Bear may be used as an auxiliary for establishing a base on Victoria island for discovering metals and studying tribes.

Mr. Stefansson expects to be absent about five years.

At the moment when Stefansson's new task looms large in the public eye the following summary of his previous Arctic explorations will be read with interest, especially in the Dominion.

Stefansson and Dr. R. M. Anderson, in the summer of 1906 descended by the Mackenzie river to the Arctic ocean (the same route followed by Stefansson on his first journey to the Arctic in 1906). In two 30-foot boats he proceeded west in scientific exploration on the north coast of Alaska. He was "on the road" all the winter, visiting for ethnological purposes every Eskimo settlement as far west as Wainwright Inlet. In the summer of 1909 the party proceeded east along the coast by water and the following winter their hunting camps were inland on the Hudson river.

In the spring of 1910 Stefansson started east toward Coronation Gulf on a trip, during which he and his party of three Eskimos lived for over 12 months solely on the products of their rifles. Following the coast east to Cape Bexley, Stefansson found the first village of the previously unknown blond Eskimos. Using pack dogs, and themselves carrying packs, Stefansson's party spent the summer with wandering bands of Eskimos between Coronation Gulf and Bear Lake.

In November, in order to communicate with Dr. Anderson, Stefansson with two companions, crossed one of the largest unexplored sections in Canada, from Bear Lake to Langton Bay. In December and January (1911) the party returned to the winter headquarters near the source of the Dease river. In March they crossed Coronation Gulf, passed west through Dolphin and Union straits, crossed Victoria Island from Simpson Bay to Prince Albert Land, and thence across the east end of Amundsen Gulf to Crocker river. They reached Langton Bay on June 22, 1911, and the following winter was spent on Horton river until March, 1912, when Stefansson started upon a 1,000-mile journey to Point Barrow, which he reached by sled on June 13.

THE MODISH HAT.

Evening Coiffure Styles Never More Effective Than at Present.

The new hats are small and the smallest of them worn in the stylish way makes any woman look like a soubrette, but nowadays no one objects to appearing unladylike so long as she can be smart, and smartness means that she be schoolgirlish, simpering and indifferent in manner. The clothes and cuts make her so. The little hat rammed over the head and half concealing one eye, the big lock of waved hair covering the forehead and temple at the other side—all these render the modish woman undignified and undistinguished. However, it is a consolation for a woman who will have none of this, or, rather, not too much, for

SMART HEADDRESS IN RUSSIAN STYLE.

the most discreet must follow styles to a large degree, and it is a consolation for her to know that she can always choose something that suits her style, even though she must take the sleeve of one robe, the corsage of another and the draping of a third skirt to have what she wills.

The evening headdress is, however, a thing of great beauty. The illustration shows a becoming model of the Russian style.

Rose point lace, pearl beads and a white sunglass aigret combine to make a very chic coiffure cap. The lace cap fits snugly over the hair, and the pearl beads on long strings are gracefully looped up in an imitation of cord on a military turban.

BRAVE ITALIAN.

Saves Three Lives Within Past Year —Move for Recognition.

Port Hope, May 7.—For the third time in a year Charles Cancilla, proprietor of an Italian fruit store here, has saved a human life from drowning.

Harry King, the four-year-old son of a resident of the "Jacob's Ladder" district of Port Hope, tumbled from Mill street, where he was playing, into the Ganeraska river, and was being rapidly swept towards the lake by the strong current when Cancilla jumped in and rescued him.

Citizens are planning to bring the matter to the attention of the humane society with a view to the award of a medal.

BRIEF NEWS FROM BONNIE SCOTLAND

Amid many congratulations Hugh McNabb celebrated his jubilee as a choirmaster in Glasgow.

Joseph Clark Ayr was sentenced to sixty days' imprisonment for embez-Newton breweries.

Celebrations of an elaborate nature have been proceeding at Wemyss castle, where Michall John Wemyss has just come of age.

