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The Editor's Review

Of Current Topics.

ro Bono ublico. The Week is requested by Mr. Muskett, the Secretary of the Lieut.-overnor, to announce that the re-ption to be held in the Parliament uildings on the 17th inst. by the overnor-General will be open to e public without any restriction, nd that every citizen of Victoria ill be welcome. Those who do not ort a dress suit will be equally elcome with those who do. No ersonal invitations will be issued, nd His Excellency and the Lieut.-overnor hope that the ceremony ill develop upon the lines of a opular democratic assembly. The eek has the greatest possible plea-ure in making this announcement, nd in recognizing the broad spirit n which the celebration has been onceived. It is only a few years ince a reception of Earl and Coun-ess Minto, announced to be held in he City Hall, Montreal, had to be bandoned because of the ridiculaus nsistence of Col. Maude that admis-ion should be by invitation, and hat evening dress should be "en egle." Earl Grey has shown him-elf to be a thoroughly democratic overnor, and has been singularly appy in dealing with Canadian sen-iment. We bespeak for him a loyal elcome to the city of Victoria and s hearty a hand-shake from its citi-ens as he could desire.

A Belated Manifesto. On Wednesday, the 29th of August, the Vancouver World pub-ished an editorial directly charging hat the Victoria Colonist was own-d and controlled by influential hinese capitalists. Thursday pass-d, Friday passed, and Saturday assed without comment on the part f the Colonist. On Saturday the eek, while refraining from any ex-ression of opinion, asked a simple uestion in Chinese characters, Who finances the Colonist?" No oubt it was purely a matter of ac-ident that on Sunday morning it as deemed necessary by the man-gement to publish a two column xplanation, which explains nothing xcept that the Colonist is neither wned nor controlled by Chinese apital, but that the actual owner a loyal British subject, sex not ated. Probably the public were tended and assisted to draw their wn conclusion from the circum-ance that in immediate conjunc-on with the editorial manifesto ap-ared a large advertisement head-"The Woman in the Case." If is juxtaposition has any signifi-nce it would have tended some-hat to allay public anxiety as to e future of so important a paper The Colonist had Mr. Galletly and r. Gibb mentioned the purchaser's me in their letter. It is not a tter of unimportance for it to be own who owns the oldest and most fluential journal in the Province, d that the management thought to allay public apprehension on subject by dissolving one doubt sufficient justification for expect-that it would resolve the other. wever, it would appear that for sons which are perfectly legiti-mate, and which should not be in-quired into too closely, the actual ownership is not to be disclosed, and the public must be satisfied with the announcement that for twenty-five years at least the policy of the Colonist is to be dictated and con-trolled by Mr. J. S. H. Matson. By that time we opine that the present owner will not be much concerned about the matter. Apart from this belated declaration, which will in-spire confidence wherever it is read, it is interesting to learn that the Colonist will continue to support the Conservative party and the Mc-Bride administration. The latter as-surance is especially gratifying as it effectually disposes of many rumors to the contrary which have been floating around ever since the Vic-toria bye-election. The promises made that the paper will maintain the high moral tone which has al-ways characterized it are only what were expected. The whole two col umn article might be boiled down to the following prief paragraph, "We are as we always were, loyal, con-servative, deadly dull, and highly moral; we guarantee to remain so for twenty-five years."

A Notable Reformer. One of the worthiest of Canadian citizens has this week paid a visit to Victoria, in the person of the Rev. J. G. Shearer, general sec-retary of the Lord's Day Alliance. The comparatively small meetings which he held afford no criterion of the importance of his work. If peo-ple realized just how much he has done for the up-building and the maintenance of a high standard in the public life of the Dominion the largest hall in the city would have been too small to accommodate the crowds which would have flocked to hear him. Because Mr. Shearer is a minister of the Gospel, and has been largely identified in the work of the Alliance with other ministers, it has been erroneously assumed by hostile critics that he was simply leading a church movement. Even his critics are beginning to realize that this is a narrow view to take, both of the man and his work. The fact is that Mr. Shearer has been working upon a broader platform, and his propaganda has attracted many willing workers who would have held aloof from a purely relig-ious movement. Mr. Shearer's aim has been to secure for every Cana-dian the privilege of one day's rest a week, and the right to spend that day in any way that did not infringe a similar right for others. That as a minister he would like to see everyone go to church may be ac-cepted as a fact. But it is merely an incident, and not a condition of the policy he advocated, and the legislation he secured. In spite of the determined opposition of vested interests, Mr. Shearer succeeded in carrying with him the approbation of the Dominion and the final en-dorsation of both legislative bodies. The Sunday Observance Bill would not have become law, but for his in-telligence, sagacity and courage. It will be for ever known as "Shear-er's Bill." Whatever future legis-lation may effect along the same lines nothing can deprive him of the honor of having secured for Canada a measure which, with all its defects, is the best upon the statute books of any country, and which has de-termined that Canada will stand in the fore-front of the battle for Sun-day Observance, and all the higher moralities dependent upon it. Not the least gratifying circumstance of Mr. Shearer's successful campaign is the fact that while he has been waging the fight at Ottawa two European nations, hitherto notorious for laxity in this regard, have passed somewhat similar measures, and it is not too much to hope that we are upon the eve of a universal move-ment in the same direction.

Quack Remedies. The Week is in receipt of an important com-munication from Dr. E. F. Bashford, General Superinten-dent of the Imperial Cancer Research Fund, which in the public interest we publish. The communication was sent in reply to a letter asking the opinion of Dr. Bashford upon the advertisement of the Western Medi-cine Company, claiming that they possessed a "Never-Fail" Cure for Cancer. As the action initiated against the editor of this paper is sub judice we refrain from making any comment, but feel that we should not be justified in withholding from the public his severe strictures upon "Reputed and Quack Remedies."

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Sir:

Your letter of tre 7th July has been handed to me. I enclose a copy of our last annual report: on pages 4 and 11 you will see that all the reputed and quack remedies which have been sent to the labora-tory to be tested have absolutely failed to fulfil the claims made for them. We have had a large number of these so-called "remedies" anal-ysed and tested, and the claims are based, without exception, on ignorance or credulity, or both. Judging from my extensive experience of those who advertise cancer remedies in the manner commented on by you, I would anticipate that if this alleged remedy were examined by me, it would likewise fail to fulfil the claims which the advertiser makes. I have every sympathy with you in your fight, and I am afraid that so long as the public are credulous, so long will quacks of this dangerous type continue to flourish.

I am, sir, yours faithfully,
E. F. BASHFORD.

W. Blakemore, Esq.

Profane Language. Who is responsible for the profane language which is so prevalent on the streets of Victoria, and es-pecially from the lips of boys? It is an undoubted fact that the Capital City can give pointers to any other in the Dominion in this horrible competition of blasphemy and pro-fanity. It assails one's ears at every turn, and even invades the pre-cincts of our churches. A few weeks ago the writer was waiting on the steps of the Roman Catholic church when he was forced to listen to the most depraved language from half a dozen boys between the ages of twelve and sixteen, who were ac-tually waiting for relatives to come out of church. It is a mystery that boys should be able to pick up the words and phrases that they use. They are not to be heard even in the saloons, and it is impossible to believe that boys of this tender age are permitted to visit dens of infamy, and vice. Equally impossible is it for them to acquire the habit at school; yet they must learn some-where. One is regretfully driven to the conclusion that in many instances the fathers are responsible, and if this is so it will account for the bravado and persistency of the of-fenders. Surely it is not too much to ask that some effort be made, both by parents and teachers, to put a stop to this deplorable condition of affairs.

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The Goodness of Society.

We are convinced that society has never shown so high a level of good conduct, intelligence, and public spirit as it shows today. For one young man who remains at home to go to the devil there are a dozen performing the task of the State under difficult conditions in far countries. For one fashionable lady who lives only for pleasure there are twenty who spend much of their time in serious and intelligent public work. Let any one compare the life of a "smart" woman as he will find it in Pope or Horace Walpole with the life of her sister today, and he will grant the reality of the change. It is not only more innocent, but infinitely more use-ful.—Spectator.

VANCOUVER

The Chehalis Finding.

The report of the Commission on the Chehalis disaster came as a surprise to the general public, if not to the nautical experts who had followed the technicalities of the evidence. Even now, with a suspended certificate and the prospect of prosecution for manslaughter staring him in the face, no-one who knows Captain Griffin will accus him of intentional recklessness or callous indifference in handling his boat. The most that can be said is that in his eagerness to make up lost time he failed to observe the rule of the road, and the result was singularly fatal. For this mistake both he and his company will have to pay. He is already paying dearly in that sense of humiliation that comes to every honest man when, even temporarily, he rest under a cloud. Captain Griffin is a man with a first-rate reputation both as a man and a captain. The latter is now tarnished, and that in itself is heavy punishment. The lesson is obvious, that both the law and public opinion regard the sacredness of human life as the first responsibility of those who have it at their mercy and no-one may violate the restrictions which have been imposed for its protection without paying the penalty. Even record trips and schedule times are subordinate to this consideration. Now that the blame has been placed by a properly constituted tribunal there is little doubt that the question of compensation to the relatives of those who were lost will be voluntarily dealt with by the C.P.R. in the generous manner which the circumstances undoubtedly call for.

Still They Come.

Hindus continue to arrive at Vancouver, some 250 on board the Empress of China this week being the latest contribution. The Immigration Inspector, Dr. A. S. Monro, reports favorably on the Hindus, and on sanitary grounds does not regrad them in any sense undesirable immigrants. The whole question is an economic one and need not be considered from any other standpoint. Some of the earlier comers have already gravitated to various centres of industry throughout the Province. At Nelson they are doing good work and giving satisfaction in the lumber mills and on fruit ranches. Altogether the Hindu as a peaceable, law-abiding British subject is at least entitled to fair play and just treatment.

Bush Fires.

It seems almost hopeless to effect any radical change in the matter of bush fires, but if the public only realized what the annual loss due to this cause is in this Province it is certain that a revolution would be effected. That bush fires could be altogether avoided is highly improbable, as some are due to accidents which are nonpreventable, but eliminating these it is safe to say that nine fires out of every ten should never occur, or at any rate should not get beyond control. There is no excuse for the match of a smoker being carelessly flung aside, nor for the hunter, prospector, or picnicker leaving a smouldering fire In the dry season, when once a fire gets started it is next to impossible to stop it. The Government has wisely increased the number of fire wardens, but a still further expenditure under this head would be more than justified. One of the worst points of the whole case, however, is that offenders, even when caught redhanded, do not receive adequate punishment. When one reads that near Nanaimo over one thousand acres of fine timber lands, a saw-mill, a large quantity of lumber, and eight houses were destroyed by one fire, it certainly looks as if the time to adopt drastic measures had arrived.

A Chinese Appreciation.

When the cable system was introduced on States-street there was a story that a Chinaman paused in wonder and exclaimed: "No pushee. No pullee. Melican man all hellee."—Chicago Record-Herald.

On The Trail.

