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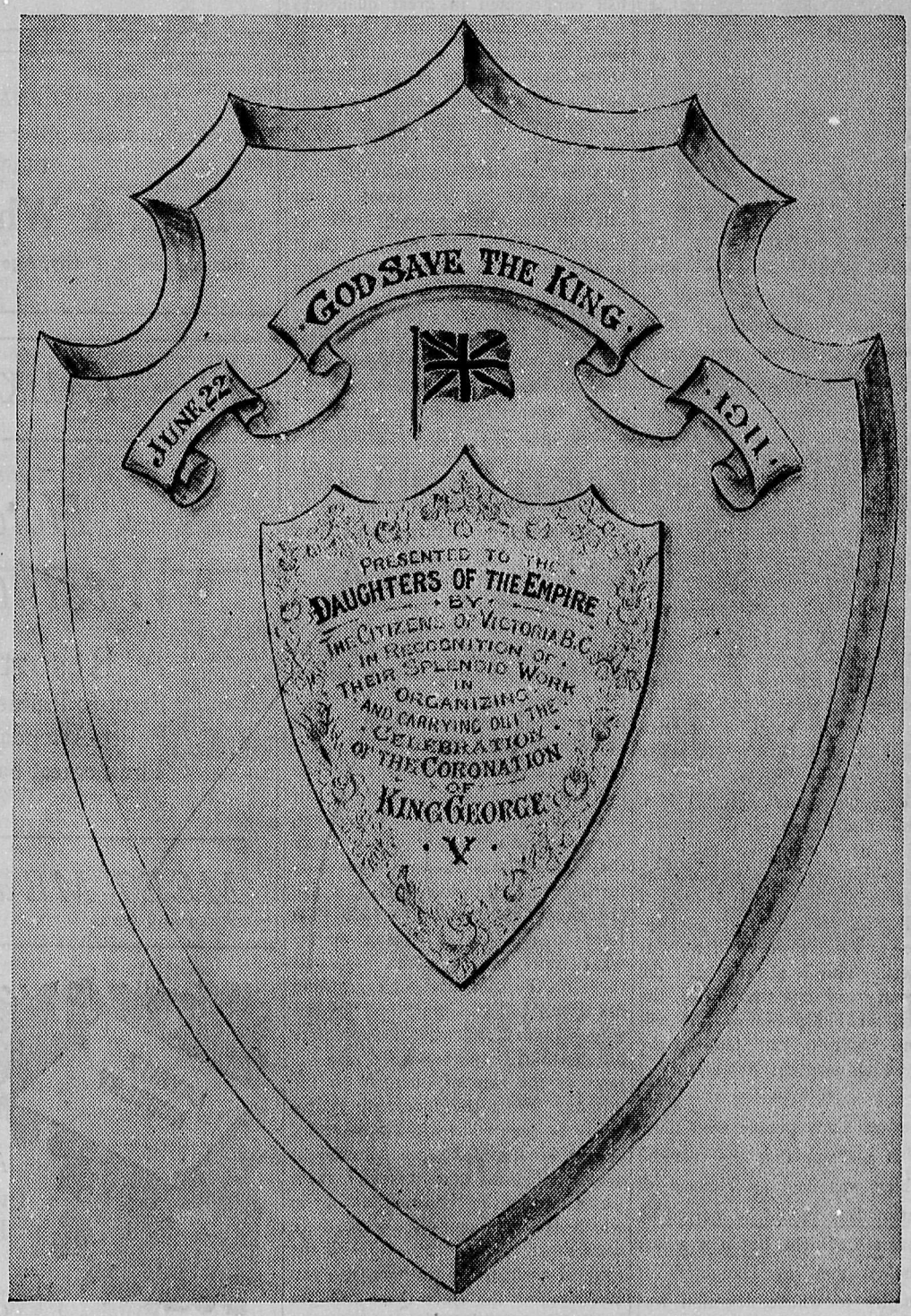
ROYAL VISIT—The announcement that the young Prince of Wales will soon pay a visit to Canada will e the liveliest satisfaction throughout Dominion. It naturally recalls the visit s illustrious grandfather half a century and of his father, now our beloved , in later years. It also serves to re- us how intimately members of the l Family have been associated with the ry of Canada from the days when e Rupert was granted a Royal con- on on which the Adventurers of the on's Bay Company founded one of reatest commercial and territorial en- ses in the history of the world until me when the Duke of Kent, father of Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, d for many years in Halifax. association with the Royal ly will be greatly strengthened e appointment of the Duke of aught as Governor-General. is the first time that a Prince e Blood has occupied that on, and it is an auspicious for the future. The Duke nnaught is a man of the high- pe, possessing many of the g qualities of the late King. a lover of peace and a past- r in the arts of diplomacy; he an of simple tastes, of simple nd of lofty ideals. His ap- ment is both an honour and a iment to the Dominion, and es at a time when it cannot have a potent if unconscious ce in moulding Canadian ent and policy.

RT FRASER LANDS—At last, after the lapse of three weeks, the Colonist has done it should have done as as the Times came out with st article about the Fraser . Instead of beating about sy in half-a-dozen columns of al it has reprinted in its own he article which appeared in Week on Saturday last and was authorized by the Min- f Lands, the Hon. W. R. The Colonist would have etter to have reprinted the verbatim, because in trying y the wording it has laid pen on two points, but no the Times will find this out elf. All that the public is ned about is to know that the in question were properly , advertised, applied for and st deposit of 50 cents an s required by law, duly paid Government agent. All this stantiated in the authorized ent published in the last issue e Week, and in dismissing atter it is only necessary to that "colts" or "no colts," imes has once more un- l a "mare's nest" of the most and approved type. By our contemporary will learn that in n. W. R. Ross the Province has a er of a rare type, and one whose will never be associated with wrong- of any kind. Like his distinguished essor he is a safe custodian of the interest, and not at all amenable to andishments usually resorted to by nen who seek an easy road to the ition of Crown lands.

RAIN-GROWERS MEMORIALS —It is said that during his Western tour Mr. Borden received upwards thousand memorials from branches of ain-Growers' Association urging him port Reciprocity. The Liberal Press that such an over-whelming expression of opinion from the representatives of the one industry of the West should have made a convert of Mr. Borden and induced him to abandon his opposition to the Government policy. Yet Mr. Borden is unconverted and says that he is more than ever convinced that it would be a bad policy for Canada to adopt. Now comes along a criticism by the Victoria Times on Mr. J. S. Willison who was for many years the editor of the Toronto Globe and who during all that time was feted and worshipped and looked up to by the Liberal Party of Canada as an oracle. Yet now that Mr. Willison is opposing Reciprocity he is condemned in no unmeasured terms, and is confronted with his own statements about the intelligence and ability of Western farmers made when he was in Calgary last year. The fact of the matter is that the party organs are altogether too narrow in their criticism of those who differ from them on important issues. Surely there may be an honest difference of opinion, and it does not necessarily follow that Mr. Borden is wrong because he is at variance with one thousand branches of the Grain-Growers' Association on the subject of Reciprocity, nor does it follow that Mr. Willison has lost all his intelligence because he is now editing the "News" instead of the "Globe," and because he too is a disbeliever in Reciprocity in spite of his high opinion of the farmers of the West. One thing is quite clear, that neither party possesses a monopoly of absolute consistency, and both parties share in about equal numbers the men of light and leading who at some period of their career have not thought as they think today. Which is another way of saying that it is only the fool who never changes his opinion, and that it is only the statesman, and not the mere politician, who learns by experience to adapt his policy to altered conditions.



PHOTOGRAPH OF THE SILVER SHIELD PRESENTED TO THE DAUGHTERS OF THE EMPIRE BY THE CITIZENS OF VICTORIA.

(The Shield is the work of Messrs. Challoner & Mitchell, Victoria, B. C.

THE AUTO GYMKHANA—The first Automobile Gymkhana was held at the Agricultural Grounds last Saturday. In some respects it was a success. It brought out a large crowd of people who showed that they were deeply interested in the motor-car and its possibilities; it demonstrated that it is possible to provide an interesting programme for an afternoon's amusement; its weak spot was the limited number of entries for the car parade, and the tedious delays in carrying out the programme. As a matter of fact only two cars entered for the decoration prize and only one for the comic prize. The large membership of the Victoria Automobile Club should have been a guarantee for at least a dozen or twenty cars. However, the most important feature was the performances of the cars and their drivers, this was quite satisfactory and proved highly entertaining. No doubt people are a little blase so soon after the Coronation festivities and Dominion Day which accounts for the lack of interest in organizing a picturesque procession. If the Committee decides on a second venture, and the attendance fully justified it, there is no reason why, profiting by the experience of the first, it should not register an unqualified success.

TRADE COMMISSIONER — The Colonist has fallen into a woful error in its comments upon the suggested appointment of a Trade Commissioner for British Columbia in London. In snubbing the gentleman who first brought the matter forward and who has been for some years a resident in Victoria, it assumed dthat his intention was for the British Columbia Government to appoint the Commissioner. Nothing was further from the mind of the gentleman. He proposed that the Imperial Government should make the appointment, and his only object in writing the Victoria papers was to create a little local interest in order to show that there was an opening for such an official, and a reasonable probability that he would be able to speak from personal knowledge of the natural conditions and investment possibilities of the Province. There was never any question of seeking financial aid from the Provincial Government, which is already admirably served by the respected Agent-General, Hon. J. H. Turner. The Colonist is not quite correct in saying that it refused to advocate such an appointment; it went the length of accepting the suggestion and ventilating it in its usual non-committal manner; but worse suggestions have been made and this may yet materialize.

THE CEMENT KNIGHT—Both local papers are much exercised over the knighting of Max Aitken, until recently a company promoter in Montreal, but now, thanks to watered stock and an aggressive American wife, Sir Max Aitken and an English M. P. Both papers agree that he has done nothing whatever in Canada to justify the honour which he has received. The Colonist however, takes the ground that unless he was nominated for the honour by the Governor-General, on the advice of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Canadians have no right to criticise. This is only half a truth. Canadians would have a right to push the criticism very much further if any responsible Canadian official had made the recommendation, but the conferring of a Coronation honour on a man of Mr. Aitken's type is a fair matter for criticism throughout the Empire, and everyone familiar with the circumstances will regret that the King was advised to couple his name with those of many worthy men who have rendered distinguished public service. It is difficult to believe that Sir Max Aitken owes his title to Canadian influence; it is much more probable that it is due to a princely contribution to the party campaign funds at the last British elections.

COD FISHING—An important letter on the subject of cod fishing in Cowichan Bay appears elsewhere in this issue. If the facts are as stated by Mr. Dumbleton prompt action should be taken by the authorities or one of the most popular fishing resorts in British Columbia will lose its chief attraction to the sportsman. It can hardly be doubted that the facts are as stated because complaints have been made to the same effect from many sources.

Now that the warm weather has set in and we no longer have to consider the advisability of bringing our great coats down town with us in the morning it is not out of place to consider the ways of the cave-dwellers and be wise. Not that we have any cave-dwellers in Victoria, but we appear to have the next best thing to them. As I gaze out of my office window I look into three rooms. Just a short week ago these rooms were occupied and those who lived therein were as secluded in their privacy as the baron in his castle. Then came the Trounce Avenue fire and the fire-engines and rudely the outer walls were torn away to expose to a curious public the meagre furnishings of the three apartments. What a story I could weave anent these rooms. I look into one and see bare walls, save for what at this distance I take to be a calendar; a curtain hangs across the far wall but what lies behind the curtain I cannot tell. A bed, with bed-clothes idly flapping in the breeze, flaunts its poverty-stricken appearance upon the eyes of the gay crowd on Government street. A flimsy washing-stand uprears its frail proportions amidst a pile of junk. In such a room a Chatterton might have died even at the moment that the Colonist across the street had accepted an ode for its next Sunday issue. The far room seems to tell even a sadder story. Here perchance a seamstress sat, sewing into her work the immortal words of Hood's "Song of a Shirt." And in the middle is a room of which I can tell nothing. So far as my poor eyes can see it possesses a counter running down the wall, but the counter is gashed and torn and a great hole yawns in the midst. What secret crimes may not be concealed therein?

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Now all of the above rhapsody constitutes a moral, which is that as we none of us know when a fire will break out in our own homes we should all be very careful so to leave our rooms so that if they are suddenly exposed to the public gaze they shall not leave it open to the wandering romancer to weave a tale of woe and misery. I do not know who last slept in my poet's room, but I am sure that it was not a half-starved penny-a-liner. I doubt very much whether there is a red-eyed seamstress in Victoria, but if there is she doesn't room in such a central situation where rents are high. What a theme for a sermon lies in the aspect of those three rooms which now so wantonly obtrude their nakedness on the passer-by! I, alas, am no sermonist, but I should like to point out that it appears to be an invincible habit amongst Victorians, or some Victorians at any rate, to "hang on to" their Lares and Penates till the last possible moment and like the rats to quit the ship only when destruction is imminent. Those rooms have been condemned for many weeks, but if it had not been for the fire they would still have been occupied till the very bricklayers were tearing away the protecting walls, brick by brick.