Mrs. Frank Nicoll, who died in Dunedin, New Zealand, was a native of Caithness, an aunt of Mrs. Picker, and of J. M. N. Keith, Wick.

The body of a man found in the Forth of Cylde canal at oPrt Dundas was identified as that of David Watson, an iron turned, of Airdrie.

Dunfermline district committee approved of the arrangement made with Dunfermline town council, in regard to the Devon water scheme.

The services of the St. Andrew's ambulance association (Glasgow branch) wagong were requisitioned 165 times in a week, 74 being for accidents.

Mr. and Mrs. Horne, Milton, Wick, who celebrated their golden wedding, were married by the Rev. W. R. Taylor, F. C. minister, at Claredon, Thurso, in 1863.

The death took place suddenly at Inverdon, Bridge of Don, of Major Henry A. Crane, V. D., for as long connected with the volunteer force in Aberdeen.

Rev. R. H. Dunlop, M. A., Edinburgh, home mission deputy of the Church of Scotland, who is in the north, conducted services in Wick parish church.

At the Aberdeen university gradution ceremony honorary degree of LL. D. was conferred on John McEwen, M. A., head master of Kirkwall brugh school.

A meeting of the United Free church synod of Sutherland and Caithness, took place in Brora, when Rev. W. G. Robertson, M. A., Watten, retiring moderator, preached.

Miss Dora Stewart, formerly of Lybster higher grade school, and now of Hopeman school, Morayshire, has been appointed language mistress in Erdrossan academy.

Peter White, who has been superintendent of the harbor and docks of Leith for 30 years, has resigned that office, and the dock commissioners have appointed Assistant J. Roberts.

The death is announced of Colonel George Jackson, J. P., V. D., at Crossbit House, Inverurie. For half a century he had been a respected resident of the ancient and royal burgh.

Part of a small boat belonging to the missing Aberdeen trawler Strathalmond has been picked up at Papa Westray, Orkney, which points to the vessel having foundered in the northern waters.

While flying in the neighborhood of Montrose three officers of the military wing of the Royal Flying corps were caught in a blizzard, but fortunately all got safely back to the sheds on the flying ground.

In Banff sheriff court, William Duncan, bee farmer, Rothes, was fined £5 for selling under a written warranty as "pure Scotch clover honey" two dozen jars of honey found to contain 35 per cent. of sugar.

G. M. Johnson, B. Sc., (Agr.), who completed his course at the North of Scotland college of agriculture in 1911, when he graduated B. Sc., in agriculture, has received an important agricultural appointment in the Channel Islands.

A domestic servant named Maggie Tomlinson, employed at Winterdyne Uddingston, sustained terrible burning injuries while attempting to light a fire by means of paraffin. She was removed to Glaggow Royal Infirmary, where she died.

John C. Slater, M. A., Lossiemouth, who will enter the teaching staff in the state of Victoria, Australia, was in the natural philosophy class at Aberdeen university for three years, and worked for two sessions in the physical laboratory.

Owing to an outbreak of measles at Fort George, the territorial winter camp, which was to be held from the 12th to the 26th April, had perforce to be canceled. There is a likelihood of this camp being held at Montrase and 3rd to 17th May.

Ex-Provost W. Paterson Smith, dean of the society of procurators of Caithness, was entertained at luncheon by the loel members and presented with an illuminated address on the occasion of his retirement from office, after many years' service.

The dead body of Thomas Gibson, a solicitor of Inverness, was found on the canal towing path near the town. There was a pistol at his side and a fatal wound in his right temple. Mr. Gibson was about forty years of age, and had practised in Inverness, also acting as election agent for Sir John Dewar, M. P.

The death has taken place of a well known Fife laird in the person of Sir Archibald Ava Campbell, Bart., of Giblesaon, Colinsburgh, East Fife, who was born in January, 1844, succeeded to the title and estates in 1855, his father, Major-General Sir John Campbell, the second baronet, being killed in the Crimea in the attack upon the Redan.