By the Traveller.

Percy F. Godenrath.

Camborne.

Camborne, in the Fish Creek Camp, Lardeau district, is again coming to the front. With the exception of the Oyster-Criterion group, practically all the large properties are working, and most of the local prospectors are out in the hills doing assessments or chasing the fickle goddess—fortune.

The Eva mine by long odds still retains its ordinary supremacy as a producer of the yellow metal, having to its credit an output of $128,123 during 26 months of operation. The Eva Gold Mining Co., Ltd., is employing 30 men at the mine and 10-stamp mill, and is installing a half of a 15-h.p. Rand compressor, and the pipe line to the mine is just about completed. It is said to be the intention of the management to double the capacity of the mill, which is crushing about 35 tons per day. It is satisfactory to learn that values continue at depth and splendid ore is found at the No. 7 level —the lowest. During the summer season the bulk of the ore sent to the mill is taken from "glory holes" and surface open cuts.

Since last September the Beatrice Mines, Ltd., has spent large sums in further exploration and development work, driving 2,500 feet of tunnel and raises. The work proved and defined the continuity of the ore shoots, principally on the intermediate level, with stsotg indications of the ore continuing to greater depth. From the dump there has been sacked ready for shipment 150 tons of picked galena, which will be raw-hided down when the season opens. Embraced in the future plans of the company is one for further development to tap the ore body at a total depth of 45. feet, when if the ore is found to be of the same grade the company will install a dry-process plant similar to that used in Walkerville, Montana, for the treatment of the zinc and lead. A three-mile tramway will also be constructed.

New strikes are reported on McDougal and Boyd Creeks, and at the Criterion Hotel is exhibited a remarkable specimen of white and rose quartz, weighing over 120 lbs, lousy with the yellow metal—which brings back memories of the good old days at Poplar Creek. This slab comes from the Burneire claim, located in July by Stanley Menhinick due north of the Gold Finch. The vein is said to be well defined, measuring 18 inches to two feet. Certain that if this discovery had been made anywhere else than in the heart of British Columbia—along what might be termed the beaten track—it would undoubtedly produce a stampede to the scene, so rich is it.

At the Silver Dollar, owned by the Elwood Tinworks Gold Mining Co., they are building a Crawford (Nelson B.C.) aerial tramway 7,000 feet in length and have installed a compressor plant. The company is also erecting a Merrall's 6-stamp mill, with a capacity of from 100 to 120 tons per day. A good force is steadily opening up the mine preparatory to the time when the mill wil be ready to crush.

On the Sunset, owned by G. D. Scott, of Vancouver, a small force is preparing to make a test shipment of high grade ore.

The Camborne Gold Mining Co. is developing the Gold Finch and at the Mammoth the Ed. Barley Syndicate have some 400 sacks of rich galena and grey copper ore ready to send to the smelter.

Considerable machinery is to be installed at the Del Rey and new buildings will be erected shortly to accomodate a large force. The property is owned by the Northern Gold Mining Co., of Indianapolis, and is reported to have ample funds on hand to develop both the Del Rey and the Colorado group, adjoining, to the producing stage.

Besides its mining, Camborne is the centre of a half a dozen lumber camps stretching from Beaton up Fish Creek to Sable Creek, six miles beyond the town, from which it derives a considrable revenue. Lumber-jacks are in demand, and good wages, $40 to $50, are offered for men. There is little building going on in the town, though Branford & Co.—the packers——are hauling in lumber for a new 30 by 96-ft. barne.

Beaton.

Beaton—the gateway to the upper end of the Lardeau, is just now experiencing quite a boom in acreage property. J. W. Thomson, for 15 years a resident of the place, has just recently re-subdivided a part of the 640 acres included in the townsite into 10-acre plots, which met a ready sale at $15 per acre. The soil here is well adapted for the cultivation of fruits, there is plenty of water, and climatic conditions are all that can de desired by the orchardist. Once the land—which is lightly timbered — is cleared, apples, pars, plums and cherries are easily cultivated.

Small fruits thrive wonderfully, and good crops of vegetables and hay are to be had.

Beaton will in a few years become setled by orchardists, who should do splendidly, having, as they will, ever increasing markets in the nearby lumber camps and mining towns of the Lardeau for the consumption of all classes of fruits and vegetables that can be raised. Billy Boyd's new hotel—the Hotel Beaton—is blossoming out as the rendezvous of the health seekers and sportsmen, for here splendid sport may be had with the rod and gun.

Comaplix.

This thriving mill-town, where is located one of the big sawmill plants of the Bowman Lumber Co., is also growing apace. The mill finds employment for a large number of hands, and is culling over 2,000,000 feet per month. Returning to Arrowhead on the boat the Traveller met A. F. Dudgeon, manager of the Bowman Lumber Co., and the conversation turned upon the employment of Hindus—of which the company have about 30 doing the rough work in the yards here. These men are paid from $1.50 to $1.75 per day, and feed themselves. Mr. Dudgeon expressed himself as well satisfied with their work, and commented favorably upon the willingness of the turbaned ones to work at any time when called on. He said, "Last spring when white labor was so scarce that we were threatened with a shortage of sufficient help to operate the mill, we sent to the Coast for ten Hindus as an experiment. The arrivals gave good satisfaction in the yards, and proved quick to learn what was wanted, so we increased the force to the present number, who are proving quite satisfactory and we have absolutely no trouble with them." Other mills in the district and down the Arrow Lakes are also experimenting with this class of help—and for the moment —considering the crying need for men in the lumber camps and in the big mills at splendid wages, the advent of the Hindu gives little promise of hurting the material prosperity of either the lumber-jack or mill-man, and is proving a great bon to the several mill companies employing them.

Success at Last.

W. E. Zwickey, the manager of the Rambler Cariboo, is one of the men in this Province who deserves success, and he has attained it. For two years he has been backing his judgment with his hard-won money and that of his friends, in driving a tunnel nearly a mile in length to cut a vein which had been proved at the surface, and for several hundred feet down. During all this time the result has been problematical; geological developments might have resulted in the cutting of the vein, faulting it and removing it entirely outside the property of his company. Mr. Zwickey did not think so, and has spent $75,000 in a piece of work, the successful result of which depended entirely upon the correctness of his deductions. Success has crowned his efforts, the ledge eight feet wide has been cut. In quality the ore is richer than any yet found in the mine, and the future of the property is assured. Mr. Zwickey and his company deserve the greatest possible credit both for their sagacity and pluck. It is work of this kind which builds up a country, and although the result is not always as satisfactory when it turns out as well as the Rambler Cariboo, every mining man is heartened.

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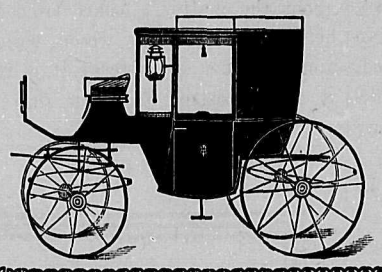

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At The Street Corner

By THE LOUNGER

I was among the amused ones at the ctoria theatre on Wednesday night, hen William Collier and Grant Stew- t were convulsing the house with ir humorous sallies at the expense the verdant Englishman. I was per- ps the most amused man in the use, because, belonging to the unfor- nate race that furnishes the chop- g blocks for the witticisms of Amer- n writers. Just why men of the act type portrayed by Grant Stewart ould be accepted as representative glishmen I have never been able to ke out. As a mater of fact he is out as much like the real thing as stage Irishman is like a true son Erin. Perhaps my inability to see point may be taken as another evi- nce of its correctness. All I know is t is has never been my luck to meet ch an Englishman off the stage. I nk a not unfair criticism is that the glish caricatures are all on the stage, e American all off. Of the two I ould certainly prefer being laughed only when I was purposely making erriment, and not when I was trying look natural.

Whilst referring to matters theatrical might just mention that it will be e fault of the people of Victoria if ey do not get the best theatrical fare om Manager Ricketts. The list of okings for the coming season is far tter than the support of last season ould justify, did he not believe that s year would see a more generous sponse on the part of the play-going blic. It is not reasonable to expect st-class companies if people do not rn out. After all, the securing of ding attractions is purely a matter dollars and cents. The artists have be paid, and what the box receipts k has to be made up from the poc- s of the lessee. The way to get the st that is going is to give generous pport. The Vancouver opera house s "sold out" for two nights of Wil- m Collier. This is an object lesson r Victoria which it would be folly to nore. I am satisfied that Manager cketts will give Victoria all it pays r, and when the public can get more an that the Milennium will be here.

In a quiet way the young sports of ctoria have been having a good time several weeks, salmon fishing. Many ornings, as I have strolled down wn before breakfast in search of an petite, and to get rid of that "bad ste," I have met young fellows with o, three, and on one occasion four ge fish as the result of their early orning's troll between the Outer harf and the revolving light. Small ys have been equally successful, and e little fellow in particular, who uld not have been more than ten ars old, was dragging a fifteen- under along James Bay Causeway Wednesday morning. It was so g that as it hung over his little back tail swept the ground. That was a ud boy, and I could not bribe him sell, even when I bid as high as o dollars. "No," said he, "I'm going take it home to mother."

As there are as good fish in the sea ever came out, and plenty of them, I l give for the benefit of beginners following hints culled, from the ry of the most successful salmon er in Victoria. Row slowly, use a (bamboo is as good as an expensive non rod) and a large reel, let the be thin and dark, not less than a ndred and twenty yards long, with inker. Troll with twenty yards of until you strike. Use a single on. Fish between five and eight in morning. These instructions, if hfully carried out, will ensure a ket every time.

The Rev. Thomas Barham, of im- tal fame as the author of the In- lsby legends, penned a couplet in "Little Vulgar Boy" which was ibly brought to my mind this week. erring to the boy's experiences on gate Pier and commenting on the sers of sailors, he says:

"I wonder why all sailor men
Will wear those things so loose?"

A vision of sartorial skill, if not elegance, brought all this to mind, although it is many years since I read the familiar incident. The vision was of a man who floated down Government street with everything loose. His tie waved around his neck, for it was long and flowing. His coat flapped around his body like a sheet on a scarecrow, and as for his pants, they were decidedly roomy, and would have made two pairs for any ordinary mortal; and withal they widened towards the bottom to display green openwork stockings and low tan shoes (mind you, it is a man's wear I am describing, so do not fall into the error of supposing that it is a woman's). The whole outfit was new, and a friend who is an authority on "gentlemen's furnishings" informed me that the whole was strictly up-to-date; if so, then there is at least one reason for rejoicing that Victoria is "behind the times," as some of her envious critics declare.

Sporting Comment

VICTORIA.

The skating rink recently established at the Assembly hall continues to attract attention. Crowds gather at that place of amusement every afternoon and evening, and the sport is thoroughly enjoyed. Excellent musical programmes are rendered by a well-known local orchestra, enlivening the proceedings to a material ertent. The efforts of Manager Painter in the direction of popularizing the recreation are meeting with every success, and many Victorians are looking forward to the installation of a new hardwood floor.