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I see by the papers that the police believe that they have caught two persons responsible for the many thefts which have proved so puzzling and annoying during the past few weeks. I trust that this may turn out to be the case. But it would appear that there is another kind of thief abroad and one who belongs to that most degraded miscreant—of whom even his fellow-criminals are ashamed—the sneak-thief. I have a friend of frugal mind and cleanly habits; he also wears pyjamas at night-time. Now he likes to wear clean clothes even at night when he can't be seen, but he revolts from the idea of paying laundries, celestial or otherwise, for what he thinks he can do perfectly well himself, so he makes a practice of washing his own night clothes and hanging them up to dry with his own fair fingers. The other night when dusk had obscured the view he went out, as his practice has been, to hang his pyjamas up on the clothes line, which thing done, he went to bed. He tells me that after he was between the sheets he heard footsteps passing up and down the street outside the yard wherein the precious clothes line hung, but that thinking it was some amorous Romeo waiting for his Juliet he paid no attention to the matter. The next morning, however, what wailings and gnashing of teeth! The lower and more valuable portion of his pyjamas had disappeared. Now what use could they be by themselves to anyone? But one explanation occurs. The passer-by had mistaken them for a nice pair of white flannel trousers and thinking to surprise his "donah" on the next bank holiday in the trappings of a dude he had abstracted them all unconscious of their real nature. Thus was the bitter bit, but my friend is disconsolate—and pantless.

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Every summer since I have been in Victoria as a "Lounger" I have written columns on the subject of street-watering, but though I have found that constant reiteration generally produces results in time, I feel despondent about ever seeing Victoria watered as she ought to be. However, I am asked to make a special mention this week as to the vagaries of the local Aquarius. It appears that he has a particular penchant for View Street. Now View Street at the present time is just one of the streets which doesn't need watering. It is nicely asphalted and singularly free from dust. I do not say that a little moisture applied early in the morning would not be a good thing, but the point is that there are many other streets which really need watering more, whilst View Street certainly needs watering less. I am told, and I have seen it for myself, that the street is absolutely flooded with water in the mornings so that automobiles, which at present have this as one of their few approaches to town, proceed literally at their peril. This is absurd. Let the water-man read an account of the death of Sir Philip Sidney; he will have no difficulty in finding the streets which need the water more.

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There are many people who think that it is a shame that the splendid fete which was held in Victoria on Coronation Day should be marred by an aftermath of debt, but it is a fact nevertheless that the Daughters of the Empire to whose devotion was due the greatest celebration that Victoria has ever seen, are out of pocket on the affair. Possibly the explanation may be found in the fact that in many quarters loyalty found more expression in shouting than in "digging." Be that as it may, the fact remains that a certain deficit has to be made up. It is in order to raise the sum necessary that the Daughters of the Empire are arranging a dance to be given on Wednesday next, July 19th, in the ball-room of the Alexandra Club. The price of tickets is fixed at $2.00 per person. The organizers assure the public that a first-class orchestra will be in evidence and that the refreshments will be of the best. Most people know that the Alexandra Club ball-room is all that can be desired and that if the "Daughters" set out to do a thing they do it well. There should be a hearty response to the general invitation issued to the public and the later are informed that tickets are on sale at Messrs. Hibben's, Challoner & Mitchell's, or can be obtained from any member of the Daughters of the Empire. That the attendance will be of a nature to repay the ladies for all the trouble they have taken and that after it is over there will be no more deficit on account of Coronation Day is the sincere hope of the

Lounger.

COD FISHING IN SAANICH ARM

Victoria, 13th July, 1911.

To the Editor of The Week:

Sir,—I have been requested by residents in the neighbourhood of this beautiful seaside and fishing resort, to write a few lines on the subject of cod fishing, (which includes many species of cod) in the Saanich Inlet, in the hopes that some notice may be taken of same and something done to prevent the depletion of these excellent fish in this particular district. From what I have been informed, in other parts of the Island waters including Cowichan Bay where these fish congregated in great quantities there are practically none left. A fleet of Japanese boats numbering some five or six are engaged in this particular kind of fishing. These boats are fitted with salt water tanks for holding the catch, and the live bait they use, which consists of small herring, perch, and even trout. Long lines are used with a heavy sinker at the end, attached to this is a short line containing a hook on which the live bait is secured, and if you will examine these hooks you will see that the barbs thereon are pinched almost flush with the rest of the hook. The lines are dropped overboard until the sinker touches bottom, then they are pulled up a few feet which enables the live bait to swim about and attract their enemies. As soon as a fish takes the bait he is hauled up to the surface as quickly as possible and dropped into the tank alive. The hook having the barb reduced as I have before mentioned, makes it an easy matter to extract it from the fish's mouth very quickly, and without injury. These fishermen live on their boats and don't leave the fishing grounds until they have cleared out all the fish. The boats also are fitted with gasoline engines, and while half the fleet is fishing, the other half is distributing the fish at Vancouver, Victoria and any other places where they have a market, and in securing further supplies in live bait. Cod fish are caught at certain times of the tide; to the Jap it doesn't matter what time, day or night, as he is there on the spot, has got everything he wants and can wait for the fish to get hungry, and when the same are on the take, they are hauled into the boat at the rate of one fish to the minute. From the foregoing it can easily be seen what will be the result if this kind of fishing is allowed to continue. Until quite recently there was a tank in the Victoria Harbour in which fish were kept alive when there were more than could be sold to the Chinese peddlars and others, and you can imagine the state these fish got into after coming from the pure waters of Saanich Arm and other healthy localities and being dumped into the foul waters of the harbour. They became sickly and emaciated and their eyes bulging out, and sores on their bodies, and these were the fish which, after having their heads removed and their skins scraped, were sold to the inhabitants of Victoria as fresh fish. I have been informed today that these fishermen have a contract with Vancouver fish dealers to supply them with several tons of cod fish, and the boats being fitted with gasoline engines can do so quite easily and thus reduce the numbers of cod fish in the vicinity of Victoria. I have no interest whatever in the Saanich Arm, but am simply writing this in the hopes that these splendid fish may not, like our friends the grouse, become scarce for want of proper protection.

I am, etc.,

ALAN S. DUMBLETON.

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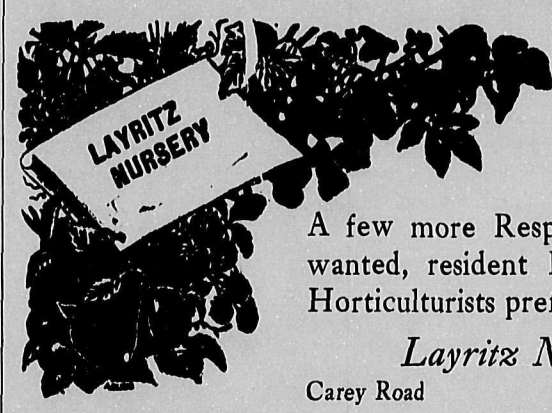

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The Empress Theatre

he big feature this week at the press is the trapeze act by the sells, which though short is dar- in the extreme. Mabel Wayne been contributing a very enter- ng interlude comprised of song piano playing and has been a t success. Ben Smith has been nsively billed as a burnt cork t; though he has not much to he has a very comic way of say- it. Of "The Widow—and His ," one cannot say much; it is a e piece of comedy with nothing . The Hopkins Sisters afford thing of a novelty, the dancing singing turn which they present usually filled by men. How- the change is an acceptable one the Sisters have been a very lar item on the week's bill.

The Majestic Theatre

the beginning of the week the stic screen had two head-liners the Mule-boy and the Oper- of Lonedale. Both were excel- and the marvel is how the cine- graph can work in the positions hich it does. The scenes in the or of the coal mine and on the of the flying locomotive were ex- onally fascinating. Poor old has been getting into trouble has been getting into trouble this week also. The return of r to life in the twentieth cen- afforded the opportunity to put very good views of modern on the screen.

The Crystal Theatre

ost attractive item of the week's s was the inclusion of the views procession of Knights at the investiture of the Prince of into the Order of the Garter. such views were obtained I not, but the effect was magni- An interesting and instruc- ilm has been dealing with the sea fishing industry. There has plenty of good comedy on view e time and Melba is still sing- e songs at the Crystal, but not ated songs—thank goodness.

Romano's Theatre

re is always something good mano's, and this week has no exception to the general t. At all times during the day scattering of people may be in the Government Street whilst during those hours people are more accustomed e their amusements the house e than well filled. During the t hot spell there are worse to sit in than a darkened and ouse which is open all the day mano's is.

Ferris Hartman

That most popular comedian, Ferris Hartman, who has just completed a successful season in Los Angeles, will appear in the Victoria Theatre on Monday, July 17th, in his wonderful creation of "The Toymaker." This charming and delightful comic opera has been played by Mr. Hartman for so long that he has become thoroughly identified with it and his conception of the part of the old toymaker of Nuremburg, Johannes Guggenheimer, has become a classic with him.

Mrs. Fiske

The art of Mrs. Fiske seems to increase in its breadth and charm with each succeeding visit and her appearances in "Mrs. Bumpstead-Leigh," are peculiarly marked by that feeling of sympathy and understanding between artist and audience that means so much to both. It would seem from the effect conveyed to the auditor that the role of "Mrs. Bumpstead-Leigh" is one in which Mrs. Fiske takes an infinite delight, since a more thoroughly natural and ebullient performance, it is said, has seldom been seen. Mrs. Fiske herself is authority for the statement that the part is a continual joy to her. It certainly must be an artistic and mental relaxation, differing as it does so completely from the serious plays with which she has been so extensively associated.

Mrs. Fiske appears at the Victoria Theatre Thursday, July 20.

SUNDAY SERVICES

As the Rev. Dr. Campbell is on his holidays, the pulpit of First Presbyterian Church will be occupied both morning and evening next Sabbath, (16th inst.) by the Rev. Principal Garvie, D.D., of New College, London, England. Dr. Garvie was born of Scottish parents in Poland, where he received his early education, but completed his education in Scotland and Germany. He is an acknowledged leader in ecclesiastical matters in England. As an author he stands high. Among his writings are "Studies in the Inner Life of Jesus," and "Faith's Certainty in Modern Perplexity." He is at present giving lectures on the "Life of Jesus," to the students of Westminster Hall, Vancouver, and as the session of First Church succeeded to secure him for next Sunday, our citizens will have an opportunity to hear him.

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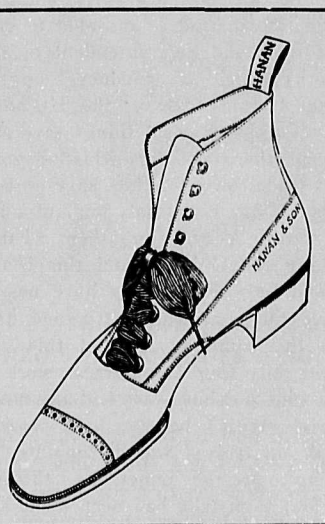

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The lady blushed and replied: "Why Doctor, my name is Hill."

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Victoria *in* 1853

Historic Letter by Admiral Moresby never before Published

The Editor of The Week:

Sir,—The following historical letter relating to the early days of Victoria written, as the events happened, by a young naval officer to his father who was at the time commander in chief on the Pacific station, and which letter may be of great interest to many "old timers" in our fair city, has been sent to me for publication, with the writer's permission, now Admiral John Moresby (retired list) of Fareham, Hampshire.

JOHN T. WALBRAN.

Victoria, 11th February, 1911.

Letter from Admiral John Moresby to his father, Admiral Sir Fairfax Moresby, K.C.B., when the former was gunnery lieutenant of H. M. S. "Thetis" and his father commander in chief on the Pacific Station:

H. M. S. "Thetis,"
4th February, 1853.
San Francisco.

My dear Father:—

We arrived here on the 2nd instant after a stormy passage of nine days from Victoria. I am perfectly bewildered with the immense number of letters which I have received; I do not know who to answer first and as Captain Kuper has mentioned his intention of sailing tomorrow you may imagine I am pretty busy. My first care has been dear mother and I will now endeavour to give you a slight outline of our proceedings since we left here on the 5th October, 1852, for Vancouver Island, where we arrived on the 17th of the same month, the Langfords and the Staines being, I think, the only people really glad to see us return, excepting, by the bye, the keepers of the grog shops who have reaped a rich harvest from our fellows.