A. Polson, F. E. I. S., Nigg, Rosashire, formerly of Dunbeath, and A. Gaven, Glasgow, who organized parties of teachers for a Canadian tour last summer, have made arrangements for a party to sail from Glasgow on June 28. The Allan line have agreed to place again at the disposal of the teachers the finest rooms in their steamer Scandinavian.

The emigration "boom" has been responsible for many scenes, pathetic and otherwise, but one which must rank as unique was that witnessed at Tilbury, when about one hundred young lasses from Scotland, sailed for Australia on the S. S. Port Macquarie. They embarked under the supervision of Mrs. McLeod, of the land settlement and emigration commissioners.

A plucky rescue was witnessed on they Tay at Perth, when the five-year-old daughter of John Morrison was saved from death by an invalid. While playing the little girl fell into the river. Alexander Galalcher, gardener, just recoving from a serious operation, had his attention drawn to the drowning child, and, weak as he was, he threw off his jacket and plunged into the flooded river.

With the view of securing recruits for their ranks the 4th (City of Dundee) battalion of the Black Watch carried out a route march and torchlight tattoo. Headed by the pipe band the battalion traversed the principal streets of the city, while in the evening the torchlight tattoo conducted in the square at the drill hall attracted a large number of citizens. A number of recruits were secured.

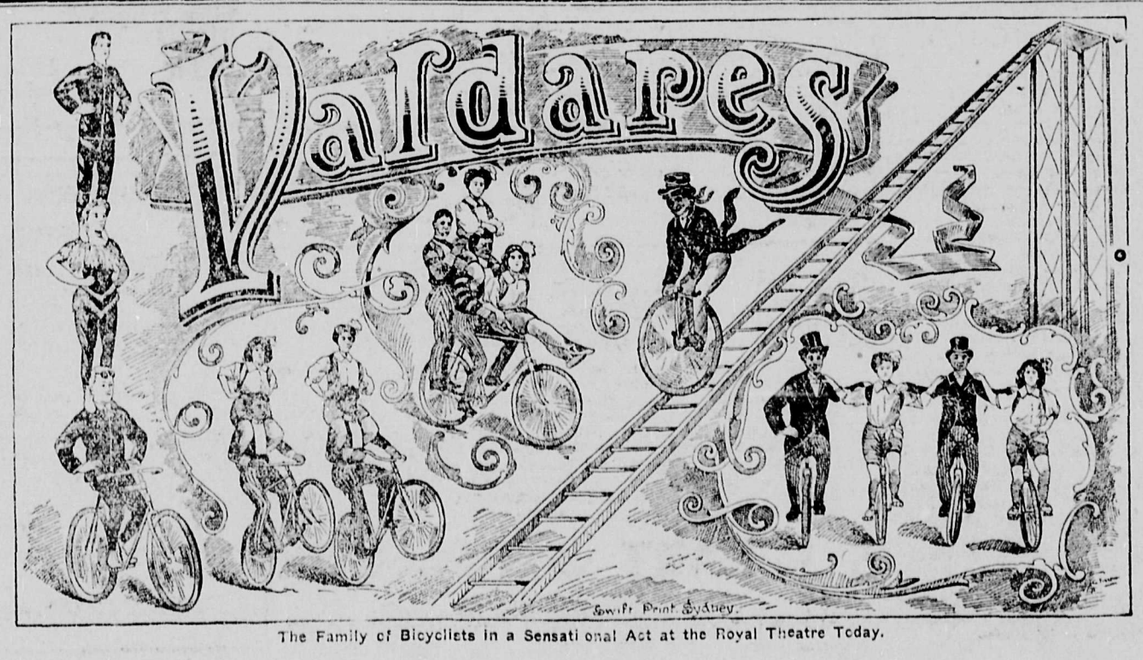
When the caretaker of the church at Saughtree, in Liddesdale, entered the church she discovered a man of the vagrant class alseep on the floor of the vestry. His head was wrapped in his coat, and for a pillow he had brought in a small bunch of straw. He had also removed a paraffin stove and two pulpit candles from the church to the vestry. When requested to leave he refused. He was sent to jail for ten days.