Before the close of the cricket season it is intended to arrange a game of a somewhat unique character. It will be between an eleven selected from the membership of the Victoria Ladies' Hockey Club and the Victoria team. The former have accepted the challenge of the gentlemen, it is understood, and will commence training at an early date. The conditions of the match will be unusual, the men handicapping themselves in various ways. For instance, they will bat with broom handles or something of that nature, bowl left-handed, and, in fact, play in a style just oposite to that to which they are accustomed. The result should be an even, and, needless to say, interesting competition.

It has been suggested that members of the Victoria Lacrosse Club should organize a Rugby club this fall. Nothing definite has yet been decided, in fact, the possibility of such a thing has just been whispered among the players in order to ascertain whether it would meet with favor. It is not improbable, however, that something will be done along that line in the near future.

VANCOUVER.

Referring to the match between the Maple Leafs, of Vancouver, and New Westminster, on Monday, at the Terminal City, the News-Advertiser says:

"Beaten at their own game, played to a standstill, and with the biggest score rung up against them that has been tallied in years, the Royal Reds were forced to take off their hats to the boys from Mount Pleasant Monday, when the Vancouver Maple Leaf lacrosse team trimmed New Westminster at Brockton Point 10 goals to 4 in the presence of one of the largest crowds that has witnessed the games this season. Ten! did we say? Well, it was so near eleven that there is very little satisfaction to the Westminster team in the fact that the gong sounded just about the same moment that the net bulged out behind Gifford for the extra tally, which was beautifully earned. The game was a hot one from the start to finish, and be it said to the credit of the defeated team that they never let up even when the score was hopelessly against them and the game all over but the shouting. They died game, and had not the score been so well in hand their last ten minutes of gladiotorial work would have caused the gray and maroons many anxious spasms. That the result came as a surprise to the boosters of the mountaineers can scarcely be said, as they have been going a great gait lately and are just the hard checking, hard working sort of an aggregation needed to give the Reds a rude awakening, but that the penalty should be so emphatically inflicted and a score of that magnitude made against the invincible defence of the Fraser river heroes, was scarcely dreamed of by the most sanguine rooter the Hill possesses. And it was good lacrosse. It is true that many brilliant bits of play did not come off, and many passes were made and taken in a manner that would lead one to groan, but be it remembered that a defence is not on the field to watch the opposing home do spectacular work for the sake of allowing the crowds to see pretty stick handling, but is there to break up these very pretty tactics which look so pretty from the side lines, and that is what was done Monday by both teams, albeit the Leafs performed their duty in this respect more effectivly than their opponents and the sensational rushes for which the New Westminster boys are famed were conspicuously absent Monday."

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

The Week Publishing Company has pleasure in announcing that Mr. Percy F. Godenrath, who for a year has been employed on the Colonist staff, has been retained by The Week, and started out last Saturday on a three months' tour of the Province in the interests of this publication. Whilst on the journey Mr. Godenrath will not only attend to the financial business of the paper, but wil contribute sketches and articles on matters of interest to every locality which he visits. The Week Publishing Company will be glad to hear of an experienced energetic man who is prepared to take a similar trip through the Island.

BADINAGE

By BOHEMIAN

Marriage is an institution the respectability of which cannot be questioned, and the utility of which has been amply demonstrated, President Roosevelt notwithstanding. Of late years it has fallen on evil times, especially in the great Republic to the South; many substitutes have been suggested, and several tested. They have not been a success. Now comes along a learned Professor (all learned men are professors) and declares that the true salvation of all the ills that flesh is heir to is not to make divorce easier, but marriage harder. Shades of Benedict! Marriage harder! Its hardships have already resulted in keeping millions of hardy Bohemians like myself in the cold shades of celibacy. "We linger shivering on the brink, and fear to"—take the plunge. Strange tales of the miseries, discords, bondages of that Elysian state have reached our ears, and so "we rather bear the ills we have than fly to others that we know not of." Now the learned Professor would make it still harder to marry. He proposes medical examination to determine the question of physical fitness. Pathological examination as to the physiological adaptability of the parties, and goodness knows what other examinations on the score of mental and spiritual endowment to determine the question of affinity. The latter is by far the most interesting point. It might be expressed, 'Have you found your affinity?" How many have? How few have! This is a subject on which I do not claim to have any personal knowledge, but the determination of affinities is a strong point with most Bohemians, and their knowledge is by no means to be despised. It occurs to me that the Professor is beginning at the wrong end. Let him invent some method of directing natural affinities towards each other, and all these things will be added. For one woman who turns to the noble and self-sacrificing army of Bohemians for sympathy because she is the victim of some physical or physiological, mental or spiritual disorder, one thousand seek the affinity they have failed to discover in the fold of matrimony. For an American philosopher the Professor is decidedly not up-to-date.

Superstition is inherent in the race, but women are undoubtedly its readiest victims. Twice in one week have I been brought into contact with ladies who derive considerable entertainment from "reading the tea cups." One in Victoria beguiled half an hour by discoursing in the most serious manner on the "fates" as disclosed by the position of the tea-leaves in a cup from which the tea had just been emptied. She saw a large important looking letter, containing an official document, coming to me by an early mail. I had not the heart to tell her that I get just such documents by every mail, but when I showed her one the next day of course she said, "I told you so." Later in the week I got a letter from the wise East telling me of a similar performance there, and the confident statement to a lady of the party, "Although your body is here (about a hundred and seventy pounds of it), your thoughts are far away." How prescient and touching! I wonder whether this kind of intellectual conversation is best described by the old-fashioned "poppycock" or the new-fashioned "piffle."

All of which leads to the asking again of the question, "Is the art of conversation lost?" One cannot always be serious, even when ladies are present, but in how many homes is the talking circle still an institution? Dinner—bridge; dinner—billiards; dinner—dance. There you have rung all the changes in average modern society. Yet what form of entertaining can equal or approach the exchange of intelligent well-informed conversation? The sallies of wit, the jest, the badinage, the philosophy of experience. How many young people of the present day are well informed? How many even of adult age can sustain an argument or quote an authority? Is there any substitute for the trained mind? Why do our lads and girls tire of sober talk or conversation above the level of cards, races, motoring or golf? The fact must be admitted that the greatest charm of home life, the fireside, has been relegated to the past, and the modern substitutes are ephemeral and all but meritless. Yet life and character are the poorer. There is no possible substitute for high class conversation, and it need not be all serious. The interchange of thought, opinion, impression, is the charm of social intercourse, and no wonder that when it lacks this fragrance it leads to ennui.

A Contradiction.

(The following was inadvertently omitted from our last issue.)

From the Executive Committee of Calvary Baptist Church.

Our attention has been drawn to an editorial in The Week of August 11th, reflecting upon our Pastor, the Rev. F. T. Tapscott.

From our personal knowledge of the affairs of our church, we hereby characterize the statements in the article referred to, touching the pastor's relation to the church, in whole or in part, as utterly void of truth in every particular. And, inasmuch as the statements are calculcated to do grave injury both to pastor and people, we demand the full and immediate retraction of the same, and that this retraction be given the same publicity through the columns of The Week that the original article obtained.

E. Lampshire. R. Bagshaw.
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H. R. McIntyre.

[See our editorial comment on this in last week's issue.—ED. WEEK.]

A Popular Auctioneer.

Mr. Stewart Williams, who was so long associated with Mr. Eaton in his principal auction sales, is about to open an office on Fort Street, where he will conduct a business on his own account as auctioneer and commission agent. His many old friends will be glad of the opportunity to recognize his well known ability by according him their patronage. He will make a specialty of cattle and live stock sales.

MUSIC AND THE STAGE

The patrons of the Victoria theatre will have an opportunity of seeing the clever Juvenile Bostonians, when they will present Cellier's beautiful comedy-opera, "Dorothy" for two nights on September 10-11; this opera is in three acts and is well known to music lovers; the costumes, being of ye olden times, will add to the attractiveness of these fascinating little artists. The company has been reorganized, and many new members have been added, while all the old favorites, such as Babe Mason, tiny little Halcyon Martin, Doris Pipe, Louie Mason and Ruby Lang are still with the company. Critics have made comparisons with the only other juvenile opera company on the road, and state that the Bostonians excel in real merit. The charming personality of these clever little children have made them favorites wherever they have appeared, and their many admirers in this city will no doubt give them a warm welcome. "Dorothy" will be rendered in a manner that would do credit to a company of years of road experience, and the title role will be handled in a captivating way by Rose Cole.

The opening event of the season at the Victoria theatre was an unqualified success, and augurs well for the future engagements which Manager Ricketts has booked. A full house, a well balanced company, a genuine star, and a funny play, "On the Quiet," should satisfy the most fastidious, and that the house was satisfied was easy see from the hilarity that prevailed from the raising of the curtain until the singing of the National Anthem. William Collier is an artist, and no higher praise can be given. True, he had telling lines to deliver, and the play fairly sparkled with subtle humor, but much of the effect was due to the delicate touch of the actor, who in some respects reminds one of John Drew in his early days. In a good all-round company, second honors were taken by Grant Stewart in the part of Lord Carbondale. His impersonation would not have been discreditable to Charles Hawtrey or Lawrence D'Orsay; it was never overdone, and was so natural that while the audience were kept in roars of laughter at the type they never laughed at the actor. Miss Mabel Taliaferro was specially interesting as Agnes Colt, and Charles Poore made an excellent stage clergyman. The play abounded with bright witticims and sententious utterances, of which the following are worth quoting.

"The only thing that survives marriage is intellect."

"When, after marriage, one finds that the other is a fool, exit everything."

"Duchesses do not mature in sixty days."

'Every girl plays with a fellow's heart until twenty, afterwards she means business."

"A man must have peace of mind to win in a fight."

One of the features of the summer season in Victoria has been the London Bioscope, so well manipulated at the Gorge park by Clifford Denham, under the management of C. H. Gibbons. At a rough estimate not less than 60,000 people have witnessed the display during July and August, under ideal conditions. The weather has been perfect, and no prettier sight could be found than the park and its surroundings an a summer evening. Canoes, boats and launches idly rocking on the water, throngs of happy folk sitting or lounging in full view of the Bioscope, the orchestra playing tuneful selections, and the voice of Denham explaining the series of pictures moving across the sheet. Both as an amusement and an entertainment the London Bioscope has been a huge success, and all Victoria will hope that next season has something as good in store for open-air entertainment.