As soon as the weather permitted we unbent sails, sent topgallant masts on deck, unrove everything except the standing rigging and prepared for a severe winter which all the old settlers laughed at. Until the 26th November we had, generally speaking, wet weather, but with, at times, three or four lovely days together. In fact very Plymouth-like sort of weather. From this time colder weather set in with frosty mornings but very enjoyable until the snow fell in such quantities that it confined us in a great measure to the ship. On Christmas Eve the thermometer stood at 11 deg. which was the lowest it ranged during our stay. I found the best preventive against the cold was a jump overboard every morning which kept me in the best of health and entirely free from colds, etc., which my companions suffered much from.

Directly after Christmas great preparations were made to send an expedition after two Indians who had treacherously murdered a white man near Victoria and then fled to their own tribes for protection, one of them about thirty miles from Esquimalt and the other about seventy. There was a general cry for justice at all hazards so the Governor arranged with Captain Kuper to send a force of 130, officers and men, from the "Thetis" with a few half-breeds from the Fort, the whole being under the immediate direction of Governor Douglas. The armed party embarked in the Hudson's Bay Company's schooner "Recovery," the Governor with a marine guard being in the small H. B. steamer "Beaver," which vessel was to tow the "Recovery." Lieutenant Sansum was in military command with myself in charge of small armed men and field piece, with eight other officers. Owing to the procrastination of the H. B. Company it was the 4th January, 1853, before we fairly started taking our launch, barge and pinnace in tow; would that I had another day to give you a full description of this pleasant and successful cruise, but I will do what I can.

About twenty miles to the east of Esquimalt we got amongst a most lovely cluster of islands where in a beautiful harbour we anchored for the night. You are doubtless aware that none of this part of the coast has been surveyed and that for more than one hundred miles along the east coast of Vancouver Island in the Gulf of Georgia is nothing but the finest archipelago of small islands you can imagine. On the morning of the 5th we again weighed but the steamer could not tow us against the strong breeze which eventually compelled us to anchor in another splendid anchorage. The next day we were more fortunate and succeeded in anchoring in Cowichan Bay, at the head of which bay a river empties about as large as the Thames at Windsor. On the banks of this river the tribe of one of the murderers is situated. The Governor (who understands Indian character perfectly) managed to see the chiefs of the tribe and arranged with them to hold a conference in the morning, all the warriors to be present, and they promised to bring the murderer with them. The first thing on the morning of the 7th we started and landing all our force on a plain, where there was some clear ground and room for our men to extend, waited the coming of the Indians. They soon arrived with most hideous noises of all sorts, horribly painted and in their war dress; no sooner had they landed (about 230) than they took possession of some neighbouring high ground, which, as they all had muskets, looked suspicious. The Governor in the meantime collected the chiefs round him with about fifty warriors, having long speeches with them for at least four hours. All this time we were kept in suspense with the pleasure of seeing the long barrels of the Indian guns peering over rocks and stones at us and you can fancy how our men longed to get at them for we all thought the talk would end in nothing, but at last to our great surprise the murderer was quietly given up and taken on board the "Beaver," thanks wholly and solely to the Governor's coolness and forbearance combined with his intimate acquaintance with the Indian character. What a far better result than if it had ended in our slaughtering the poor Indians. The prisoner being safe, presents were made to the chiefs and we returned to our vessels.

On Sunday the 9th we continued on our way to Nanaimo Bay, a distance of forty miles from Cowichan where the tribe belonging to the other murderer reside. Our course lay through the most lovely channels, harbours and sounds that can be conceived, everything looking most beautiful in consequence of the evergreen nature of the trees. We anchored in Nanaimo Bay late in the afternoon. This is a place very similar to Cowichan, it being a large bay with a fine river flowing into the head of it. This is the place celebrated for the discovery of coal concerning which I will give you the little information I was able to collect from the Superintendent of the Works which are conducted on the usual trifling scale of the Hudson's Bay Company in all things save and except the trade for skins; beyond this trade for skins they have no two ideas; if one could only implant some mercantile energy into them what a colony for Old England this island would be. Six months have passed since the coal was first mined here and the company have at this moment only four labourers at work in the mine nor have they had any more. These men, I believe, have worked well, but truly I was disappointed at going to see the "mines," as I thought at first a mistake had been made and a common draw bucket well shown me, but I found that no mistake had been made. The "mine" consists of a pit forty-two feet deep by eight feet square with a windlass over the top, and when I saw it it was full of water to the top. About forty tons of most excellent coal was lying on one side, the produce of several months' labour, and altogether I believe about four hundred tons have been shipped, but this has been principally surface coal. The superintendent, a most intelligent man, tells me he is sure of the existence of immense quantities of coal here. Newcastle island, which forms part of the protection of the bay, is known to be entirely of a coal nature.

Until Friday, the 14th of January, we were continually humbugged by the Indians promising to assemble as at Cowichan, but they never did so. On this day we proceeded up the truly magnificent Nanaimo river in our boats and took possession of one of the villages which was fortified by a regular stockade some twenty feet in height; this we fully expected to have to storm, but after much parley again, through the Governor's address, we obtained peaceful possession, remaining there all night. The village is situated about a mile from the head of the bay and the entrance to the river is full of shoals and rapid currents which renders it even to small boats almost impossible of ascent except at the top of high water. On the morning of the 15th we moved further up and took possession of the murderer's village which was entirely deserted. Here the Governor gave the Indians to understand that unless the murderer was given up he would burn the villages and destroy all their property. In the meantime we received information that the murderer was at a small village close to where the ships were lying. One of our boats was immediately despatched with the half-breeds in her to see if they could catch him; if they succeeded two big guns were to be fired as a signal. The remainder of us continued at the village and after the lapse of about two hours we heard the welcome signal of success. It appears that the half-breeds landed and fortunately at once hit upon the murderer's track; they tracked him a long distance in the bush then down a stream, found he had swam a considerable distance and eventually secured him hidden under the roots of a tree when he was at once taken on board the "Beaver." On Monday the 17th January, a jury was assembled on the steamer of which I was a member and a formal trial took place, several Indian chiefs being present. Both prisoners fully admitted their guilt, telling the whole particulars of the murder. They were both condemned to be hanged the same afternoon. When told the sentence the Cowichan Indian turned pale but the other, a remarkably fine looking savage, took not the slightest notice of it. In the afternoon with all our boats manned and armed, the prisoners were taken to a clear piece of ground where a gallows had been erected and there hanged in the presence of the whole tribe, who uttered the most mournful yells and cries it has ever fallen to the lot of men to hear. I little thought these savages possessed such feeling.

Neither of the murderers appeared to care one bit for death; they walked unconcernedly to the gallows and stood, at least, ten minutes on the scaffold without a limb trembling or the least appearance of fear.

Our force had formed a hollow square round the gallows. No sooner was the execution over than we returned to our ships and the next day in the morning left for Esquimalt where we arrived on the morning of the following day, the 19th. We have thus fully accomplished the object of our expedition and in a far better style than the "Daphne" or "Daedalus" under similar circumstances, but no credit to us, for it was entirely due to the good management of the Governor (under Providence).

I will now, my dear father, say a few words about the Island and its government. First, the Governor I fully admit has many excellent traits in his character; he is kind, generous, and to a certain extent well informed; one trait in his character must on no account be omitted—he never abuses other people. This is, as you know, a rare virtue on Vancouver Island. The great drawback is his long absence from England, an absence spent among persons and Indians whom he has either governed himself or been accustomed to see governed in a most absolute manner. This has rendered him, what he is not naturally, despotic. He thinks there can be no reference against his will, forgetting that he must be guided by British laws. His long residence has also made him think that all settlers who come out are able and ought to rough it out in the same style (or rather no style at all) which he has all his life been accustomed to, which, until very lately, and is now in a great measure, exceedingly rough. A strong proof of this occurred only the other day, just before we sailed south, on the arrival of the annual ship with 156 emigrants, among them some very respectable families (one of them quite the Langford style). Now it was well known that these people were coming out more than a year before their arrival, yet not the slightest preparation had been made for them. You would scarcely believe it, but these people were landed at Fort Victoria on a miserable cold, wet day, not a soul to receive them or tell them where to go; here on the landing, women and all, had to remain for a couple of hours when at last they were divided among some log huts where they had to pig it out as best they could. This is really too bad and ought not to be. I do not think Mr. Douglas does these things wilfully, but they ought not to be done at all. The whole truth is that the office of Chief Factor in the Hudson's Bay Company, especially now that they have such a multiplicity of affairs to attend to, is as much and more than any one man can properly perform without having a large staff to assist him in his own office. Now when you add to this the many and onerous duties of Governor, whose policy is diametrically opposed to that of a Chief Factor, where is the man living who could honestly and truly perform both duties. It is known that great and extensive discontent prevails. Even servants of the H. B. Company have told me that it is too much for even Mr. Douglas to carry out satisfactorily. In my humble opinion if England wishes to secure a rich colony fully able to more than pay its own expenses the whole state of affairs must be changed.

During the hard frost of last winter Mr. Langford lost a large number of sheep, but next winter he hopes to be better provided for them with hay. Old McCauley only lost about a dozen. The latter says you are the prettiest Admiral he ever did see.

There were, I can assure you, some aching hearts and red eyes when the "Thetis" left Victoria, thank goodness mine was not among the number. I have much to tell you when we meet and I am thankful to say I am happy and comfortable, but I leave it entirely to your arrangement as to my going to England in the "Thetis" or not.

Believe me, my dear Father,
Yours, etc.,
JOHN MORESBY.

"Sotto Voce"

The Week's Rumours and Humours

(By "The Gadfly"

That in starting a land breeze the Times has been caught in a Gale.

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That in one of its editorial eruptions the Times calls the Colonist a "purring canine." This is what comes of "feline" for Fort Fraser's "fur."

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That one has only to read our evening contemporary to realise that dogs bark; but it is letting the cat out of the bag to say that dogs also "purr."

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That when the Times' leader-writer knows a little more of English he may be able to read the Fort Fraser Land Company's original prospectus as it is written.

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That he will then see that it made no difference to the "ultimate purchaser" what price the vendors paid the Government for the land.

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That Victoria had a Grimason at the Orangemen's procession on the 12th.

That the Prince of Wales has b advised to wait until he "comes age" before he comes to Canada.

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That Real Estate men cannot with minors.

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That someone has been fined for "carrolling" on the Gorge R

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That the Rainbow boys refuse sing "Hose-anna" at the departur Commander Stewart.

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Hose is man's excuse for wet the walk, and woman's excuse walking in the wet.

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That the "lying messages" Bi MacDonald attributes to spiritua are nothing to those a husband his wife over the 'phone.

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That the residents in the dis object to "blasting" at Mount mie. We think it bad form anywh

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That the Court has decided Pastor Russell's performances are "religious meetings." But who think they were?

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That the Odd-fellows pr against work on Douglas street. protest against it anywhere.

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That the Mayor wants no s signs longer than eighteen inch lower than sixteen feet from ground. Is he starting an optic

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That Lord Kitchener's forthco marriage is mere Hearsey.

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That we wonder if the famous eral will be able to establish Rule in Egypt?

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That if a labourer had to be w of his hire, no Hindu would e a City Counsellor.

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That in the wholesale merc competition in the Colonist for s of increased trade, "Simon" c more in a minute than the could have done in a year.

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That there is little left in the cupine district but insurance "quills."

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That Alderman H. M. Fulle appeal for more lights in North Park will be strenuously oppose

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That the Broad Street Hall by Mr. J. A. Bohnet "cappe stories of the Pyramids.

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That the Forest Fires in Mi were caused by American "Ho

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That J. G. French is think letting his lions loose on the Saanich municipality.

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That the menagerie wants its worth of food.

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That some new "subdivisio Saanich will shortly be heard

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That a headline reads, "Vi Fireman." Nothing like pract

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That W. L. Courtney says the harem skirt was worn in B.C." That ought to kill it!

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That Bernard Shaw has state he doesn't remember having himself—except the parts that seen,—since his nurse used to for him. No wonder he is i "bad odour!"