The village of Strathblane has been experiencing the novelty of a strike of school children. The attendance has dropped to about a dozen, though there are 120 pupils on the school register. Some time ago the school board decided to abolish the usual holidays given at this time and to give instead an extra week in summer. Much resentment has been shown by the parents, and their feelings are reflected in the absence of the children.

At Glasgow Francis John McKechnie, a young man, who was sentenced to sixty days in jail, admitted neglecting to maintain his children, aged seven years and four years. J. R. Motion, inspector of poor, stated that accused's wife died in 1910, and his children were taken in charge by an aunt in Maryhill. He sailed as a fireman on a steamer, which he deserted at New York. He was discovered working and earning good wages in Newark, New Jersey, and deported.

A story of the remarkable return of a cat to its old home comes from Kirkcaldy. In January last a miner visiting friends near Dunfermline was presented with the household cat. With his gift in a basket he walked four miles to Halbeath station and traveled by train to Kirkcaldy, a distance of about sixteen miles lOn the evening following its advent in Kirkcaldy the cat could not be found. Nothing was heard of it until la few days ago, when a letter received from the previous owners saying the cat had returned, and that they would not now part with it on any consideration.

At Greenock, Leslie Morton Mitchell, an actor, was fined £1 10s. for having assaulted a girl in Greenock by throwing a rope round her body and dragging her along. Mitchell is a member of a company which appeared at the King's theatre, Greenock, in the western drama, "The Cattle Thief." It is the custom of the company to walk dressed in their cowboy costumes and peceded by a cowboy band through the streets of the town in which they were playing. The accused was on horseback in the procession swinging a rope, by means of which he lassoed a girl and dragged her along the street.



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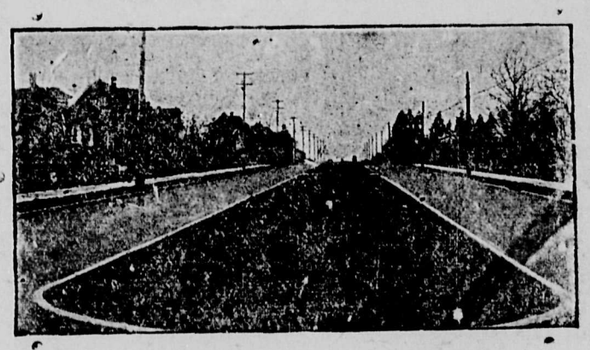

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LOCAL NOTES

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For everything electrical see W. Day. House wiring and conduit work a specialty. (1204)

There was a light calendar in the police court yesterday morning, one inebriate discharged with a caution, and a drunk and disorderly who forfeited $10 rather than face the music.

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Publicity Commissioner Wade and Mr. Leash, photographer, took a number of photographs of Coquitlam lake on their recent trip. They depict the works in their various aspects and will be used in the commissioner's publicity work.

Building permits were issued yesterday to Thomas Flynn, Third street, nine roomed residence, $4500; W. Wagner, Fourth street, cottage; W. Slater, Roussean street, $1000; and D. A. Macdonald, Thirteenth street, cottage, $500.

Floridora for the hair is prepared in New Westminster. Patronize the products of the Fraser valley. Telephone 339. Price 35c. Frank Jeal, 1427 Seventh avenue, city. (1243)

The members of the Women's Educational club will hold their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. W. W. Abbott, 601 Queen's avenue this evening at 8 o'clock. Officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

The directors of the Port Coquitlam Agricultural society have declared against permitting Sunday games on their grounds. There was a warm discussion before the decree was issued.