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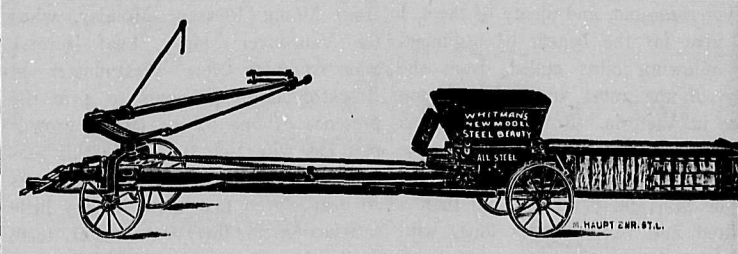

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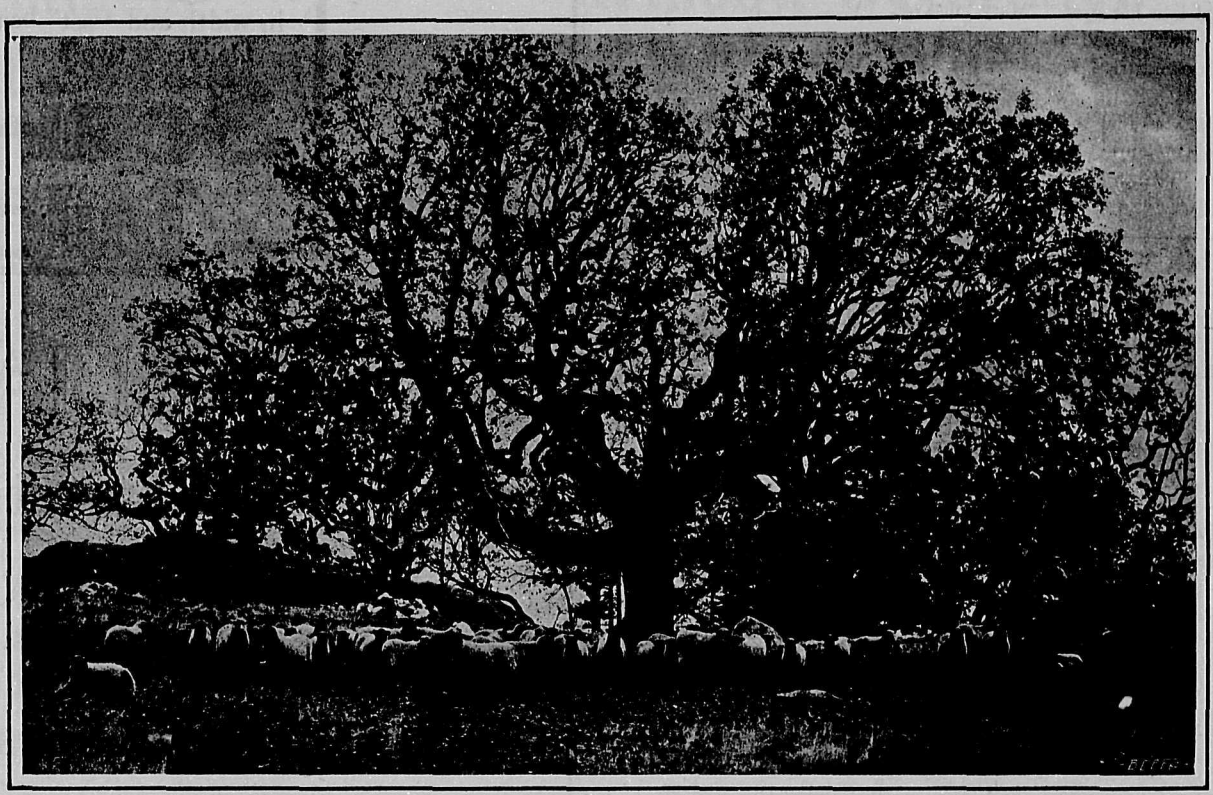
THE AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES OF THE PROVINCE.

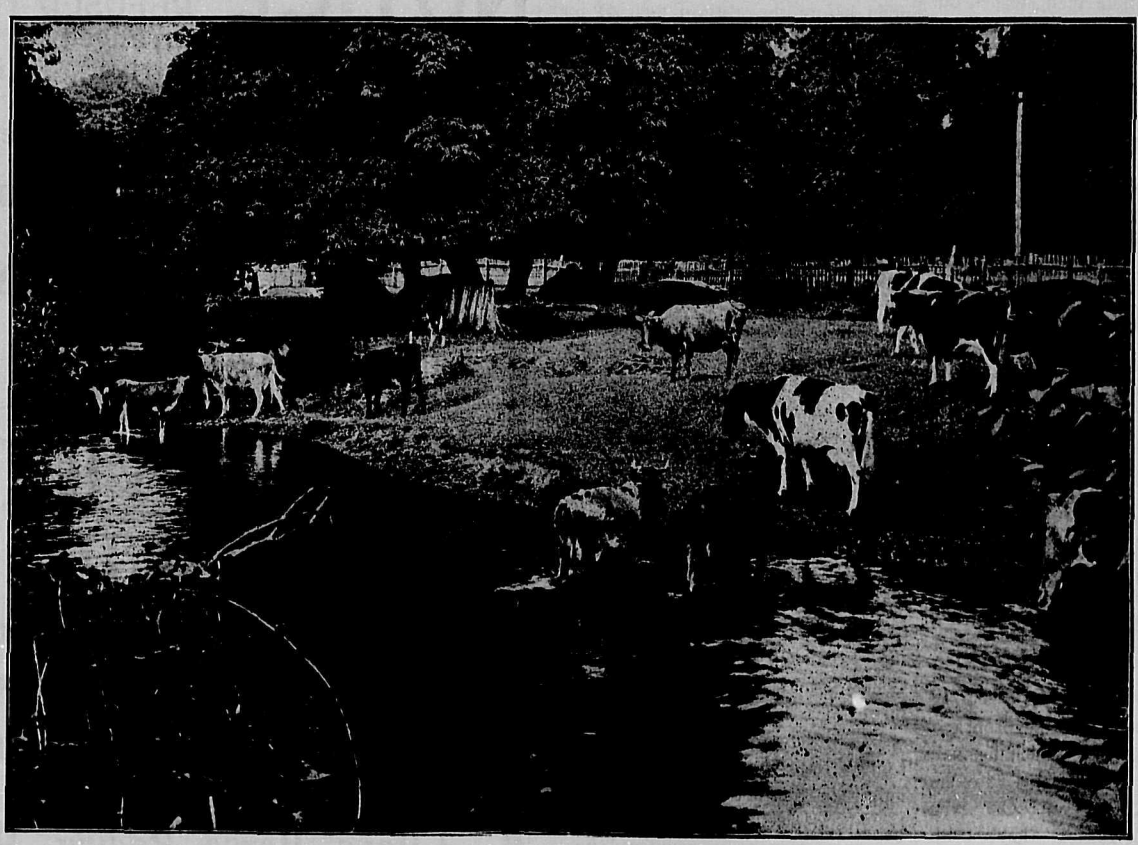
AGRICULTURE.

To form a just estimate of the extent and importance of the agricultural areas of British Columbia one must make many excursions to the north and south of the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway—over its branches and steamboat connections—and even then, if he trusts to what he may be able to see from the car window or the deck of a lake steamer, his knowledge will be far from complete. In the Shuswap and Okanagan Valleys, for instance, for every acre of arable land within sight of the railway or lake there are thousands hidden away behind the beautiful grass covered hills which border the highway of travel, and the same may be said of Kootenay, Boundary, Arrow Lakes, Similkameen and other districts. The agricultural capabilities of the many sections of Southern British Columbia are, as a matter of fact, only beginning to be realized. So far they have been practically ignored for the mineral seeking prospectors who first invaded the country had no eye for aught save the object of their quest. Now, however, branch lines of railway and lake steamers are enabling a new class of men to enter and explore this land of promise and many have embarked in fruit growing, mixed farming and dairying.

The agricultural and pastoral lands are not restricted to a small proportion of the total acreage, for Professor Macoun, after personal investigation on the ground, says: "The whole of British Columbia, south of 52 degrees and east of the Coast Range, is a grazing country up to 3,500 feet, and a farming country up to 2,500 feet, where irrigation is possible." This is a most important statement and its truth is being confirmed by the practical experience of settlers who have established themselves in the country. Within the boundaries thus roughly defined by Professor Macoun the capabilities of the soil are practically unlimited. All of it that is not too elevated to serve only for grazing purposes will produce all the ordinary vegetables and roots, much of it will grow cereals to perfection, while everywhere the hardier varieties of fruits can be successfully cultivated. As far north as the 52nd degree it has been practically demonstrated that apples will flourish, while in the southern belt the more delicate fruits, peaches, grapes, apricots, etc., are an assured crop. Roughly estimated, the extent of these fertile lands may be set down at one million acres, but this figure will probably be found far below the actual quantity capable of cultivation when the country has been thoroughly explored. The anticipation of such a result is justified from the fact that at several points in the mountains even in the most unpromising looking localities, where clearing and cultivation has been attempted it has proved successful.



A Sheep Ranch Near Kamloops.



Cattle Grazing on Vancouver Island.

In several instances also, bench land, pronounced only fit for pasturage by "old timers," has been broken and cropped with very satisfactory results. The agricultural lands just mentioned are located as follows:

	Acres.
Okanagan	250,000
North and South Thompson Valleys	75,000
Nicola, Similkameen and Kettle River Valleys	350,000
Lillooet and Cariboo	200,000
East and West Kootenay	125,000

West of the Coast Range are several extensive tracts of arable land of the richest quality, notably the Lower Fraser Valley, Wesminster District, Vancouver Island and adjacent islands in the Gulf of Georgia. These sections of the province are recognized as agricultural districts and are fairly well settled, but much of the land is still wild and untilled. North of the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, on the Pacific slope, and but partially explored, are vast areas of agricultural and grazing lands, which will be turned to profitable account when the country is a few years older. Much of this northern region is fit for wheat growing, and all of it will produce crops of the coarser cereals, roots and vegetables, except the higher plateaux, which will afford pasturage to countless herds of cattle, horses and sheep. Some of these districts, best known and in which settlements have been established, are Chilcotin, Neechaco, Blackwater, Bulkley, Oosta, Kispyox, Skeena and Peace River Valleys, and they are estimated to include some 6,500,000 acres. That this is a conservative estimate is clear from the fact that the late Dr. Dawson and Professor Macoun credited that portion of Peace River Valley lying within British Columbia with 10,000,000 acres of wheat land.

OLLA PODRIDA

Honeymoon Reading.

The house had quieted after the wedding. Mother and Aunt Mary were in the parlor thinking it over.

"So it's over," said Aunt Mary, smiling into mother's eyes.

"Yes," said mother, bravely, although a little cheerfully, "ti's over—and begun."

"They'll be happy, I'm sure."

"Yes. They are very well suited to each other."

"Very. I could see that. They both have studious habits."

"Yes. But Mary——" Mother paused, and the gleam of mischief evoked by Aunt Mary sooner than anybody else darted into her eyes. "Mary, they can't have much sense of humor. Though it's my own girl, I say it."

"Why not?"

"Do you know what they took to read on their wedding journey? Stevenson's "Travels With a Donkey."—"Wasp."

Like a Whale.

"You cannot keep me down," shouted the great orator at a Nantucket meeting; "though I may be pressed below the waves I rise again; you will find that I come to the surface, gentlemen."