BOOK NOTES

The following new books now on sale at the Stand Stationery Co.'s store, Gov ment St., Victoria, B.C.:

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BRITISH COLUMBIA MINING OPERATIONS ARE ACTIVE

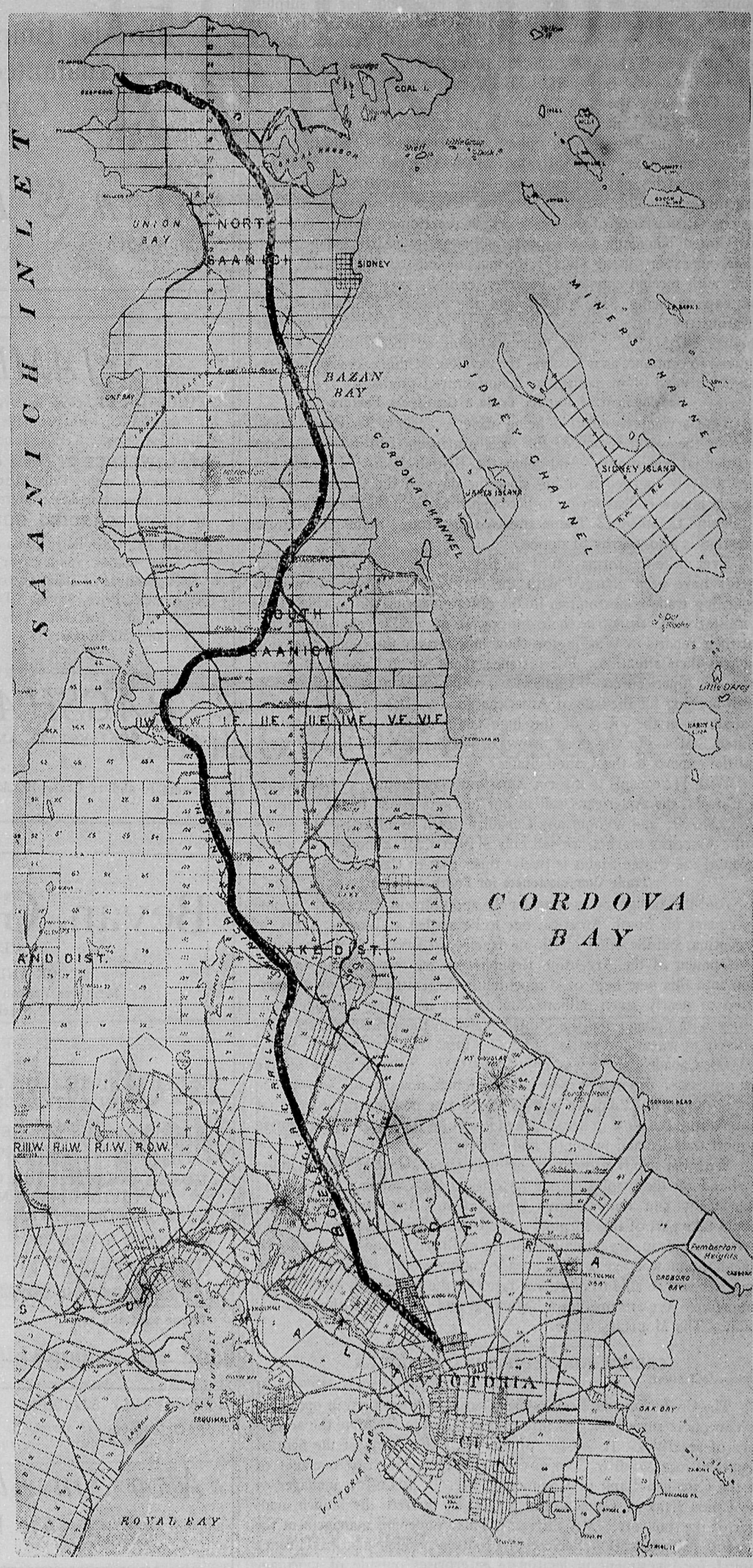
People in the coast cities are taking a greater interest in mines than nerly. One of the reasons may be that real estate, with its high es, demands a larger sum of money to secure returns, and conse- ntly the small investor cannot participate to the sam extent that he d when it was half the present price. There is much money in city avalaible for investment, and, with good mining propositions at hand, people begin to realize that money can be made in them. the best mining propositions have been secured by Americans. y did not have real estate to lure them away, and good profits are g made. On the local stock exchanges considerable trading is g done. It is interesting to note the new strike of high-grade ore on Britannia mine on Howe Sound, not far from Vancouver. Opera- have been going on there for some time, and now a large deposit re has been reached. It is reported that Japanese are being em- d at this mine to keep down costs.

It is regrettable that the strike of the Crow's Nest coal miners is rolonged. It is seriously interfering with the operation of the enay and Boundary mines, and will also have a serious effect on uel supply of next winter. At the last regular meeting of the of trade of Nelson the subject was introduced by Mr. F. A. ey, who said that, as president of the Assoicated Boards of Trade astern British Columbia, he had wired Hon. Mackenzie King, ter of labour, asking if the government could not guarantee the s of the men, providing they return to work pending a final settle- This action had been taken because of the serious aspects of the ion. The minister's reply was that he had insisted on early ption of sittings of the board. Mr. Starkey said he strongly red taking action to let the government and the conciliation board of what serious import the question was to the Kootenay. The stion was made by another member to memorialize the govern- and that the government should operate the mines while waiting settlement. The opinion was also expressed that something was g either with the Act or the conciliation board, as both sides d with it, and objected to the admission of evidence which might the case in the eyes of the public. It was decided to hold a l meeting to discuss the whole question.

LUMBER OWNERS THINK THEY HAVE GRIEVANCE

umber owners in British Columbia declare they have a good cause rievance against the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. The money s being used to construct this line in Canadian territory is supplied ery large extent by the people of Canada, yet every bit of lumber n construction in the West is being bought in the United States. pril through one port of entry 22 carloads, averaging 20,000 feet came in from Washington. For the week ending June 7th five l through Sumas, and for the week ending June 14th three car- all for the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway. During May, the s for which were not secured, more went through. Since then a ct for 8,000,000 feet has been let by the Grand Trunk Pacific to ican mills. While business is fair in the lumber industry in h Columbia it is none too good that it cannot handle business of ind. The owners feel they are entitled to some consideration in atter, though it is along the same lines that the Dominion Govern- has treated the lumbermen of the West for seventeen years.

ritish Columbians are looking for more railways. On Vancouver Island, with the extensions in prospect and the construction of the Canadian Northern, sufficient lines for present needs will be soon in operation. In Vancouver the agitation is afoot for a direct line to the new Peace River country, and data will be gathered and submitted to Premier McBride on his return with the hope that the government will see fit to assist the project in some material way, the suggestion being by guaranteeing the interest on the bonds. The northern empire is a vast tract, and it is felt by business men here that an independent line of railway would do much toward bringing trade this way. In the Kootenay, a campaign for railway extension has been publicly suggested, which indicates the need for more lines. The Kootenay evidently has had enough of existing lines, for the eyes of those inter-



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ested are on the newer lines, such as the Canadian Northern and the Idaho, Washington and Northern. American lines are not slow to take advantage of any trade opportunities that may offer, and already Spokane capitalists have the survey ready for the construction of a big loop line into the Similkameen district to divert more British Columbia trade to that eastern Washington city.

TRADE WITH SOUTH AMERICA

(By Sir George Ross)

By the establishment of the Department of Trade and Commerce a responsible minister is now charged with the supervision of the commerce of Canada and the opening of new fields for its surplus products. Substantially, Canada never had but two markets for her products, viz., Great Britain and the United States. Out of a total export trade in 1911 of $297,196,365, Great Britain received $137,158,-711 and the United States $119,203,201, or together over 80 per cent. of all Canadian exports.

Outside the United Kingdom Canada's best customer within the Empire was the British West Indies, which received $4,590,736 of our exports, and next was Australia, which received $3,925,592. Of foreign countries, our best customer outside the United States was the Argentine Republic, which received $3,021,728 of our exports. A curious circumstance of our trade within the Empire is that, omitting the United Kingdom, our exports and imports nearly balance each other, our exports being $17,177,163 and our imports $19,548,170. Our trade with foreign countries, however, exhibits very different results, the exports being $142,860,491 and the imports $332,466,676, or, omitting the United States, our exports were $23,657,290 and our imports $47,521,937. Now, this condition of trade should not be allowed to continue, as it involves the payment of this excess of imports in gold instead of in natural or manufactured products.

Development of Export Trade a Gratifying Feature

That a vigorous effort is being made to develop our export trade all over the world is one of the most gratifying features of modern commercial conditions. And what the British Board of Trade has been actively engaged in doing since the days of the Commonwealth, Canada is now endeavouring to accomplish through the Department of Trade and Commerce. The example of the United States in a similar direction is also worthy of notice.

Ever since the formation of the Republic her consuls and consular agents have been charged with the duty of supplying information regarding trade opportunities in the different countries in which they were stationed. It is true their duties were not exclusively commercial, but their reports to Washington show how largely the commercial side engages their attention. For instance, there are in Canada no fewer than 112 American consuls and vice-consuls ready to report upon any fresh opening for the sale of American goods. Does not this account —apart from the effect of the high tariff against imports into the United States—for the great disproportion between the imports from and the exports to the United States?

With 112 consuls to inform American manufacturers of the wants of Canada, the Americans sell in our markets goods to the value of $284,934,739; and without any Canadian agent to advertise our goods in the American market, we sell only $119,203,201, although the population of the United States is twelve times that of Canada.

Trade Commissioners for South America

And this brings me to consider the appointment of two trade commissioners for South America, one to be settled at Buenos Ayres, in Argentina, and the other at Rio de Janeiro, in Brazil. With the rapid development of the Argentine Republic we are not entering any too soon into this new field of competition. Argentina contains a population of nearly seven millions, and is fast becoming a strong competitor with Canada and the United States in the British market, particularly in wheat and cattle. Out of a total trade last year of $722,-000,000, Canada's share was only $5,870,000. So soon as we receive the reports of the new Trade Commissioner, now on his way to the capital of the Republic, we will be in a better position to judge what commodities are most in demand, and it will be for Canadian enterprise to meet that demand promptly and efficiently.

With the steady growth of our industries, a foreign market must be found for the surplus of our factories if the Canadian artisan is to find steady and remunerative employment. Argentina and Brazil should take part of this surplus. The United States has seven consuls or vice-consuls in Argentina and twelve in Brazil. And it is worthy of consideration whether a single trade commissioner in each of these countries will be able to meet satisfactorily the necessities of Canadian commerce. We are making a beginning, and that is something to our credit.—The Monetary Times.

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The Credit Foncier Franco-Canadien, which has been in operation in Vancouver since 1907, has now a local board to facilitate the acceptance of securities. It consists of Mr. H. T. Ceperley, of the firm of Ceperley, Rounsefell & Company; Mr. William Murray, manager of of the Canadian Bank of Commerce; Mr. T. McCaffry, manager of the Union Bank of Canada, and Mr. A. C. Stirrett, the branch manager of the company. Mr. Stirrett has also under his management the General Administration Society of Montreal, which also has French capital for investment in legitimate enterprises outside of mortgage loans.

THE SOCKEYE FISHING SEASON

The sockeye fishing season opened on June 20th, but with the backward season fish are scarce. Preparations have been made for a pack about the same as that of last year, between 700,000 and 800,000 cases. The total pack, including Alaska, is expected to be about 4,000,000 cases. On the Fraser River the pack is estimated to be 60,000 cases.

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Edinburgh, Scotland. Mr. Brown is also a director of the National nance Company, Limited, of Vancouver, B.C., and is on a business p to Canada.

The recent failure of several Canadian municipal issues on the ndon market Mr. Brown attributed to the low rate of interest. If rate on the issues had been a half to one per cent. more, there uld probably have been little difficulty. There are so many coun- es now borrowing in the London market that the investor is in a ch better position to demand a higher rate of interest than he was eral years ago. Public utilities bonds are what the British investor ours most. Several industrial issues have proved disappointing, but investor has generally found that the public utilities are sound.

The Century Insurance Company has much money invested in nada, and Mr. Brown believes that unbounded prosperity will be erienced throughout the Dominion in the near future.

PORT MANN TOWNSITE

Four parties of surveyors are now at work on the Port Mann nsite. A preliminary topographical survey is being made for the of the landscape architect who will plan the subdivision and lay the residential portion.

DIFFERENCES IN MINING METHODS

The Porcupine gold region has afforded some striking contrasts in ing methods. Too many Canadians have entered the field with y notions as to what is their duty or with any well-defined idea to the probable or final result of their operations. This has not n peculiar to Porcupine, but has been seen in almost every camp in thern Ontario. In the new gold camp, the difference in methods ell illustrated. Our own countrymen are to a large extent wading he mire of uncertainty and stock promotions, without qualified isers or managers, while the British interests have formulated a nite programme, and have the assistance of the best geologists and ing engineers.

It is admitted that both parties start at the same point. Both chase claims with slight knowledge of what is in store. Both sell ing stock to the largely ill-informed mining public. Both are able aise money in that way. It is in the expenditure of that money that first difference in methods is noted. In the majority of cases, the adian engages the ghosts of mining engineers and the shadows of e managers. Money is squandered. Real mining is at a discount. cessful stock selling is often the end of the mine. The Gow Ganda on has given a sorry example of these methods. Hundreds of sands of dollars have been wasted, with the result that those really ested in the mining industry are none the wiser from a mining t of view, while those who put up the money are much the poorer have nothing to show for their money.