Floridora for the hair is fragrant and effective, it chases disease and gives the hair follicles the required nourishment to stimulate growth. (1243)

The thousands of gulls which are a sight on the Fraser above the bridge is explained by the plethora of oolichans in the river. Mr. Martin Monk had a 10 pound salmon sold to him yesterday in which there were nearly four pounds of oolichans.

The scows and pipes which formed part of the Beaver, the dredge which was at one time destined to dredge the Pitt river, but which scheme seems now abandoned, have been towed down the river on their way to Newport, Howe sound. The Beaver will follow shortly.

A verdict of death from natural causes was brought in by a coroner's jury summoned to an inquest held in the provincial court house last evening over the body of a man named W. Simmons, who died at the Burnaby prison farm on Monday afternoon. It developed in the evidenc adduced that deceased underwent an operation and died from the effect of the anaesthetic.

Building material, cement, lime, hard plaster, gravel, sand, crushed rock, fuel oil and all kinds of towing. Apply the B. C. Transport Co., Ltd. Phone 826. Wharf phone 880. (1202)

Sir Richard McBride will attend a meeting composed of the city harbor committee, representatives of the board of trade and Progressive association on Tuesday, May 13, at 4 p.m., in connection with the harbor improvement plans. Mr. Holt, of the Canadian Northern, and Mr. L. C. Gilman, of the Great Northern railways, will be invited to attend the conference. Mr. A. O. Powell, harbor engineer, will explain the details of the plans.

A dramatic entertainment entitled "Facing the Music," in aid of the Church of England building fund, will be given on Friday evening at 8 p.m. in the Burquitlam Agricultural hall. The success of a previous entertainment, "The Brixton Burglary," given by Mr. Hill's company some little time ago encourages the hope that a full hall will result. The entrance fee is 50c and 25c. (1259)

Many of the merchants on Columbia street are showing a desire to trim their store fronts now that the summer season is on Several of them have already received a fresh coat of paint and new awnings are being installed, and others are undergoing extensive alterations. A few of the merchants received a warning from the police yesterday as to what the street traffic bylaw requires in the way of locating awnings. The canvas must not be less than seven feet clear from the sidewalk in order to protect the tall persons from having their headgear removed against their will.

The Indians have been granted the privilege this year of catching and selling the bastard sockeyes which at this season swarm up the Coquitlam river. Owing to the B. C. E. R. damming the lake the fish cannot work their way to the lake as usual for spawning purposes and as they never seek new spawning beds the government thought the Indians might as well have the benefit of the market rather than the fish should perish uselessly in their thousands. They formerly only possessed the right to kill for their own consumption.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Mr. S. H. Shannon, of Cloverdale, is a guest at the Russell hotel.

Mr. John R. Greenfield, Dominion post office inspector, was in the city yesterday.

Reeve McGregor and Councillor Fau Vel, of Burnaby, will shortly visit Victoria on municipal business.

Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Braden returned from their honeymoon yesterday and are now located in their new home in Sapperton.

Owing to the illness of her father, Mrs. E. H. McEwen, 423 Sixth street, will not receive on the second Thursday this month.

Rev. G. E. and Mrs. Reid of Salmon Arm, are visiting Mrs. Reid's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Williams, 246 Columbia street east.

Mr. D. D. Wilson has resigned from the management of the local branch of the Bank of Vancouver. Mr. A. W. Black of Vancouver succeeds Mr. Wilson.

Mr. Ed. Goulet, C.P.R. agent, left yesterday morning for Baltimore where he will attend the convention of Telegraphers, which is held every two years. While away Mr. Goulet will pay a visit to many of the leading cities of the Dominion and the States returning here about the second week in June. His post is being looked after by Mr. J. F. Supon, relief agent, from Savona.

OBITUARY.