"Yes," said an old whaler in the audience, "you come to the surface to blow."

LEARNING FAST ENOUGH.

The proprietor of a tanyard built a stand on one of the main streets of a VirginiaVirginia town for the purpose of selling leather and buying new hides. When he had completed the building, he considered for a long time what sort of sign to put up to attract to the new establishment. Finally a happy thought struck him.

He bored an auger hole through the door-post and stuck a salf's tail into it it with the twisted end outside.

After a while he saw a solemn-faced man standing near the door looking at the sign, his eyes in a round, meditative stare behind his secatpcles. The tanner watched him a minute then stepped out and addressed him.

"Good morning, sir!" he said.

"Morning!" said the other, without taking his eyes off the sign.

"Want to buy leather?" asked the tanner.

"No."

"Got any hides to sell?"

"No."

"Are you a farmer?"

"No."

"Merchant?"

"No."

"Lawyer?"

"No."

"Doctor?"

"No."

"What are you, then?"

"I am a philosopher. I've been standing here for an hour trying to figure out how that calf got through that auger hole."

A PHILOSOPHER'S HARD PROBLEM.

Solomon Goldberg was the proprietor of a second hand store, which he managed with the assistance of his wife, and his son "Ikey" after school. One evening he undertook to test Ikey's arithmetic, the result being as follows:

"Vell, Ikey, how you getting along in school?"

"Oh, velly well, fader."

"Well, Ikey, can you tell me how many was two and two?"

"Yes, fader; two and two was five!"

"Now, Ikey, not vill nefer do, don't you know dot two and two vas four?"

"Yes, fader, but I knowed you vould beat me down."

A BARGAIN.

A New Worker and his wife were recently travelling in England. In London the wife bought a shawl in the Quadrant, and insisted on wearing it to her hotel across her shoulders. The price label had been accidentally left on the garment, and as she walked along the passers-by read the following somewhat Delphic announcement:

"Very Chaste—Five Guineas!"

HE GOT A REPLY.

Several years ago a farmer drove to Buffalo to buy from a wholesale firm a bill of goods for his country store. After coming downstairs and while waiting for his goods to be packed he noticed several men using the speaking tube.

After a while his curiosity got the better of him and he asked the proprietor what that thing was. "A speaking tube," said the proprietor. "Speak to someone upstairs and see how it works."

"What will I say?" said the farmer, going over to the tube.

"Oh, say anything you like," said the proprietor.

"Hey!" shouted the farmer, "are the goods for Mr. Parsons of Williamsville ordered ready?"

"Yes," said the man upstairs, "the goods are ready, but we are looking the old skinflint up. We think he is kind of shaky."

JUST LIKE' EM.

About forty years ago, walking down Market street, in this city, I heard a darkey commenting on a sign, he had just spelt out, stretched across the side walk in front of a livery stable.

"Jist like 'sm After dars no moh slabry dey sticy up signs foh me: 'Manure Free!'"

HIS USUAL LUCK.

"Now, then," said the leader of the mob to the horsethief, "if you've got anything to say before we swing you off, be quick about it."

"Nothin' ter say," replied the culprit, "except that this is me usual luck wid horses. I lose be a neck."

Winnipeg boasts a lady bank manager —Heaven help the man with the overdraft."—Calgary Herald.

Chispa, The Torera.

By Marguerite Stabler.

(Written for The Week.)

A woman, clad in pink tights and a glittering tinsel corselet, took the ring. Boldly, and serenely unconscious of her appearance, the dazzling creature stood before the eyes of men of high and low degree, her rounded proportions calling forth shouts and comments from the audience the like of which the parson, man that he was, blushed to hear.

But when, with a courage born of righteous wrath anu duty to his tract, he raised his eyes and looked at the torera, the dusky hair crinkling and wimpling into dancing wavelets in the sunlight, the slope of her shoulders, the poise of her head, the curves of her waist, that unmistakable profile—O, Great Jehovah! were hers.

She, whom his fond fancy had pictured praying for spiritual enlightenment according to the doctrine of John Calvin; she, the pure-souled woman whose fervor of supplication had rivalled that of the very president of the Theological Seminary; she, whom he had hoped might some day preside over the parsonage of Knoxville, Calvin County, Massachusetts, this—this—creature!

The tinsel corselet flashed back the sunlight into the eyes of the admiring multitude, the pink tights gave to every curve and swelling line of the lissome figure as the woman sauntered unconcernedly about the ring waiting for the bull to be turned in.

The mob, inflamed by the streams of pulque that had been flowing all the afternoon out-did itself in what it considered appropriate jest and comment.

The clear, pale profile as he had first seen it against the dingy hangings of the shrine was turned to him. He had found her. This woman upon whom he had lavished the maiden passion of his soul as she prayed so fervently in the church, not for the saving grace of Calvinism, but bargaining new altar-candles for bull-killing, was a—was a—a—

He could not bring himself to say the word. The world rose up and turned black before him.

"Oh Josefita, quick, quick!" the fat one cried to the coy one, "the senor has fainted from the heat!"

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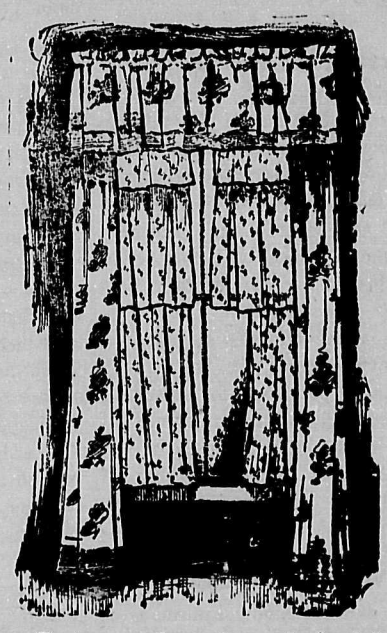

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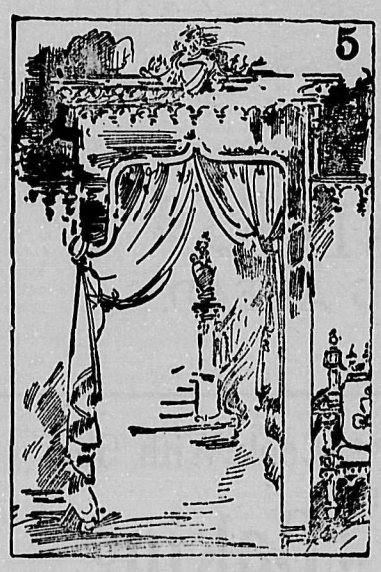
Archway Decoration.

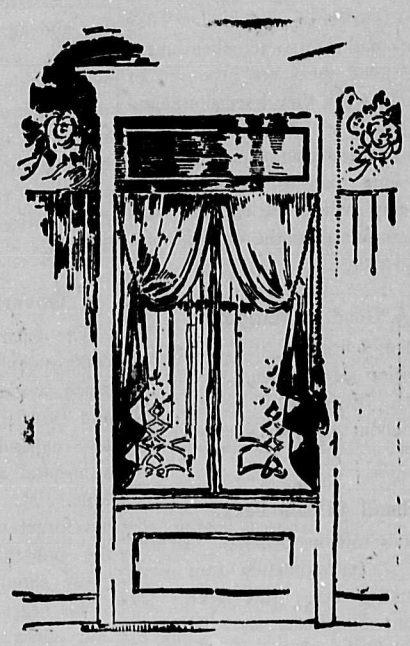
Between drawing room and hall. The Archway itself is in cedar or oak, decorated with Armorial Shield in Baronial Style. The Handsome Velour Curtains are draped high to give a full view of both hall and room, especially the broad stairway, with handsome carved newel and balustrade in solid oak, which can be obtained from our factory.



This treatment for Archway Decoration is becoming popular, as our Drapery Department now carries such an extensive range of handsome velours, rich silk brocades, and other art fabrics, entirely obviating the necessity of sending to Europe for these materials. Many stores carry these goods in crude greens and reds, but we carry them in every shade and tint; in addition we take the precaution toonly import the finest Parisian Velours, etc.

Semi-French Window.

This style of Window is being very effectively used by many leading Architects in British Columbia. Ladies who find difficulty in dealing with the decoration should write our MAIL ORDER DEPARTMENT for color schemes and free samples of materials. The one illustrated has Sash Curtains of Irish Point Lace, of which we keep a large stock in our Drapery Department. The Overcurtains are looped very high and draped in rich Liberty Art Fabrics, of which we carry a very large Stock. The Transom is in Stained Glass. The walls are finished in Louis XVI. stripes with very rich deep floral frieze from our Wall Paper Department.



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NOTES ON PROVINCIAL NEWS

Another Bouquet.

"The Victoria Week, just to hand, appears in materially enlarged form. It now boasts twelve neatly printed pages. If the Week were not so radical in its views and would enlarge its ken a bit, it might become a strong influence in moulding public opinion. That time will never come, however, until the Week learns that no party or clique has a monopoly of wisdom and virtue."—Nelson News.

A Big Deal.

A deal involving half a million dollars was consummated last Saturday, at Arrowhead, when the Lamb-Watson Lumber Co. bought out the plant and timber holdings of the Arrowhead Lumber Co. The transaction is the largest of its kind yet consummated in the district, and speaks well for the healthy state of the lumbering industry. The new corporation is said to have a paid up capital of $850,000, and will spend $70,000 on the enlargement of the mill at once. The plant has a present capacity of over 2,000,000 feet per month.

Drawing the Color Line.

"Victoria is shocked. Owing to an undreamed-of invasion of the fashionable quarter of the provincial capital by well-to-do Chinese seeking homes, Victoria may shortly find the capitalistic class as energetic in protesting against the presence of the yellow alien as his laborer citizens have been for years. Lee Mongkow, Chinese interpreter in the customs service, was the Oriental who set the ball in motion, when he purchased for something like $17,000 the pretty residence of J. S. H. Matson on Victoria Arm, and became the next door neighbor of Hon. James Dunsmuir. — Moyie Leader.

What Grace Thinks.

Would someone kindly inform us as to what the oposition side of the provincial government has done during the past term of the legislature. At an early stage Mr. McDonald headed a brigade against the government for not receiving John Houston into the cabinet. Now they complain because Hon. R. F. Green is in. The people of the province realize that their only real complaint is that they are not in it. They may keep on complaining, but that never yet won a county or a prize of any kind. They must do something, so let them mention some good measures proposed or some definite work they have done, and then the people will listen. Organizer Simpson may well commence early, for he has a long road to travel to meet with success when he carries such timber as is found in the opposition.—The Prospector.

A Good Definition.

A Golden schoolboy has given the best definition of a friend so far on record: "A friend is a person who knows all about you and likes you just the same."

Small Salmon Pack.

The total salmon pack in British Columbia is approximately four hundred thousand cases this year. Of that amount the Fraser river has supplied a hundred and seventy thousand cases, and the remaining two hundred and thirty thousand cases will be from the numerous cannery points along the northern British Columbia coast. This is about a third the pack of last year, and about two hundred and twenty-six thousand cases less than the pack of 1902, the corresponding season in the four-year cycle.