Compare these ways to those adopted by the Bewick-Moreing ests, as an example. They have hired the best engineers, including Maclaren, one of the best authorities, who is studying the character e deposits, and Mr. Williams, another excellent authority, who is arge of their property. Their areas will be given every possible ce to make good. If anything can be found and developed, it will ound and developed. In other words, the English stockholder will ven what the popular phrase terms a "run for his money." Thous- of Canadian stockholders are not likely to be given even a walk heir cash.

It is by no means desired to condemn all mines backed by Canadian ests. Many in Cobalt and a few in Porcupine, including the inger, are doing well and following the British methods, which ire active, practical, persistent mining and well qualified engineers managers. So long as the Canadian company promoter, stock and alleged mining man utilizes the services of so-called mining eers without qualification, so long will the legitimate mining stry be hampered and the stockholder fooled. To get the best ts in mining, one must have the best practical and professional

CANADA'S PROSPERITY

(Interview with Mr. C. R. Hosmer)

Mr. Charles R. Hosmer, president of the Ogilvie Flour Mills, and tor of the C.P.R., has just returned to Montreal from an extended o Europe, and in the course of an interview said:

"I look forward with confidence to a year of great prosperity in da. Just before leaving London I had a very interesting conver- n with George Paish, of the London Statist. Paish also regards ects for this year as very bright, because the wheat crops of gn producing countries, Russia, for instance, are very unpromis- High prices, he thinks, will easily be obtained by farmers, because pe will now of necessity look to the United States and Canada cularly for grain supply.

"Just think of it," said Mr. Hosmer, "the prospective crop of 00,000 bushels of wheat in our Canadian North-West at $1 a l means $200,000,000 to that section of Canada alone. Wouldn't ike a share of that? Good prices are bound to prevail, and even nty-five per cent. of this grand total were lost, that section would produce 150,000,000 bushels, which would mean a great impetus entire Dominion."

Mr. Hosmer, in common with all returning Canadian financiers, of the intense interest taken by foreign capitalists in Canadian ities. He was very much impressed with the class of immigrants g to this country. Those who came over on the same ship as lf, the Empress of Ireland, were a particularly desirable lot, and just the people needed to help build up the country.

Of reciprocity Mr. Hosmer said: "I think English statesmen are ally waking up to a realization of what closer relations with the d States must ultimately mean to England and the rest of the re, but the English feel that this is a matter which must be settled anadians themselves, and nothing they can do will be of much

"The flow of English capital over here," said Mr. Hosmer, "is to extent accelerated by Lloyd George and his schemes for penal- capitalists and land owners."

HILLSIDE AVENUE

Glance at the map. Run your eye along Hillside Avenue and notice the immense territory drained by this street. It taps the Uplands Farm, which will be one of the most select residential districts of Victoria and which is soon to be placed on the market, and it is also the quickest route from Cadboro Bay. Notice these facts, and that it drains what will then be the most heavily settled section inside the city limits. THEN BUY ON HILLSIDE.

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THE WHITE GARAGE

One of the latest business enterprises in the city of Victoria is that now being conducted by the White Garage at 1218 Wharf Street. Mr. C. F. M. Morphew, general agent for the White Company, states that he expects to see Victoria one of the most liberal supporters of his company on the Coast. "We have completed arrangements for 1912," he said to a representative of The Week, "with the White Garage to handle our line and we have shipments of commercial cars on the way now." It is understood that the White Garage will handle a complete line of commercial cars, including taxi-cabs, ambulances, police patrols and heavier chassis for every commercial use for 1912 and the demand is at the present time taxing the factory to the utmost capacity. With Mr. J. E. Musgrave in charge and with a full equipment the White Garage feels confident of being in a position to give patrons absolute assurance of dependable service.

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JUDGE FORIN'S LETTER

he following letter has been re-ed by the Nelson Daily News n Judge Forin, now in England:

is a strenuous time in London n at present, but my promise to e to you has been on my con-nce and this will relieve it.

he glamour of London grips one n you come within her borders. ster may claim its ancient (and ovated) walls; Stratford-on-Avon Shakespeare and his much reno-d house with a guide in every of the sixty perky rooms, War-k has a small remnant of ancient s and a very modern beguiled bespangled suite of rooms which for show purposes only, with two little electric lights, very modern, sted to make the pictures and gilt pretty, and the guide kow tows tately when he gets his "bob" and inclines his head when common ies rattle in his hand, his pre-ssors left an estate of £75,000 ing gained by showing the folks nd.

touch of life was given to War-castle by seeing in the distance of the ladies of the household king their morning cigarettes; would have been an explosion the powder on their faces been n explosive nature. I hear the old castle brings in £6 a day s owners. What would Chester without her walls, ancient and ern, Stratford-on-Avon without e Shakespeare, the butcher's son, Varwick castle without its ancient rs and modern show rooms? ing but wayside villages. But lon the great is greater on this day of June, 1911, than she ever This is the climax in her his-

A writer in this evening's s says: "I have never seen such ht before. This morning I have ed for three hours in the heart ondon and the marching multi-s grow thicker and thicker and quadruple lines of motor cars, ages and buses move more and slowly and come to a dead stop equent intervals."

No "Butters-in"

e stranger and tenderfoot in the s having a rueful time. The po-have not time to answer ques-; they are too busy controlling street vehicles, and so the s of worried, perplexed visitors een on every corner reading the signs and wondering which o turn, but turn which way they hey meet the great currents of nity crowding in on them. It rule of the street in this town "butt in," for two reasons, that body is warned by the guide to beware of "butters-in," and dly, one has no time; it keeps usy getting to his own destina-

cidents are happening by the . The ambulance comes up and earest hospital gets the victim, for him if he has friends about entify the injured one or if he se enough to have his London ss in his hat or notebook or

d what hospitals! Great squares ildings like St. Thomas', Grey's, Bartholomew's, and a dozen of institutions, besides scores of ng homes. But this is no time ink of hospitals. The enchant-of the greatest pageant ever in the world's history is on us. icture London as she is "the day e" would take an artist's hand many folios.

day a mass of colour, red pre-nating, blue, white, yellow, e, and every other colour known, anners, stringers, bunting and ; on buildings, on poles, towers steeples; from windows and bal-s; the guilds and traders of an-privilege and great wealth con-g for first place against the rail-municipal and legislative corpor-ations to decorate more gorgeously.

By night millions of many coloured lights are burning, here a glittering spire outlined, there a turret, here the Royal Exchange ablaze and opposite it with equal splendour is the Mansion House.

Mile on mile of such decorations meet the eye; it is the grandest sight of the kind ever presented. Tomorrow is the coronation. It is raining now but it is better, for the streets have been dry and dusty for days, and the morning, we hope, will bring sunshine to welcome the coronation of a king who is steadily growing in favour as a most worthy successor to the best of our rulers.

"Dressed Like a Guy"

I will go down to the Abbey and see the ceremony, although it is much against my will that I must dress like a guy in a black velvet full court dress and cocked hat, but when I get through with it I can give his worship Mayor Selous some pointers and may lend him my suit to receive the Duke of Connaught in. I am sure from what I hear of some of the music halls here that he would be in clover if he were over, as he is an accepted judge in that line. I must close ,but may find time to write later on and give an impression of the coronation ceremonies at the Abbey church of St. Peter.

J. H. FORIN.

MAYOR SELOUS RECIPROCATES

To the Editor of The Daily News:

Sir,—I have read with much gratification Judge Forin's letter in today's issue. As a patriotic Englishman I cannot sufficiently thank the judge for his generosity and self-abnegation in doing violence to his feelings and donning the much despised court suit. I tremble to contemplate the disastrous consequences to the British empire and its august monarch had his honour the judge refused to make a "guy" of himself for the empire's sake.

Would the coronation have been postponed or dispensed with, or perchance would His Majesty have declined the crown altogether if the ceremony were not graced by the presence of his honour.

The judge's personal remarks regarding my unworthy self fill me with peculiar gratification. When one is not particularly good oneself it is surely most uplifting to know that one is present in the thoughts of the Great, the Good, the Pure. I accept with heartfelt gratitude his honour's offer of the loan of his cast-off clothing and in return will beg him to accept my copy of the Merirtt Herald of May 26, which contains the following appreciation of his honour's many virtues.

"A Miscarriage of Justice"

"We have no hesitation in declaring that Judge Forin of Nelson is a disgrace to the bench. The attitude of pharisaical priggishness which he adopted in his misguided endeavour to prevent the performance in Nelson of that painfully innocuous musical comedy, 'The Queen of the Moulin Rouge' will be remembered by many and he has now shown that his heart is as bad as his head by a sentence of outrageous severity, which displays to the full his mediaeval outlook upon life. There used to be a pleasant custom in the middle ages of burying a suicide at midnight at a cross roads with a stake through his heart and there still remains—a blot upon the statute book—a certain mediaeval enactment punishing attempted suicide with imprisonment. This statute obviously dates from the times when the labourer was the chattel of his lord and master and suicide or attempted suicide was therefore a combination of malicious mischief and grand larceny. The law is one which is generally allowed to remain a dead letter in this day and generation, and advisedly so, but occasionally we meet with a judge with the temper of a Jeffreys and the heart of a Pharisee who enforces it and punishes it to the limit. Such a one is Judge Forin. The case we refer to is that of F. H. Taylor, an English labourer, who, for attempted suicide, was sentenced by that paragon of clemency and wisdom to two years' imprisonment in New Westminster, the maximum sentence for the offence. It was pleaded in extenuation that Taylor had been suffering from rheumatic fever which had induced insomnia, and it was shown that he had attempted suicide to escape from the agonizing tortures which he was suffering and the torment of sleepless nights. The plea availed him nothing with the stony-hearted bigot who sat on the bench and he was given the maximum penalty which the law allows. It was also brought out that the accused had a wife and family in England. Whether they are dependent on him or not, we do not know, but as labourers' wives are not usually possessed of private means, it is only fair to suppose that they are, and we would like to know how they will fare for the next two years. We believe that Judge Forin is a leading light in one of Nelson's Sunday schools. One wonders if he ever reads the New Testament. Another thought that occurs to us is what sentence he would have pronounced had the prisoner been some prominent young society woman of Nelson instead of a fever-racked, toil-worn "shovel-stiff.' The learned judge's reasoning seems to have been: You are poor. You are sick. You were so tired of your life that you decided to put an end to it. This is a horrible offence against society and we shall therefore punish you by branding you as a felon and shutting you up for two years.

"We do not know Judge Forin and we are not of a vindictive disposition, but we do hope that before he dies, he may be able to find out by personal experience, just what rheumatic fever combined with insomnia feels like. Of course in his case he would have proper nursing and the best of medical attention and when he was convalescent instead of being dead broke and having to hunt a job, he would be able to go down to southern California or elsewhere for a change of climate. Under no conditions, therefore, can he suffer what his victim did, but some slight approximation of those sufferings might work wonders in opening his eyes to the fact that what the church regards as a sin should not necessarily be punished by the law as a heinous crime in the twentieth century.

"In conclusion we wish to offer our sincerest apologies to Judge Forin if the account of the trial in the Vancouver News-Advertiser, from which we glean our facts, has led us into doing him an injustice. If, however, that account is correct, we believe that two petitions ought to be circulated in the Nelson district, one praying for a free pardon for Taylor and the other praying for the removal from the bench of a man for whom there is no longer any sphere of judicial usefulness, now that the Spanish Inquisition has ceased to exist."

Hoping that his honour will consider this a fair exchange.

HAROLD SELOUS.

Nelson, July 6, 1911.

Correspondence

The Week accepts no responsibility for the views expressed by its correspondents. Communications will be inserted whether signed by the real name of the writer or a nom de plume, but the writer's name and address must be given to the Editor as an evidence of bona fides. In no case will it be divulged without consent.

CHINESE GAMBLING

Victoria, B.C., July 6, 1911.

To the Editor of The Week:

Dear Sir,—We send you a copy of letter we have sent to the Mayor and Chief of Police of Victoria respectively, relating to ladies presiding in Chinese gambling houses in Victoria, as a draw for working and young men, causing them to disregard their wives, parents and children.

Would you kindly do us the favour of publishing this in your paper?

Yours respectfully,
LOW NOI,
L. N. WING ON.

1709 Government St.,
Victoria, B.C., July 6, 1911.

To His Worship the Mayor of Victoria, B.C.

Sir,—At a gambling house called the Labor Club, 558 Fisguard Street, second storey, another at 565 Fisguard Street, called the Yotting Club, second storey, and another at 546½ Cormorant Street, called the Empire Club; at each of these places is a Chinese lady to preside so as to draw the Chinese labourers, and young men; they lose all their money, and the "Bank" wins all; they run every day from twelve o'clock noon till two o'clock in the morning, Saturday and Sunday being the busiest days with them.