LOCKERBY—The death occurred at the Royal Columbian hospital on Tuesday night of Mrs. Lockerby of Fraser Mills. She was 40 years of age and is survived by her husband and four children.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from Bowell's undertaking parlors to the city cemetery. Rev. Mr. Marsh will officiate.

Mrs. P. J. Pinchback, a daughter, now residing in Kamloops, will attend the funeral.

LIBRARY IMPROVEMENTS.

Miss O'Meara, Librarian, Introduces a Number of Innovations.

Miss O'Meara, the librarian, has made her presence felt in the Carnegie library by the introduction of numbers of small improvements which in the aggregate tend greatly to the convenience and comfort of readers in the newsrooms.

The latest advance is the introduction of the Dewey decimal system, a wondrous term, but which resolves itself into the very simple explanation that readers may select any books that strike their fancy from the shelves, themselves.

For this purpose the library books require to be recatalogued and Miss O'Meara and her assistant are busy at this work.

The innovation will be greatly appreciated by many.

SCOTTISH ASSOCIATION.

Plans Afoot to Organize Club for Social Purposes.

All residents of Scottish parentage and all those who take an interest in the Scotch people and their customs are invited to attend a meeting to be held in the Eagles hall on Columbia street on Monday evening, May 15, at 8 o'clock, when it is proposed to form a Scotch association having for its object the holding of picnics and field sports during the summer time, and whist drives, dances and socials during the winter season.

The matter has been under discussion for some time by the movers of the scheme and they believe the time is ripe to organize such an association so that picnics can be arranged to take place this summer at different places in this vicinity such as White Rock, Pitt lake and other points.

The membership will be open to both men and women and it is hoped that enough interest will be shown next Monday evening to form an association forthwith, elect officers and prepare plans for the coming summer season.

PIRATES, ROVERS AND THIEVES

Mr. A. W. McLeod Now Agent for Interesting Insurance Assn.

An interesting document has arrived for Mr. A. W. McLeod in the shape of an order making him an agent of the Yang-Tsze Marine Insurance association of Shangahi, China, with powers of direct writing. This is one of the oldest insurance companies in the business and one of the clauses mentions the Fraser river as not being a dangerous river for navigation, putting it in the same class as the Columbia and Williamette rivers and also the Suez canal.

It is one of the few concerns that still keep to the ancient style of business and inserted in the document is mention that the company will insure for all injury from men of war, fire, enemies, pirates, rovers, thieves and jettisons and will protect all kings, princes and people of any nation, condition and quality whatsoever.

PLAN SHAM BATTLE.

Companies "D" and "E" of 104th Will Mobolize at Rosedale.

According to Capt. Coote of Chilliwack who was in the city yesterday the valley companies of the 104th regiment are in great trim to go into camp at Sydney the latter part of June with a full complement of officers and men.

Within the next two weeks a route march will be undertaken by company "D" and a portion of company "E" to Rosedale where they will be joined by the remainder of the latter company and a sham fight will be entered into on the Saturday afternoon, the troops remaining under canvas during the night in order that a drumhead church service may be held on the following Sunday.

The regiment will go into camp this year accompanied by the regimental band composed of 28 pieces.

WEDDING BELLS

BOWELL—WALKER.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized last evening at the residence of Rev. and Mrs. J. G. Bowell, 601 Eighth street, when their daughter, Miss Lillian Harriett, was united in marriage to Mr. Robert Fraser Walker, of this city. The ceremony was performed by the bride's father, assisted by Rev. W. W. Abbott, pastor of Queens Avenue Methodist church, in the presence of a number of friends of the young couple.

The house was tastefully decorated with flowers and vines and at one end of the drawing room was an arch of flowers under which the ceremony was performed. The bridesmaids were Miss Violet Latham and Miss Florence Bowell, sister of the bride, while the groom was supported by Mr. R. H. Best. After the ceremony a dainty wedding luncheon was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker have left on a honeymoon trip to the south and upon their return will reside in their new home on the corner of Regina and Third streets.