Granby Prospects.

A late report from Boston states that stockholders of the Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting, & Power Co. will receive with their September dividend checks notice of the company's annual meeting, to be held in New York on Oct. 2.

The company's fiscal year ended June 30, and during that period net earnings were between $1,800,000 and $1,900,000. Copper production was just under 25,000,000 pounds.

At present the company is treating about 2,300 tons daily, but around Nov. 1, with the completion of new furnace equipment, this amount will be increased to over 3,000 tons daily. Next year's production is expected to show a still further material increase, and a director is of the opinion that the production will be eventually increased to considerably over the 50,000,000 pounds mark.

The shares of the company are now in the hands of between 2,500 and 3,000 persons, as compared with about 900 in December, 1903, the time of the first dividend payment.

Getting Busy.

The Windy Arm section is rapidly developing into a busy section, and Col. Conrad, the enterprising American whose name is so intimately identified with this section, declares that ore will be shipped out over the summit during the present month. This is great progress in a short time, and is at once a testimony to the mineral wealth of the country and to the enterprise of its exploiters.

Cowichan Lake.

It is commonly suposed that fishing is the one and only sport for which Cowichan is famous. Judging, however, from the last issue of The Leader, it will appear that this is only a side issue, and that the more popular and manly sports also have a vogue in the capital of the agricultural district. The Cowichan Lawn Tennis Club have just held their annual handicap tournament, which has been one of the attractive events of Cowichan for upwards of fifteen years. In reporting that matter the Leader states that this event marks the end of the club. Surely there must be some mistake. There is too much enterprise at Cowichan for a good thing like this to drop through. If the veterans are played out let the youngsters take the matter up.

Sawing Wood.

The Nicola Herald is a small paper probably, however, it is large enough for the district which it at present covers. We mention it to call attention to an interesting fact, viz., that the editor attends strictly to "business." Apparently he has no time to waste on non-essentials, and even politics do not interest him. He writes intelligently and persistently on the subjects of mining and agricultural development, keeping the resources of his own district well to the fore. In this respect he offers a creditable contrast to many of his more ambitious rivals, and is proceeding upon lines which will not only tend to advance the success of the Nicola Valley, but also of the Nicola Herald.

Government Commended.

The department of education has been commendably prompt in giving Hedley much needed school accommodation, and the department of public works is also expending considerable sums for a hospital and for a road up Twenty-Mile. Mr. Shatford, M.P.P., should not forget that Princeton is in his riding and that its appeal for a school house should cause the tender chords of his heart to vibrate in harmony with that appeal. Come, Mr. Shatford, loosen up, and you faithfhl friends here, as in duty bound, will ever remain so. —Similkameen Star.

The Malliene Test.

Although the glanders scare has subsided it will be interesting to our readers to know that Professor McCall, of Glasgow, writing to Mr. H. S. George, V.S., of Kamloops, says: 'I regard Mallien as a curative agent in the earlier stages of glanders, and in all stages of the malady a most reliable diagnostic agent."

Latest Feminine Desire.

Woman, proverbially, has the last word, yet how often must she sigh that convention would grant her the first. Half the conversational difficulties of which we hear are due to the fact that it is "bad form" for a woman to take the initiative.—Lady's Pictorial.

Grass Culture

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Nitrogen stated as ammonia	11.22	per cent.
Soluble Phosphoric Acid	0.8	per cent.
Citric Soluble	7.1	per cent.
Insoluble	0.2	per cent.
Total	8.1	per cent.
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Moisture	7.96	per cent.

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The September number of the Canadian Magazine is exceptionally interesting and the photographs equal to those of any American magazine. In this department there is a marked improvement in recent issues. Particulars about Sir John Macdonald are always interesting, and J. E. B. McCready's article is of unusual merit. If there is room for improvement in any section of this now admirable publication it lies in the direction of fresher and stronger fiction.

TIMBER LICENSE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situated in Port Renfrew District on the north side of San Juan river, and adjoining John Young on his north boundary: Commencing at a post marked "Alexr. Young," thence 40 chains west, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 40 chains west to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Dated at Port Renfrew this 20th day of August, 1906.

ALEXR. YOUNG.

TIMBER LICENSE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situated on the San Juan river, Renfrew District, and adjoining John Young east boundary: Commencing at a post marked "Alexr. Young," thence 40 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 40 chains south to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Dated at Port Renfrew, Renfrew District, this 19th day of August, 1906.

ALEXR. YOUNG.

TIMBER LICENSE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situated in Port Renfrew, Renfrew District: Commencing at a post planted 40 chains north of Alexr. Young southeast corner, marked "John Young" southwest corner," thence 80 chains north, thence 80 chains east, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains west to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Dated at Port Renfrew this 16th day of August, 1906.

JOHN YOUNG.

TIMBER LICENSE.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situated on the San Juan river, Renfrew District, and adjoining E. J. Palmer on his east boundary: Commencing at a post marked "John Young," thence 40 chains north, thence 80 chains west, thence 80 chains south, thence 80 chains east, thence 40 chains north to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Dated at Port Renfrew this 18th day of August, 1906.

JOHN YOUNG.

Notice is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land, situated on the head of the Bulkly River: Commencing at a post marked R. B., N. W. corner, thence running west 60 chains; thence south 60 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence north 60 chains to point of commencement, and containing 480 acres, more or less.

W. N. CLARK, Locator.

Bulkly Valley, July 3rd, 1906.

Notice is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land on the Skeena River, Range V., Coast District: Commencing at a post located at the S. W. corner of E. J. McGeachie's land and marked "J. M. McGeachie's N. W. corner"; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

J. M. McGEACHIE.

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Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner on the bank of a stream running into Yakoun river and marked "Initial post No. 1, H. W. Treat's N. W. corner," and running east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 1st, 1906.

H. W. TREAT.

NOTICE is hereby given that Thirty (30) days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal, asphaltum and petroleum on lands located on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte group, about ten miles from the west coast thereof and described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, J. D. Meenach's S. W. corner," and running north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to the place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 1st, 1906.

J. D. MEENACH.

NOTICE is hereby given that Thirty (30) days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal, asphaltum and petroleum on lands located on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte group, about five miles from the west coast thereof and described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner and marked "Initial post No. 1, Walter Oakes's S. E. corner" and running north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 1st, 1906.

WALTER OAKES.

NOTICE is hereby given that Thirty (30) days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal, asphaltum and petroleum on lands located on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte group, about six miles from the west coast thereof and described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, G. A. Brown's N. W. corner" and running south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 1st, 1906.

G. A. BROWN.

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Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, S. U. Williams's N. W. corner" and running south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 1st, 1906.

S. U. WILLIAMS.

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Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, G. E. Beardslee's N. E. corner" and running south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

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G. E. BEARDSLEE.

NOTICE is hereby given that Thirty (30) days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal, asphaltum and petroleum on lands located on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte group, about nine miles from the west coast thereof and described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, D. H. Jarvis's S. E. corner" and running north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

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D. H. JARVIS.

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Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, G. J. Hodge's S. W. corner" and running north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

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G. J. HODGE.

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Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, F. M. Munger's S. W. corner" and running north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 2nd, 1906.

F. M. MUNGER.

NOTICE is hereby given that Thirty (30) days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal, asphaltum and petroleum on lands located on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte group, about seven miles from the west coast thereof and described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, H. P. Fogh's N. E. corner" and running south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

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H. P. FOGH.

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Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, Edgar C. Fogh's S. E. corner" and running north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 2nd, 1906.

EDGAR C. FOGH.

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Commencing at a post planted at the southwest corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, H. L. Emmons's S. W. corner" and running north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 2nd, 1906.

H. L. EMMONS.

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Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, Victor Vigelius's N. W. corner" and running south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 2nd, 1906.

VICTOR VIGELIUS.

NOTICE is hereby given that Thirty (30) days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal, asphaltum and petroleum on lands located on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte group, about five miles from the west coast thereof and described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, M. G. Munley's N. E. corner" and running south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 1st, 1906.

M. G. MUNLEY.

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Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, E. H. Guie's S. E. corner" and running north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 2nd, 1906.

E. H. GUIE.

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Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, W. Langille's S. E. corner" and running north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 1st, 1906.

W. LANGILLE.

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Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, W. P. Flint's N. W. corner" and running south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 2nd, 1906.

W. P. FLINT.

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Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, F. W. Crary's N. W. corner" and running south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 2nd, 1906.

F. W. CRARY.

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Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, J. Albert Johnson's N. E. corner" and running south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 2nd, 1906.

J. ALBERT JOHNSON.

Notice is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore opposite Lots 45, 46 and 47, Esquimalt District.

ALBERT A. ARGYLE.

Vancouver, B. C., July 4th, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that Thirty (30) days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal, asphaltum and petroleum on lands located on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte group, about eight miles from the west coast thereof and described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted at the northeast corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, R. S. Eskridge's N. E. corner," and running south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 1st, 1906.

R. S. ESKRIDGE.

NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following land, situated on Works Channel: Commencing at a post marked "Initial Post T. H. W.," thence east 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 20 chains, thence north 20 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence south 40 chains, more or less, to shore line; thence following shore line to point of commencement, containing 240 acres more or less.

8t T. H. WATSON.

Port Simpson, B. C., Aug. 16, 1906.

NOTICE is hereby given that Thirty (30) days after date I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a licence to prospect for coal, asphaltum and petroleum on lands located on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte group, about seven miles from the west coast thereof and described as follows:

Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner and marked "Initial Post No. 1, C. D. Emmons's N. W. corner" and running south 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains to place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located August 1st, 1906.

C. D. EMMONS.

NOTICE is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the west half of southeast quarter and west half of northeast quarter, all in Section 8, Township 6, Coast Range 5, Bulkley Valley; containing one hundred and sixty (160) acres, more or less.

Dated July 25th, 1906.

au11 ERNEST MORIN.

NOTICE is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the southwest quarter section 17, Township 6, Coast Range 5, Bulkley Valley; containing (160) one hundred and sixty acres, more or less.

JOS. BOURGON.

Aldermere, July 25, 1906. au11

NOTICE.

Claim No. 1.

Further take notice that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, commencing at post planted at the N. E. corner of T. L. 7197, or on the line at corner of said claim, thence W. 80 chains, N. 80 chains, E. 80 chains, S. 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated this 18th day of July, 1906.

P. McDONALD.

Claim No. z.

Take notice that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands: Commencing at post planted 30 chains from S. W. corner on the line of T. L. 7197, thence N. 80 chains, thence W. 80 chains, S. 80 chains, E. 80 chains to point of commencement.

Dated this 18th day of July, 1906.

P. McDONALD.

No. 20.

Take notice that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situate on Tahsish Arm, Kyuquot Sound, Rupert District:

Beginning at a post planted on the east boundary of Application No. 13, about 60 chains south of the northeast corner thereof, thence east 160 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 160 chains, thence south along said boundary 40 chains to point of commencement.