This custom does the people very much harm, as the gambling house gets all their money instead of its being sent to the parents, wife and children for food and clothes.

We would earnestly entreat your worship to have this stopped at once as to the ladies.

We are,

Yours respectfully,
LOW NOI,
L. N. WING ON.

THE NAVAL AND MILITARY IMMIGRATION LEAGUE

Parliament Buildings,
Great Smith Street,
London, S.W.,

The Editor The Week:

Sir,—A meeting was held on June 20th at the offices in Parliament Buildings, Westminster, London, to welcome Mr. A. E. Hepburn, the organizer of the Vancouver Branch and to discuss other important matters in connection with Canada generally and the other Dominions beyond the Seas.

Amongst those present were Major General Sir Ronald Lane, the Chairman, Lord Saye & Sele, Major-General Sir Frederick Benson, Colonels Maude, Balfour, Barnet and Pollock, Major J. Hussey Walsh, Mr. Frank Deverell and Mr. Ccammell, Secretary, etc.

This League is under the direct patronage of H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught and many other distinguished people, including Lord Roberts, who is the President.

The discussion chiefly turned upon the ways and means of getting ex-Service men of "exemplary" and "very good" character out to British Columbia, the cost being so much greater than to other parts of Canada, and even Australia where certain concessions are granted in many cases.

A deputation waited upon the Premier of British Columbia, the Hon. Richard McBride, on the following day; the deputation consisted of Lord Saye & Sele, Major-General Sir Frederick Benson, Major W. Hussey Walsh and Mr. Scammell. The deputation was introduced to the Premier by Mr. Hepburn. Mr. McBride received these gentlemen in a most cordial manner, saying that on his return to British Columbia he would go into the matter most carefully and would do all in his power to overcome some of the difficulties alluded to.

WILLIAM HUSSEY WALSH,
Member of Executive Council.

DYNAMITING TROUT

Reports are received from thoroughly reliable sources that the dynamiting of trout on a wholesale scale is proceeding without interruption from the Dominion authorities, in the vicinity of Oyster river. Similar violations of the law, although on a smaller scale are reported from Seymour and Lynn creeks, in the vicinity of Vancouver. Nowhere this season or in the past, have the federal authorities displayed any apparent activity in the protection of the game fish of the province, an exceptionally valuable asset, although measures are taken for the safeguarding of the commercial fishes and the punishment of those who transgress the laws provided for their preservation.

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing by reason of a notice published in the British Columbia Gazette of the 27th December, 1907, covering a parcel of land situated at St. Vincent Bay, Jervis Inlet, formerly held under Timber License No. 40624, is cancelled and the said lands will be open for location by pre-emption at midnight on Friday, October 13th, 1911.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B.C., 5th July, 1911.
july 15 oct 7

PUBLIC HIGHWAYS

Province of British Columbia
NOTICE is hereby given that all Public Highways in unorganized Districts, and all Main Trunk Roads in organized Districts are sixty-six feet wide, and have a width of thirty-three feet on each side of the mean straight centre line of the travelled road.

THOMAS TAYLOR,
Minister of Public Works.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B.C., July 7th, 1911.
july 15 oct 14

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing by reason of a notice published in the British Columbia Gazette of the 27th December, 1907, over Lots Nos. 10183 and 10184, Group one, Kootenay District, which have been surrendered out of Timber License No. 32590, is cancelled, and the said lands will be open to location by pre-emption only at midnight on Friday, 13th October, 1911.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B.C., 5th July, 1911.
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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range 1

TAKE notice that I, Thomas S. Annandale, of New Westminster, B.C., occupation Grocer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 2 miles in a north-easterly direction from Anna McIntyre's south-east corner application for purchase; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated 17th day of May, 1911.
THOMAS S. ANNANDALE.
Charles B. Stark, Agent.
june 24 aug 19

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range 1

TAKE notice htat I, Anna McIntyre, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation School Teacher, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted immediately adjoining Hope Parks' south-east corner application for purchase—thence east 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of commencement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated 16th day of May, 1911.
ANNA McINTYRE,
Charles B. Stark, Agent.
june 24 aug 19

WATER ACT, 1909, AND AMENDING ACTS

Notice Under Section 87

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Vancouver Island Power Company, Limited, ntends to apply to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council, on Friday, the 28th day of July, 1911, at the Parliament Buildings, Executive Chamber, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, or so soon thereafter as the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council may appoint for approval of its proposed undertaking and works in Malahat District, at Trout Lake, near the head waters of one branch of the Jordan River, East of the Jordan Meadows in pursuance of, and in exercise of and utilization of the license issued to the said Company, on the twelfth day of July, 1910, and numbered 1902. Maps and plans of the said proposed undertaking and works will be open for public inspection and may be seen on any day following this Notice within office hours at the office of the Honourable, the Provincial Secretary, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C.

VANCOUVER ISLAND
POWER COMPANY, LIMITED.
By A. T. Goward, Local Manager.
Dated this 20th day of June, A.D. 1911.
june 24 july 22

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range II

TAKE notice that John Davis, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Teamster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains south of the south-east corner of Lot 331; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated June 1st, 1911.
JOHN DAVIS.
july 1 aug 26

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range II

TAKE notice that Henry Woods, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Bookkeeper, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains north of the north-west corner of Lot 329; thence south 40 chains to the northwest corner of lot 329; thence west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 480 acres, more or less.

Dated June 1st, 1911.
HENRY WOODS.
july 1 aug 26

RUPERT LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range I

TAKE notice that Robert Swords, of, Victoria, B.C., occupation Manager, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the north-west corner of a small Island at the north-west corner of Jennis Bay, Drury Inlet, and embracing whole of Island; containing 1 acre, more or less.

Dated May 18th, 1911.
ROBERT SWORDS.
july 15 sept 9

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing over vacant Crown lands in Cariboo District, situated on the South Fork of the Fraser River, notice of which, bearing date of June 26th, 1907, was published in the British Columbia Gazette dated August 29th, 1907, is cancelled in so far as the same relates to lands surveyed as Lots numbered 3,040, 3,040A, 3,039, 3,049, 3,042, 3,051, 3,052, 3,043, 3,041, 3,045, 3,044, 3,077, 3,076, 3,082, 3,078, 3,079, 3,080, 3,081, 3,083, 3,088, 3,085, 3,086, 3,087A, 3,087, 3,091, 3,099, 3,100, 3,089, 3,108, 3,112, 3,129, 3,130, 3,132, 3,132, 3,133, 4,135, 3,124, 3,035, 3,037, 3,036, 3,038, 3,046, 3,047, 3,054A, 3,054, 3,057, 3,053, 3,084, 3,097, 3,105, 3,101, 3,075, 3,096, 3,098, 3,106, 3,102, 3,103, 3,090A, 3,090, 3,111, 3,115, 3,124, 3,125, 3,126, 3,119A, 3,119, 3,116, 3,109, 3,110, 3,104, 3,107, 3,046A, 3,059, 3,048, 3,055, 3,056, 3,066, 3,065A, 3,063, 3,062, 3,061, 3,060, 3,058, 3,065, 3,067, 3,064, 3,069, 3,070, 3,071, 3,073, 3,068, 3,072, 3,075, 3,074, 3,092, 3,094, 3,093, 3,093A, 3,113, 3,117, 3,120, 3,123, 3,127, 3,131, 3,128, 3,122, 3,121, 3,118, and 3,114.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B.C., May 26th, 1911.
june 3 — sept 2

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing by reason of the notice published n the British Columbia Gazette of the 27th December, 1907, over lands situated on one of the Islands in the Pearce Group of Islands, Rupert District, formerly covered by Timber Licence No. 27806, is cancelled and that the said lands will be open to location by pre-emption only, after midnight on July 13th, 1911.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Lands Department,
Victoria, B.C., April 10th, 1911.
apl 15 — july 15

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing over certain lands in Range 5, Coast District, notice of which bearing date of July 13th, 1908, and December 17th, 1908, were published in the British Columbia Gazette in the issues of July 16th, 1908, and December 17th, 1908, respectively, is cancelled in so far as the same relates to lands surveyed as the east half and north-west quarter section 8, west half section 8 and north-east quarter section 9, section 14, north half and south-east quarter section 15, north half and south-west quarter section 16 and section 17, fractional nort hhalf section 18, sections 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36, all in township 18, Range 5, Coast District.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B.C., June 16th, 1911.
june 24 — sept 21

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing upon Crown lands in the Lillooet District and in the Kamloops Division of Yale District, notice of which was published in the British Columbia Gazette, dated May 5th, 1910, is cancelled in so far as the same relates to the lands in Lillooet District surveyed as Lots numbered 1,833, 1,832, 1,831, 1,830, 1,820, 1,821, 1,822, 1,823, 1,818, 1,819, 1,809, 1,806, 1,810, 1,811, 1,817, 1,816, 1,813, 1,655, 1,654, 1,640, 1,639, 1,638, 1,641, 1,653, 1,652, 1,6651, 1,643, 1,642, 1,791, 1,644, 1,645, 1,646, 1,647, 1,648, 1,649, 1,829, 1,828, 1,826, 1,826, 1,824, 1,425A, 1,430A, 1,629, 1,631, 1,617, 1,622, 1,637, 1,636, 1,635, 1,634, 1,614, 1,615, and 1,616.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B.C., May 26th, 1911.
june 3 — sept 2

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing over certain lands situated in Range 5, Coast District, notice of which bearing date of December 17th, 1908, was published in the British Columbia Gazette, in the issue of December 17th, 1908, is cancelled in so far as the same relates to lands surveyed as the north half and south-west quarter section 9, north half section 10, north half and south-east quarter section 11; sections 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and 30, all in township 19, range 5, Coast District.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B.C., June 16th, 1911.
june 24 — sept 21

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range II

TAKE notice that Frederick Richard Wilson, of Vancouver, B.C., occupaton Fitter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the intersection of the north-west corner of Lot 330 and the east boundary of Lot 329; thence north 40 chains, more or less, to the north-east corner of Lot 329; thenc east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 80 chains; to the north-east corner of Lot 330; thence west 80 chains, more or less, along the north boundary of Lot 330, to the point of commencement, and containing 480 acres, more or less.

Dated June 1st, 1911.

FREDERICK RICHARD WILSON.
july 1 — aug 26

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range II

TAKE notice that William Taylor, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Painter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains south of the south-east corner of Lot 331; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains west along the south boundary of Lot 321; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains east to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated June 1st, 1911.

WILLIAM TAYLOR.
july 1 — aug 26

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range II

TAKE notice that John MacFarlene, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 40 chains north of the north-east corner of Lot 217; thence 40 chains south to the north-east corner of Lot 21 ; thence 40 chains west; thence 40 chains south; thence 40 chains west; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east to point of commencement, containing 480 acres more or less.

Dated June 1st, 1911.

JOHN MACFARLENE.
july 1 — aug 26

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range II

TAKE notice that Harry Simpson, of Vancouver, B. C., occupation Labourer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at the north-west corner of Lot 329; thence east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 40 chans to point of commencement, containing 320 acres, more or less.

Dated June 1st, 1911.

HARRY SIMPSON.
july 1 — aug 26

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range II

TAKE notice that Thomas Wilson, of Vancouver, B.C., occupaton Boiler Maker, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at the north-east corner of Lot 331; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west; thence 80 chains north along the east boundary of Lot 331 to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

THOMAS WILSON.
july 1 — aug 26

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range II

TAKE notice that William Christie, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Engineer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains south of the south-east corner of Lot 331; thence 80 chains north; thence 80 chains east; thence 80 chains south; thence 80 chains west to point of commencement, and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated June 1st, 1911.

WILLIAM CHRISTIE.
july 1 — aug 26

RENFREW LAND DISTRICT

TAKE notice that I, Jennie R. Crawford, of Spokane, Wash., occupation Marred Woman, intend to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 60 chains distant and in a southerly direction from the south-east corner of Lot 272, being J. R. C.'s S. E. Corner; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 60 chains to place of commencement, and containing 320 acres, more or less.

The purpose the land is required for is agrcultural purposes.

Dated June 7, 1911.

JENNIE R. CRAWFORD,
By Guy D. Drancker.
july 1 — aug 26

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

Distret of Cowichan

TAKE notice that Christina MacKenzie, of North Saanich, occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the north-west end of an island know nas "Hood Island," situate about 400 feet south of "Portland Island"; thence following the coast line to the point of commencement, the purchase to include the whole island, containing three acres, more or less.

Dated June 26th, 1911.