The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of Duchess satin draped in shadow lace. She carried a shower bouquet of roses and lillies of the valley and wore a pearl necklace, the gift of the groom. The bridesmaids wore pale lavender satin draped with figured ninon and carried bouquets of pale pink carnations and lilies of the valley. They wore the groom's gift of pink cameo rings. To the best man the groom gave a pearl stick pin. The bride's traveling costume was a navy blue tailored suit and a white hat with a paddy green plume.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker were the recipients of many beautiful wedding gifts, among them being a handsome case of silver from the staff of the Westminster Trust, with which company the groom is associated.

COLD STORAGE CO CHARTER STEAMER KINGSWAY

The halibut steamer Kingsway, which has been operating out of Vancouver for the Standard Fish company, has been chartered by the Columbia Cold Storage Company of this city and will be placed on the same run with the Roman and the B. C. P.

The Kingsway is not a vessel of the same size as the Roman, which is about the largest operating off the west coast of Vancouver island, but it is expected that she will be able to make the run in between the sailings of the Roman and the B. C. P. and thus keep the plant on Front street in operation continually. The Kingsway carries ten dories and originally was in the herring trawling industry out of Hull, England.

Just as soon as the city's plans of leasing the present water lots along the waterfront are made known the Columbia Cold Storage Company will be in a position to state whether they will enlarge their present plant.

The matter has been under advisement for some little time.

Many Accidents at Port Mann.

The third accident in three days took place yesterday at Port Mann, Mr. Charles Keyes, of 1014 Leith street, this city, dislocating his knee there last evening while launching a boat. Keyes was shoving a boat out in the stream and was using a pike pole, which slipped from his grasp hitting him on the knee. The man was brought by launch to this city and landed at the Great Northern wharf where the city ambulance was awaiting him. He was taken to his home. On Monday an employee of the Empire Stevedoring company suffered a fracture of the leg while unloading rails from the steamer Strathtay, while on Tuesday another employee of the same company had his hand crushed during unloading operations.

Clean Up Winuipeg.

Winnipeg, May 7.—A warning was issued today to the women of the underworld to get out of the city by tomorrow night or they would be arrested.

VISCOUNT CHINDA TO MEET BRYAN

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"superfices" law, a modified form of the American ground rate system.

Some of the legal minds of the administration have come to the conclusion that if the California law is contested in the courts, the case must rest upon the existing treaty which they say the law does not technically violate, but upon the broad principles of international law. No treaty specifically describes all of the rights which an alien may enjoy in the country of his residence, and in the opinion of some of the international lawyers the disregard or violation of a right common to all civilized peoples, is as much a discrimination as a wilful disregard of a treaty provision.

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White Grecian Bedspreads, 3-4 size	$1.10
Crash Towelling, per yard	10c
White Bath Towels	2 for 25c
H. C. Towels	6 for 25c
Large size Bath Towels, each	25c
Wool Blankets, per pair	$4.50
Flannelette Sheets, per pair	$1.25
Bungalow Netts in great profusion, per yard	35c
Tapestry Table Covers, 8-4, in green and red, each	$1.20
Chintz Patterns	20c
Lovely Art Cretonnes, per yard	25c
Tapestry Cretonnes, old English design; per yard	50c
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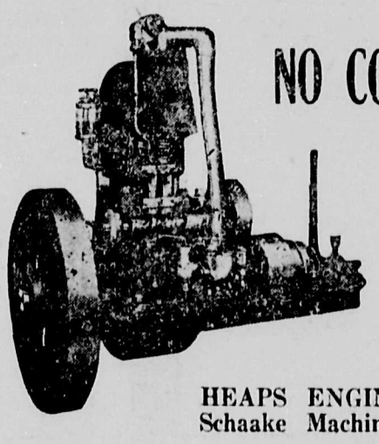

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