Kyuquot Sound, June 14, 1906.

JOHN HIRSCH.

No. 21.

Take notice that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situate on Kyuquot Sound, Rupert District:

Beginning at a post planted at the southeast corner of No. 8 Application on Tahsish Arm, thence north along the east boundary of No. 8 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south about 20 chains to the shore, thence following the shore southwesterly to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Kyuquot Sound, June 14, 1906.

JOHN HIRSCH.

No. 22.

Take notice that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situate on Kyuquot Sound, Rupert District:

Beginning at a post planted at the northwest corner of Application No. 8 on Kokshittle Arm, thence east 40 chains, north 80 chains, west 60 chains, south to the shore of Kokshittle Arm, thence southeasterly along said shore to get one mile of southing, thence east about 40 chains to a point north of the initial stake, thence south 40 chains to point of commencement.

Kyuquot Sound, June 14, 1906.

JOHN HIRSCH.

No. 23.

Take notice that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situate on the Ka-o-winch River, Kokshittle Arm, Kyuquot Sound, Rupert District:

Beginning at a post planted on the north boundary about 20 chains west of the northeast corner of Application No. 7, on the east bank of the Ka-o-winch River, thence east 20 chains, north 160 chains, east 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Kyuquot Sound, June 14, 1906.

JOHN HIRSCH.

No. 27.

Take notice that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situate on Kyuquot Sound, Rupert District:

Beginning at a post planted near the initial post of Application No. 26, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, west 80 chains, north 80 chains, east 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Kyuquot Sound, June 14, 1906.

JOHN HIRSCH.

No. 28.

Take notice that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situate on Kyuquot Sound, Rupert District:

Beginning at a post planted on the west side of Union Island about 20 chains south of a group of small islands in Blind Entrance, thence 80 chains east, thence 60 chains north, thence 40 chains west, thence 40 chains north, thence west about 20 chains to the shore of Blind Entrance, thence southerly along said shore to point of commencement.

Kyuquot Sound, June 14, 1906.

JOHN HIRSCH.

Notice is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the foreshore opposite Lots 53 and 54, Metchosin District.

ALBERT A. ARGYLE.

Vancouver, B. C., July 4th, 1906.

No. 24.

Take notice that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situate on Kyuquot Sound, Rupert District:

Beginning at a post planted on the south shore of Narrow Gut Inlet, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence about 40 chains north to the shore of Narrow Gut Inlet, thence following the shore in a westerly direction to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Kyuquot Sound, June 14, 1906.

JOHN HIRSCH.

No. 25.

Take notice that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situate on Kyuquot Sound, Rupert District:

Beginning at a post planted at the southeast corner of Application No. 1, on Kokshittle Arm, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Kyuquot Sound, June 14, 1906.

JOHN HIRSCH.

No. 26.

Take notice that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land, situate on Kyuquot Sound, Rupert District:

Beginning at a post planted on the east side of a river unnamed entering into Clan ninick Harbor about 1½ miles from the mouth, thence east 60 chains, north 80 chains, west 80 chains, south 80 chains, east 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres more or less.

Kyuquot Sound, June 14, 1906.

JOHN HIRSCH.

TIMBER LICENSE.

NOTICE is hereby given that, thirty (30) days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described lands, situated in Port Renfrew, Renfrew District: Commencing at a post planted at the southeast corner of Section Eighteen (18), Township Ten (10), marked "Alexr. Young, S. E. Corner," thence eighty chains west; thence eighty chains north; thence eighty chains east; thence eighty chains south to the place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Dated at Port Renfrew this 11th day of August, 1906.

au18 ALEX. YOUNG.

NOTICE is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I, the undersigned, will apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease or purchase the following described land, namely, in Hesnit Harbor, Tlupana Arm, Nootka Sound, commencing at a post marked J. Mortimer, Southeast Corner, running 40 chains west, thence north to shore line, thence following the shore line to the point of commencement, containing 80 acres, more or less.

Victoria, B. C., July 11th, 1906.

au18 JOHN MORTIMER.

Notice is hereby given that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land in Port Renfrew District, Vancouver Island, on the west side of the Gordon River, adjoining A. Wheeler's claim on the southeast corner. Commencing at a post on the northeast corner marked J. Young's northeast corner, thence south 80 chains, west 80 chains, north 80 chains, and east 80 chains to the place of commencement, containing 640 acres. Located June 9th, 1906.

J. YOUNG.

Notice is hereby given that, 30 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for special license to cut and carry away timber from the following described land in Port Renfrew District, Vancouver Island, adjoining A. E. Mannell's claims on the southeast corner: Commencing at a post on the northeast corner marked A. Wheeler's (jr.) northeast corner, thence south 80 chains, west 80 chains, north 80 chains, and east 80 chains to the place of commencement, containing 640 acres.

Located June 9th, 1906.

A. WHEELER, Jr

Notice is hereby given that, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land on the Skeena River, Range V., Coast District: Starting from a post located at the northeast corner of the Kitsilas Indian Reserve, and marked "E. J. McGeachie, S. W. corner"; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

E. J. McGEACHIE.

Kitsilas, May 28th, 1906.

A Lady's Letter

By BABETTE.

Dear Madge.

For the moment all is peace in the sartorial folds. The momentous questions of holiday attire have long since been setled, and worn out, and for a brief space at all events, there will be a lull in the arduous round of shopping and the oft-times wearisome quest for novel ties. The moment has arrived, indeed, when the husbands of well-dressed wives and the fathers whose quivers are full of daughters, are apt to lift up a complaining voice on the score of the extravagance of modern frocks and frills. To some degree the poignancy of their feelings may be influenced by the fact that the bills have lately come in, but there seem to be some quite disinterested men upon whose nerves the subject settles, causing them acute irritation.

A detail which must infallibily be taken into account amongst the decorative fancies of tomorrow, is the jalousie flounce or flounces, the plural form being literally correct. This form of ornamentation consists of a series of bias frills, arranged one above the other, not unlike the laths of a Venetian blind. A very smart new coat for autumn wear, expressed in bottle-green cloth, has a panel on either side composed of these small frills cut out at the edge in inverted scallops, outlined with a fine cord piping, a button or simulated butonhole at every point. A pretty skirt in somewhat similar style is actually panelled, plain breadths of the cloth alternating with graduated tiers of flouncing. The general effect is rather pleasing, and certainly "chic."

The announcement recently made by a well known doctor that clothes, "particularly those fitting close to the body, are a fruitful source of ill-health," however disconcerting from the "coutouriere's" point of view, recurs with a certain fascination in hot weather, when such exigencies of civilization as collars, gloves, veils, not to mention shoes and corsets, cause more than a mere weariness of the flesh. In reading the great man's scientific theory, one learns, wiah something of a shock, that to be really healthy one should wear as little as the requirements of twentieth century "respectability" demand. Nor does he flinch from exhorting a return to the simple life of our ancestors in respect of skins and woad—or their modern equivalent. This is courageous, and the nudity theory is an argument to be seriously considered in quite hot weather; but how about March winds and winter frosts? The vision of uncorseted matrons sternly seeking health in sheep-skins and sandals is too serious to trifie with. Picture postcards, for instance, recording types of beauty, would then indeed require editing. It may be noted in passing that masculine furnishings are not condemned—only those of much whale-boned woman.

By the way, speaking of men's furnishings reminds me that B. Williams & Co., on Yates street, are sole agents for the "Semi-ready Tailoring," and it is useful to know that their new fall stock of raincoats, overcoats, suits, etc., has arrived.

The craze for passepartout quotations, which carries with it a more commendable sentiment than most fads, seems to be limitless. To see on the walls of a pretty bedroom the inspiring words of a favorite writer, has an uplifting tendency that deserves encouragement. These mottoes are bought unframed in plain and illuminated text; and almost any one can passepartout them. They make appropriate gifts for all, as they mean only two things—the thought, and the sentiment they carry with them. I am framing one that was sent me the other day. The motto reads:

"It matters not how strait the gate,
How charged with punishment the scroll,
I am the master of my fate;
I am the captain of my soul."
—W. E. Henley.

The wonderful contrivances in the way of furniture which the Americans have invented lately with a view to economising space and saving labor is most ingenious. One of the newest is the "hanging table," which when not in use can be caught up to the ceiling out of the way. It is simply a flat piece of wood like the top of an ordinary table suspended from the ceiling rafters by means of four ornamental chains, one at each corner. It is argued in favor of this novelty that table legs are a nuisance in a small apartment. But its disadavantages would appear numerous to people not accustomed to a seafaring life and not relishing the idea of feeling some of its most disagreeable sensations while still on dry land. It would be most unpleasant, for instance, to find one's dinner making violent oscillations and showing a tendency to precipitate itself into one's lap every time the table was touched. The effect upon one's appetite would not be good when the whole performance of dinner was fraught with so much peril. Is there not a virtue in equilibrium which counterbalances the disadvantage of limbs? There is something dispiriting, too, in the fact that one's table would be more or less of a fixture, despite all its instablity, and could not be moved beyond the limits of its four hooks. The "hanging" idea might be useful for adaptation in small yachts, where one must expect to "rough it" more or less, but surely no one in his senses who lived on "terra firma" and valued his peace of mind and body would elect to take unto himself a piece of furniture which has many of the elements of storm and earthquake combined.

There is something Gilbertian in the idea of the droll situations which might arise from the possession of a "hanging table." One wonders whether the inventor was endowed with an unusually acute sense of humor, or with none at all.

After a look at Weiler Bro.' splendid selection of dining tables, one is absolutely convinced that, after all, there is nothing like comfort, and a substantial four-legged "festive board" is certainly the most comfortable dining table yet invented.

Challoner & Mitchell continue to be the leading gift store. I hear of people coming from neighboring cities to invest in wedding gifts. What think you of a lovely turquoise necklace recently shipped to a prospective bride? Lucky bride, say I!

BABETTE.

NOTICE

Their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Countess Grey will hold a public reception in the Legislative Chambers, Parliament Buildings, on Monday, the 17th inst. at 9:45 p.m.

The entrance to the buildings for the general public will be at the door to the left of the main gates, (the usual public entrance.)

The dressing room for ladies will be the Maple and Cedar committee rooms. The dressing room for gentlemen will be the members' cloak room.

The dressing room for the officers of the army and navy and militia will be the members' dining room behind the Legislative Chambers.

The Speaker's room and that adjoining it will be reserved for the use of Their Excellencies and His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor's party.

By command

H. J. S. MUSKETT,
Private Secretary.

Social and Personal.

Mrs. J. S. Harvey and son left this week for Crofton to join Mr. Harvey, and take up their residence there.

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Mr. and Mrs. McPhillips left on Wednesday for Banff and Lake Louise, where they will spend a week or two.

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Mrs. W. H. Finlayson has purchased Captain Collister's residence on Dallas Road.

Mrs. C. C. Worsefold (New Westminster) who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Charles, returned home this morning.