CHRISTINA MACKENZIE.
july 1 — aug 26

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Cowichan

TAKE notice that Reginald George Conwyn MacKenzie, of North Saanich, occupation Barrister-at-law, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing on the north-west end of an unnamed island, situate about 200 feet south-east of "Portland Islands," and north of the Tortoise Island; thence following the coast line to the point of commencement, the purchase to include the whole island, containing two acres, more or less.

Dated June 26th, 1911.

Reginald George Conwyn MacKenzie.
july 1 — aug 26

VICTORIA LAN DDISTRICT

District of Coast

TAKE notice that J. A. Wright, of Golden, occupation Farmer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at S. W. corner of Lot 321; thence South 40 chains; thence west 20 chains to South Bentick Arm; thence in a north-easterly direction back to point of commencement.

Dated May 4, 1911.

JOHN ANDREW WRIGHT.
june 3 — july 29

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range II

TAKE notice that Arthur Shakes, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Employment Agent, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 80 chains south of the south-east corne rof Lot 331; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains; thence east 80 chans; thence north 80 chains to point of commencement and containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated June 1st, 1911.

ARTHUR SHAKES.
july 1 — aug 26

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Roadways, Curbs, etc., Court House, Vancouver

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for Roadways, Curbs, etc., New Court-house, Vancouver," will be received by the Hon. the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Monday, 17th day of July, 1911, for the construction of Roadways, Curbs, etc., of the New Court-house, Vancouver.

Plans, specifications, contract and forms of tender may be seen at the offices of Messrs. Dalton & Eveleigh, architects, Davis Chambers, Vancouver, and the Department of Public Works, Victoria.

The firm whose tender is accepted will have to deposit with their tender an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for a sum equal to ten per cent. of the amount of their tender, within three days of notification of acceptance of tender.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest of any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. E. GRIFFITH,
Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B.C., 30th June, 1911.
july 8 — july 15

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Addition, Parliament Buildings

SEALED TENDERS superscribed "Addition, Parliament Buildings," will be received by the Honourable the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Tuesday, the 15th day of August, 1911, for the erection and completion of an addition to the Parliament Buildings, Victoria.

Drawings, specifications, contract, and forms of tender, may be seen on and after the 15th day of July at the offices of the Provincial Timber Inspector, Vancouver; the Government Agent, New Westminster; and the Department of Public Works, Victoria.

Intending tenderers can, by applying to the undersigned, obtain one copy of the drawings and one copy of the specifications, by depositing a marked cheque for $500; said deposit to be refunded on the return of drawings and specifications with tender.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Hon. the Minister of Public Works, in the sum of $25,000, which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so. The cheques or certificates of dposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

The successful tenderer shall furnish a bond of a guarantee company satisfactory to the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten (10) per cent. of the contract amount, for the date fulfilment of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. E. GRIFFITH,
Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B.C., 28th June, 1911.
july 1 — aug 12

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the reserve existing by reason of a notice published in the British Columbia Gazette of the 27th December, 1907, over a parcel of land situated on Reed Island, known as Lot No. 452, Sayward District, formerly covered by Timber License No. 36862, which license expired on the 20th November, 1909, is cancelled, and the said lands will be opened to location by pre-emption only at midnight on Friday, 13th October, 1911.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of Lands.
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B.C., 5th July, 1911.
july 15 — oct 7

LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the matter of an application for a Duplicate Certificate of Title to part (40 acres) of Section 28, Lake District.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication hereof to issue a Duplicate Certificate of Title to said lands, issued to Philip Touet, on the 27th day of February, 1880, and numbered 2968A.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar-General of Titles.
july 1 — july 29

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Renfrew

TAKE notice that The Michigan Pacific Lumber Company, Limited, of Victoria, B.C., having its head office for British Columbia at 1114 Langley St., intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted midway on the shore line between the S. E. and S. W. corners of Lot 77, Renfrew District; thence south 80 chains; thence west 44 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east following the shore line of lots 76 and 77, Renfrew District, to point of commencement, containing 350 acres, more or less.

Dated 26th May, 1911.

MICHIGAN PACIFIC LUMBER COMPANY, LIMITED.
By its agent, H. A. Hoard.
june 3 — july 29

ALBERNI LAND DISTRICT

District of Rupert

TAKE notice that Evelyn Marjory Squire of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Spinster, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the shore of Quatsino Sound, about 90 chains distant and in a south-westerly direction from the S. W. corner of Lot 12, Township 27, Rupert District; thence north 40 chains; thence west 50 chains; thence along shore to point of commencement, and containing 50 acres more or less.

Dated May 17, 1911.

EVELYN MARJORY SQUIRE.
Per George G. Shone, Agent.
june 10 — aug 5

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range 1

TAKE notice that I, Ernest Austen Hall, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Auto Dealer, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted immediately adjoining Thomas S. Annandale's south-east corner and Thomas E. Butters' northeast corner; thence south 80 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence west 20 chains to point of commencement, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Dated 17th day of May, 1911.

ERNEST AUSTEN HALL.
Charles B. Stark, Agent.
june 24 — aug 19

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range 1

TAKE notice that I, Hope Parks, of Vancouver, B.C., occupation Married Woman, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted on the banks of the Toba River, about one mile from south-east corner of lot 103 and adjoining northern boundary of Timber Limit 36395; thence west 80 chains; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to point of comemncement, containing 640 acres, more or less.

Dated 16th day of May, 1911.

HOPE PARKS.
Charles H. Allen Agent.
june 24 — aug 19

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range 1

TAKE notice that I, Thomas E. Butters, of New Westminster, B.C. occupation Carpenter, intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted immediately adjoining Thomas S. Annandale's southeast corner application to purchase; 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.

Dated 17th day of May, 1911.

THOMAS E. BUTTERS.
Charles H. Allen, Agent.
june 24 — aug 19

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range 3

TAKE notice that Christina Williscroft, wife of W. A. Williscroft, of Victoria, B.C., intends to apply for permission to purchase the following described lands:—Comemncing at a post planted at the south-east corner of John Clayton's pre-emption claim, known as Lot 326, Range 3, Coast District, thence east 60 chains more or less, to the west boundary of Section 30, Township 1, Range 3, Coast District; thence south 20 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence north 20 chains to the point of commencement.

Dated May 20th, 1911.

CHRISTINA WILLISCROFT.
Per H. Brown, Agent.
june 10 — aug 5

VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range 2

TAKE notice that Frederick A. Smith, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Prospector, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted about 2 miles in a westerly direction from the head waters of Smith's Inlet on the north shore of Smith's Inlet; thence north 20 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence south 20 chains more or les sto shore line; thence easterly along shore line to point of commencement, containing 80 acres more or less.

Dated May 19th, 1911.

FREDERICK A. SMITH.
june 17 — aug 12

WATER NOTICE

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made under Part V of the "Water Act, 1909," to obtain a licence in the Malahat Division of Victoria Water District.

(a) The name, address and occupation of the applicant—B. H. John, Victoria, B. C., 2219 Blanchard Avenue, Broker.

(If for mining purposes) Free Miner's Certificate No. —

(b) The name of the lake, stream or cource (if unnamed, the description is)—Arbutus Canon.

(c) The point of diversion about 700 feet up stream above the bridge on Mill Bay Road.

(d) The quantity of water applied for (in cubic feet per second) five (5).

(e) The character of th proposed works in connection with Oyster Culture and Canning.

(f) The premises on which the water is to be used (describe same)—A parcel of ground fronting on Finlayson Arm at the confluence of Arbutus Creek.

(g) The purposes for which the water is to be used—Domestic and Industrial.

(h) If for irrigation describe the land intended to be irrigated, giving acreage.....

(i) If the water is to be used for power or mining purposes describe the place where the water is to be returned to some natural channel, and the difference n altitude between point of diversion and point of return.

(j) Area of Crown land intended to be occupied by the proposed works—None.

(k) This notice was posted on the 14th day of June, 1911, and application will be made to the Commissioner on the 14th day of July, 1911.

(l) Give the names and addresses of any riparian proprietors or licensees who or whose lands are likely to be affected by the proposed works, either above or below the outlet the Canadian Pacific Railway Co., or the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Co.

(Signature) B. H. JOHN.
(P.O. Address) Box 22, Victora, B.C.
Note—One cubic foot pe rsecond is equivalent to 35.71 miners' inches.
june 17 — july 15

CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the res established over certain lands in the boo and Lillooet Districts, notice of w bearing date June 30th, 1908, was publi i nthe British Columbia Gazette on 2nd, 1908, is cancelled in so far as same relates to the following surveyed l in Townships 52 and 54, Lillooet Dis viz.:—Sections 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, Fractional Sections 16, 17, Sections 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, Fractional Sectio Sections 26, 27, 28, Fractional Section Sections 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, Fractional tions 35 and 36, all in Township 52; Sections 3, 10, Fractional Section 11, Se 13, Fractional Section 14, Sections 24 25, all in Township 54, and that all aforementioned lands not already alie by pre-emption have been set aside fo endowment of the University of B Columbia.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of La
Lands Department,
Victoria, B.C., April 10th, 1911.
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CANCELLATION OF RESERVE

NOTICE is hereby given that the r established over certain lands in the boo and Lillooet Districts, notice of bearing date June 30th, 1908, was pub in the British Columbia Gazette on 2nd, 1908, is cancelled in so far a same relates to the following su lands in Township 48 and 50, Lillooe trict, namely, Fractional Sections 2, 3 tion 4, Fractional Section 5, Fraction half of Section 6, Fraceional Section 7 tions 8, 9, 10, Fractional Sections 11, 1 Sections 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 2 23, Fractional W. half of Section 24, tional W. half of Section 25, Fractiona tion 26, Sections 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 3 34, Fractional Section 35 and Frac West half of Section 36, all in To 48; Fractional Sections 2, 3, 6, 7, 1 12, Sections 13, 14, Fractional Sectio 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, Sections 22, 2 25, 26, 27, 28, 29 and Fractional S 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36, all in ship 50, to permit of the said lands located by pre-emption entry only.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of La
Lands Department,
Victoria, B.C., April 7th, 1911.
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CANCELLATION OF RESERV

NOTICE is hereby given that the r existing upon vacant Crown lands in 5, Coast District, and in Cariboo D notices of which, bearing date of De 17th, 1908, February 15th, 1910, and 3rd, 1911, were published in the Columbia Gazette in the issues of De 17th, 1908, February 17th, 1910, and 6th, 1911, respectively, are cancelled in as the same relate to the lands surve Lots 4,037A, 4,037, 4,040A, 4,038, 4,0 2,951, all in Range 5, Coast District, a 4,038 A.R., 2,793 A.R., 2,828 R, 4,042 4,045 R, 4,046 A.R., 4,044 R, 4,042 R, 2,827 R, 2,826 R, 4,048 R, 4,041 R, 3,047 R, 4,051 R, 2,783 R, 2,799 R, 4,053 R, 4,052 R, 2,782 R, 2,798 R, 4,050 R, 4,054, R, 4,055 R, 4,056 R, 2,77 2,797 R, 2,796 R, 4,060 R, 4,059 R, 4,057 R, 4,066 R, 2,776 R, 4,061 R, 4,0 4,062 R, 4,063 R, 4,064 R, 4,065 R, 2,775 R, 4,070 R, 4,069 R, 4,068 R, 4,019 R, 2,774 R, 4,014 R, 4,015 R, 4,017 R, 4,024 R, 4,023 R, 4,022 R, 2,379, 2,380, 2,381, 2,382, 2,311, 2,310 2,300, 2,464, 2,463, 2,462, 2,461, 2,460 2,458, 2,457, 2,451, 2,452, 2,453, 2,454 2,449, 2,448, 2,447, 2,446, 2,445, 2,444 2,442, 2,441, 2,388, 2,387, 2,386, 2,385 2,383, 2,373, 2,374, 2,375, 2,376, 2,377 2,360, 2,359, 2,306, 2,307, 2,308, 2,309 2,303, 2,304, 2,305, 2,358, 2,357, 2,294 2,296, 2,297, 2,298, 2,288, 2,289, 2,290 2,292, 2,293, 2,356, 2,363, 3,841, 2,367 2,355, 2,281, 2,282, 2,283, 2,284, 2,285 2,275, 2,276, 2,277, 2,278, 2,279, 2,280 2,365, 2,366, 2,840, 3,843, 3,844, 3,839 2,340, 2,339, 2,326, 2,325, 2,312, 2,287 2,272, 2,273, 2,274, 2,267, 2,268, 2,269 2,266, 2,313, 2,324, 2,327, 2,338, 2,341 3,838, 3,845, 3,856, 3,855, 3,846, 3,837 2,342, 2,337, 2,328, 2,323, 2,314, 2,265 2,260, 2,261, 2,262, 2,263, 2,245, 2,246 2,256, 2,257, 2,258, 2,264, 2,315, 2,322 2,336, 2,343, 2,350, 3,836, 3,847, 3,854 3,853, 3,848, 3,835, 2,349, 2,344, 2,330 2,316, 2,317, 2,320, 2,331, 2,3 , 2,345 3,834, 3,849, 3,852, 3,883, 3,884, 3,851 3,833, 2,347, 2,346, 2,333, 2,332, 2,319 3,869, 3,858, 3,859, 4,157, 4,160, 4,159 3,860, 3,861, 3,868, 3,867, 3,862, 3,863 3,641, 3,637, 3,667, 3,663, 3,659, 3,655 3,658, 3,662, 3,666, 3,665, 3,661, 3,657 3,652, 3,656, 3,660, 3,664, 3,633, 3,629, 2,656, 2,652, 2,648, 2,644, 3,642, 2,651 2,643, 2,639, 3,669, 3,678, 3,677, 3,668 2,642, 2,646, 2,650, 2,244, 2,247, 2,254 2,248, 2,243, 2,242, 2,249, 2,259, 2,237 2,239, 2,241, 2,219, 2,232, 2,231, 2,230 2,221, 2,335, 2,224, 2,720, 2,719, 1,100 1,102, 1,103, 1,076, 1,160, 1,163, 1,164 1,167, 1,165, 1,097, 1,110, 1,109, 1,108 1,174A, 1,095, 1,171, 1,162, 1,170, 1,099 1,089, 1,182, 1,178, 1,176A, 1,179A, 1,181, 1,183, 1,189, 1,188, 1,719, and 1, in Cariboo District.