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The Misses Blackwood leave tomorrow for "Brunot Hall," Spokane. They will be accompanied by Mrs. Blackwood.

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Miss Blakemore and Miss Gladys Blakemore, late of Nelson, have taken up their residence at Mount Pleasant, Mears Street.

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Mrs. Berkeley entertained at the ever popular bridge on Tuesday afternoon last, at her camp, Kanaka Beach. Three tables were filled by the guests.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roper, who have been spending a few weeks here, being guests at the Dallas, returned to their home at Cherry Creek on Tuesday.

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Mrs. Marpole left for Vancouver on Sunday last, being accompanied by her sister, Miss Evelyn Holmes, who is on her way to resume her studies at Yale.

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Miss Doris Clute left this morning for her home in New Westminster. While here she has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. J. Fagan, and Mrs. Beauchamp Tye.

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Miss Pooley and Miss Violet Pooley intend leaving shortly for England, the former to visit her sister, the Hon. Mrs. Stanley, and the latter to join her brother, Mr. Tom Pooley, in Egypt.

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Mrs. Henry Heisterman held her post-nuptial reception on Tuesday last, at her home on Cook street. The bride loked charming, and was assisted in receiving by Mrs. D. A. Ker and Mrs. Robert Brett.

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The launching of the new C.P.R. steamer "Princess Royal" on Saturday afternoon last was quite a social event of the week. Mrs. Marpole, wife of the general superintendent of the C.P.R., christened the steamer, after which the many guests repaired to the sail loft, where tea was served. The long tables were decorated in red and white dahlias, and the loft hung with different colored flags and ensigns, presenting a gala apearance. Among the guests were noticed: Mr. and Mrs. Roper, Dr. and Mrs. Fagan, Mrs. and Miss Phipps, Mrs. Tilton, the Misses Tilton, Dr. and Mrs. Heinmann Robertson, Mrs. Loewen, Miss Loewen, Mrs. Grahame, Mrs. Eberts, the Misses Eberts, Miss Eberts, Mrs. Little, Miss Little, the Misses Pitts, Mr. and Miss Bryden, Mr. and Mrs. Hallyer, Mrs. Hickman Tye, Mrs. Beauchamp Tye, Miss Doris Clute, Mr. and Mrs. Amberry, the Misses Mason, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. Carmichael, Mrs. Gibb, Mrs. Fred Pemberton, Mrs. Pemberton, Miss Pemberton, Mrs. Berkeley, Mrs. Tatlow, Miss Tatlow, Mrs. Irving, the Misses Irving, Col. Holmes, Miss Eva Holmes, Mrs. Troup, Mrs. W. S. Gore, Mrs. T. S. Gore, Miss Arbuckle, Mr. and Mrs. Crease, Capt. and Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. Bushby, Mr. and Mrs. Bridgeman, and many others.

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A very pretty wedding took place at Sandwick on Thursday afternoon, the 30th ult., the occasion being the marriage of Miss Josephine Willemar, youngest daughter of Rev. J. J. and Mrs. Willemar, of the Mission, Sandwick, and Lieutenant Harris, R.N. The church, which was crowded, was very pretily decorated by the bride's girl friends. Floral arches were placed at intervals up the aisle and two arches of evergreens draped with flags between the road and the church porch were very effective. The ceremony was performed by Archdeason Scriven, assisted by the bride's father. The bridegroom, who was in dress uniform, was supported by his brother, Mr. J. K. Harris. Mr. Douglas Willemar gave his sister away. The bride looked lovely in a gown of white silk voile, the bodice of which was made with a transparent yoke and deep girdle, being beautifully embroidered in chiffon and pearl. The design was dogwood. She wore a tulle veil fastened with spray of orange blossoms, and carried a shower bouquet of white roses and asparagus fern. The bridesmaids were Miss Willemar and Miss Kathleen Willemar. The former wore white muslin in a dainty rosebud patern, green girdle and green chiffon hat, and carried a bouquet of white phlox, pink sweet peas and ferns. Miss Kathleen Willemar wore pale blue muslin, rosebud pattern, pale blue girdle, blue chiffon hat, and carried a bouque tof white asters, blue phlox and ferns. There were four litle flower girls, Miss Marporie Smith, Miss Mildred Moore, and the Misses Gertrude and Gwendolyn Potts. They looked charming in white organdie dresses trimmed with valenciennes insertion, and large baby hats of white silk. They carried baskets of pink and white sweet peas and white clematis. The groom's presents to the bridesmaids were gold Chinese brooches, and to the flower girls gold and pearl safety pin brooches. His presents to the bride were opal and pearl brooch, sapphire ring and gold watch and chain. After the ceremony Mrs. Willemar held a reception at the Mission, where the newly married couple received the congratulations of their friends in the garden, standing beneath a floral bed, which was suspended from a large florol arch. A large number of gueses were present. Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Harris left on the City of Nanaimo en route to England. The bride's going away dress was royal blue cloth, with vest and revers of gold Indian embroidery and white straw hat trimmed with chiffon.

The following is a list of the presents:

Mrs. Gibson, silver souvenir spoon; Mr. Burnett, silver manicure set; Archdeacon A. Scriven, silver bon-bon dish; Mr. and Mrs. Abrams, cut glass bottle; Mr. and Mrs. Galanders, silver paper knife; Messrs. Netherby and Ward, half dozen silver fish knives and forks; Mr. Thwaites, silver coffee pot; the Hockey Club, travelling case; Mr. and Mrs. Andrews, centre piece; Miss M. Milligan, silver bon-bon spoon.

Victoria—Senator, Mrs., and Miss Macdonald, silver-mounted clock; the Misses Devereux, gold neck chain; Mr. and Mrs. McB. Smith, leather handbag; Mr. J. Lawson, oak and silver butter dish; Misses Muriel and Emmie Nicholles, silver cold meat forws; Major and Mrs. Nicholles, cheque; Mr. A. Stewart, Wedgewood china and silver cream and sugar set; Mr. and Mrs. Poff, silver bon-bon dish; Mr. L. L. V. York, silver salt cellars; Bishop of Columbia, cheque; Miss B. Carr, two camisoles; Miss Cassidy, silver beet fork; Mrs. R. Monro and daughter, silver souvenir spoon; Mr. and Mrs. Carew Gibson and Miss Green, silver backed clothes brush; Mr. and Mrs. P. Johnson, silver olive fork; Mrs. P. T. Johnston, hand-painted bag; Mr. Mrs., and Miss Marguerite Little, pair of silver bon-bon dishes; Capt. and Mrs. Freeman, silver vase; Miss Collis, lace handkerchief; Misses King, silver and glass tooth-brush holder; Dr. and Mrs. Jones, silver butter dish; Commander and Mrs. Thorpe, double silver salt cellars; the Misses Harvey, burned leather and stationery writing case; Miss J. Lawson, lace handkerchief.

Vancouver—Mr. and Mrs. Boultbie, silver-mounted writing case; Mr. K. Sharp, silver and oak butter dish.

Salt Spring—Mr. and Mrs. Keith Wilson, silver sugar sifter; Mrs. King, table mat; Mr. Reggie Carwithen, silver-mounted writing set; Mrs. Carwithen, silver-handled bread knife; the Misses Carwithen, half dozen silver tea spoons; Miss Halliday, linen hankerchiefs; Mr. and Mrs. Halliday, real lace handkerchief; Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Piercey, silver buter knife; Mr. and Mrs. Crockett, silver spoon; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williams, silver-mounted pickle jar; Mrs. R. Duncan, cheque; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Duncan, silver-mounted salad fork and spoon; Miss Bella Duncan, bottle of scent; Mr. and Mrs. Rees, silver teapot; Mr. and Mrs. J. Moore, silver berry server; Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Davis, silver cheese scoop; Miss Mildred Moore, hand bag; Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Piercey, silver sauce spoon; Mrs. Milligan, silver-mounted marmalade jar; Misses R. and C. Milligan, silver sardine fork; Mr. and Mrs. Eric Duncan, cheque; Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox, hand glass and half-dozen handkerchiefs; Mr. and Mrs. Nuns, silver photo frame; Mr. J. W. Cook, silver vase; Mr. and Mrs. Horace Smith, handmade lace handkerchiefs; Mr. and Mrs. Lucas, silver sugar spoon; Mr. and Mrsr. W. J. McQuillian, silver sugar spoon and nightgown bag; Mrs. Dingwall, silver bon-bon dish; Miss Dingwall, silver cake knife; Mrs. O. Duncan, cheque; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Robinson, silver cold meat fork; Dr. and Mrs. Millard, silver photo frame; Miss Willemar, silver teapot; Miss K. Willemar, silver sugar bowl; Master R. T. Piercey, silver sugar spoon; Mr. Cecil Smith, silver photo frame; Miss May Creech, china sugar bowl and cream jug; Mr. and Mrs. R. Grant, silver and glass epergne; Mr. and Mrs. Bryden, cut glass bowl; Mrs. and Miss Tarbel, cut glass scent bottle; Mr. and Mrs. Gage, check; Mr. Robert Piercy, silver sugar sifter; Mr. J. Urquhart, silver sugar tongs; Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Piercy, teneriffe table centre; Rev. J. and Mrs. Menzies, leather-bound book; Mr. Charles Bardick, silver frame; Mr. and Mrs. Cowlins, table cloth; Mr. and Mrs. Cairns, half-dozen silver coffee spoons; Mrs. Pidock, hand made lace table centre; Miss Pidcock, painted china plate; Pidcock Bros., oak and silver butter dish; Mr. and Mrs. Dobson and Mrs. D. Williams, silver berry spoon; Mr. and Mrs. J. McKenzie, silver cold meat fork; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Carthew, silver crumb scoop and tray; Miss Matthewson, half dozen silver spoons; Miss Mabel Matthewson, silver cold meat fork; Mr. Chas. Matthewson, silver and glass marmalade jar; Mr. Douglas Willemar, cut glass dish; Miss Winnie Wilson and brothers, silver tray; the Misses Macdonald, pierced silver scent bottle; Miss Holmes, pair of mahogany frames; Mr. and Mrs. Potts, pierced silver scent bottle; Gwenan d Baby Potts, silver hairpin box; Miss E. Milligan, silver photo frame; Miss R. Dingwall, half-dozen silver coffee spoons; Mr. J. R. Harris, travelling clock; Rev. J. and Mrs. Willemar, topaz and pearls brooch; Mr. A. C. Fulton, table cloth; Miss Sutton, card case; Mrs. R. Guillod, photo and d'oylies; Mr. and Mrs. McPhee, silver berry spoon; Mrs. Parkin, table cloth; Mr., Mrs., and Miss Knight, drawn-work tea cloth; Mrs. Bourne, drawn-work tray cloth; Mrs. Manners, silver and glass salt cellars and tea cloth; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, bronze photo frames; Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie and Miss Myra Cliffe, silver and glass salt and pepper cruet set; Mr. and Mrs. Custance, Limoges china cups and saucers; Miss Heathorn, silver and glass salt cellars.

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