ROBT. A. RENWICK,
Deputy Minister of L
Department of Lands,
Victoria, B.C., July 7th, 1911.
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VICTORIA LAND DISTRICT

District of Coast, Range II

TAKE notice that Charles Palmer, couver, B.C., occupation Labourer, to apply for permission to purcha following described lands:—Commenc a post planted at the south-east co Lot 330; thence 80 chains east; the chains north; thence 80 chains west; 80 chains south to point of commen and containing 640 acres, more or les

Dated June 1st, 1911.

CHARLES PALM
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Ladies' Great $1000.00 Voting Contest

One Grand Prize of $300.00 in Gold
Twelve District Prizes Amounting to $700.00
TO BE GIVEN AWAY BY THE WEEK

PRIZES

THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN GOLD $300 00

DISTRICT PRIZES

MAHOGANY CABINET OF SILVER, comprising 96 pieces, secured from and now on exhibition at Challoner & Mitchell's	150 00
BEAUTIFUL DIAMOND RING, to be selected by Winner from Challoner & Mitchell's	125 00
HANDSOME BEDROOM SUITE, secured from and now on exhibition at Weiler Bros.	100 00
HANDSOME DINING-ROOM SET OF FURNITURE, secured from Weiler Bros., and now on exhibition	75 00
LADIES' GOLD WATCH AND CHAIN, to be selected by Winner, from Redfern & Sons	60 00
LADIES' GOLD WATCH AND CHAIN, to be selected by Winner from Redfern & Sons	50 00
A BEAUTIFUL MOTOR BAG AND MANICURE SET, now on exhibition at Redfern & Sons	40 00
QUEEN ANNE TEA SET, of French quadruple plate, comprising three pieces, now on exhibition at Redfern & Sons	30 00
BEAUTIFUL FRENCH GOLD FILLED MESH BAG, now on exhibition at Redfern & Sons	25 00
NO. 3A FOLDING POCKET KODAK, now on exhibition at C. H. Smith & Company	20 00
LADIES' BEAUTIFUL SUIT CASE, secured from F. Norris & Sons	15 00
LADIES' UMBRELLA OR PARASOL, to be selected by the Winner from Redfern & Sons	10 00

HOW VOTES ARE SECURED

Votes are issued on coupons printed in "The Week." Cut out the coupon and fill in the Contestant's name you wish to vote for and send to the Contest Manager of "The Week." Votes are also issued on prepaid subscriptions to "The Week." (See vote and subscription schedule.) Candidates turning in the greatest number of votes, whether coupon votes, subscription votes or both, will be awarded the prizes according to their standing in their respective districts. No papers will be sold in bulk. No votes issued on the amount of money turned in. Votes issued on coupons and prepaid subscriptions only. Subscriptions must be filled out on proper subscription blanks with the subscriber's name, address and length of subscription and remittance covering same, as evidence of "bona fides." Votes once cast are not transferable. Votes are polled as soon as they reach the Contest Manager. After August 19th no personal cheques will be accepted in payment of subscriptions for the purpose of securing votes. Post Office and Express money orders will be accepted the same as cash.

HOW PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED

To the lady receiving the largest number of votes in the entire contest will be awarded the grand prize of $300.00 in gold. After the grand prize winner has been eliminated from the race, the leader of each District will be awarded one of the twelve District prizes. The District prize winner having the largest number of votes will be awarded the first District prize. The leader of the next highest District will be awarded the second District prize, and so on down until the twelve District prizes have been awarded. The candidate having the next highest number of votes to the grand prize winner in the same District will be awarded the District prize, thus one of the twelve Districts will receive two prizes, the grand prize and a District prize. In case of a tie between two or more prize winners, a prize of equal value will be awarded to each.

WHO ARE ELIGIBLE TO COMPETE

Any lady, married or single, of good repute residing in British Columbia.

The Week reserves the right to omit any name it considers not eligible.

No employee of The Week nor the relative of any member will be allowed to enter the contest.

DISTRICTS

DISTRICT 1—All territory known as Oak Bay and Mount Tolmie, East of City Limits.

DISTRICT 2—All territory known as Esquimalt, South of Old Esquimalt Road and West of City Limits, South side of Esquimalt Road inclusive.

DISTRICT 3—All territory known as Victoria West and North of old Esquimalt Road, West of City Limits to Victoria Arm; North side of Esquimalt Road inclusive.

DISTRICT 4—All territory North of Foul Bay Avenue and Victoria Arm West of Harriet Road and West of Maple Wood Road, North side of Tolmie Avenue, West side of Maple Wood Road and West side of Harriet Road inclusive.

DISTRICT 5—Part of the City of Victoria, North of Bay Street, East of Harriet Road, South of Tolmie Avenue and West of Cook Street, North side of Bay street, East side of Harriet Road, South side of Tolmie Avenue and West side of Cook street inclusive.

DISTRICT 6—Part of the City of Victoria South of Yates Street, East of Douglas Street, Beacon Hill Park and Cook Street and West of Moss street, South side of Yates, East side of Douglas and Cook streets and West side of Moss street inclusive.

DISTRICT 7—All territory known as James Bay, West of Douglas and South of Belleville streets.

DISTRICT 8—Part of the City of Victoria South of Bay street, North of Yates street to Douglas, West of Douglas from Yates to Belleville Street and West of Cook street to the Bay; South side of Bay, West side of Cook, North side of Yates, West side of Douglas and both sides of Belleville street inclusive.

DISTRICT 9—Part of the City of Victoria, East of Moss street, South of Fort Street and West of City Limits; East side of Moss and South side of Fort Streets inclusive.

DISTRICT 10—Part of the City of Victoria, East of Cook Street, North of Yates from Cook to Fort and North of Fort Street to City Limits, East side of Cook, North side of Fort and Yates (from Cook to Fort) inclusive.

DISTRICT 11—All towns, outside of the City of Victoria, on Vancouver Island.

DISTRICT 12—All towns and cities, outside of Vancouver Island, in British Columbia.

VOTE AND SUBSCRIPTION SCHEDULE

The following number of votes will be allowed on subscriptions to THE WEEK from June 17th to August 26th, 1911:

	Price	1st period End July 15	2nd period End Aug. 5	3rd period End Aug. 19	4th period End Aug. 26
1 year subs..	$1.00	450	400	350	300
2 years subs..	2.00	1000	900	800	700
3 years subs..	3.00	1650	1500	1350	1200
4 years subs..	4.00	2400	2200	2000	1800
5 years subs..	5.00	3250	3000	2750	2500

The same number of votes will be allowed on old and new **subscriptions.**

A subscription for a longer period than five years a proportionate number of votes will be allowed.

CLOSE OF CONTEST

This Ladies' $1000.00 Voting Contest will close
Saturday, August 26, 1911
AT 10 P.M.

For progress of candidates and special Contest News see Back Page of this issue.

NOTICE

For any further information, Call on, Write or Telephone

CONTEST MANAGER
OF
THE WEEK

1208 GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B.C.
Phone 1283

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Society

Miss Ada Keast, October Mansions, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Keast, Cowichan Lake.

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Mrs. M. J. Harrison and Mrs. J. T. Little, from Vancouver, are guests in the city for a few days.

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Miss Millie Green is visiting in Vancouver, where she is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Carew-Gibson.

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Miss Lawrence, from Rossland, is a guest in the city.

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Miss D. Finlayson is the guest of Mrs. Harry Pooley, Esquimalt Road.

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Miss Maude McB. Smith has left on an extended visit to relatives in the North.

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Mrs. A. P. Jackson and Mrs. David Leeming are spending the summer at Banff.

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Mrs. Scott and Miss B. Scott from Salt Spring Island, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pooley.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sullivan and Miss Mona Sullivan are guests at the Riverside Hotel, Cowichan Lake.

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Mr. L. C. Rattray, Mr. Gore Langton and Mr. T. Martin have returned from a most enjoyable fishing trip to Cowichan Lake, where they were guests at the Riverside Hotel.

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On Wednesday, July 5th, at the residence of Mrs. Newberry, 1318 Cook street, the marriage took place between Mr. John H. Newberry, of Victoria, B.C., and Miss Alice Brown, of Beecher Bay. Father Leterme performed the ceremony and the newly married couple took the afternoon boat for Portland and other Sound cities where the honeymoon will be spent. On their return to Victoria they will take up their residence on King's road at the corner of Grahame street.

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A most enjoyable and successful garden party was given last Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. Lisle, Armit Street, in aid of St. Paul's Church, Esquimalt. The spacious grounds were gaily decorated with Chinese lanterns and flags. Some very charming songs and recitations were rendered during the evening, after which light refreshments were served. Among those who attended were: Rev. and Mrs. Baugh Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Matthews, Messrs. Matthews, Miss Pooley, Miss Helen Peters, Mrs. Harriss, Miss Wadmore, Misses Monteith, Mr. W. B. Monteith, Mr. H. Slater, Miss Slater, Mr. and Mrs. Beaumont Boggs, Messrs. Boggs, Miss Boggs, Mr. Keddgell, Mr. C. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Pell, Mrs. S. Rutter, and Miss Rutter, Mrs. Mackenzie, Miss Phyllis Mackenzie, Mrs. Fagan, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pooley, Miss D. Finlayson, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. Bridle, Mr. and Mrs. Cherry, Mrs. Martin, Miss Martin, Mr. Holt, Mr. King, Miss Ricott, Miss Ada Saunders, Miss Crocker, Mrs. Hardy, and Miss Hardy, Mr. F. Cherry, Mr. Guest and the Messrs. Guest, Mrs. Scott (Salt Spring Island), and Miss B. Scott, Miss Patterson and others.

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Among those who attended the Automobile Gymkhana, held last Saturday afternoon at the exhibition grounds, were: His Honour Lieut.-Governor Paterson and Mrs. Paterson, Hon. James Dunsmuir and Mrs. Dunsmuir, Mrs. H. Dallas Helmcken, the Misses Dunsmuir, Mr. Justice Martin and Mrs. Martin, Hon. A. E. McPhillips, Colonel and Mrs. Peters, Captain and Mrs. Stewart, Captain Vivian, Colonel and Mrs. Curry, the Misses McBride, Dr. and Mrs. Helmcken, Misses Helmcken, Mr. J. W. Troup and Miss Troup, Mrs. Roy Troup, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Gore, Mr. R. G. Monteith, Misses Mason, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McCurdy, Mr. and Mrs. B. Wilson, Mr. Justice Hunter, Senator and Mrs. Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. Trewartha James, Mr. D. James, Miss James, Mrs. Henry Croft, Mrs. Matson, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Rattenbury, Dr. and Mrs. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Arbuthnot, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Todd, Mrs. A. C. Flummerfelt, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Butchart, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pooley, Miss Finlayson, Mr. Bromley, Mr. B. H. T. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. Hebden Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gillespie, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnard, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Pooley, Miss Pooley, Mr. and Mrs. George Matthews, Messrs. Matthews, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin, Mrs. P. Æ. Irving, Miss Irving, Mr. and Mrs. Beaumont Boggs and others.

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A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized Monday afternoon by the Rev. Dr. Campbell at the new home of the bride and groom, Chapman street, between Harriet Ellis, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Ellis and Mr. Archibald Broadfoot, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Broadfoot of Kansas City. The bride looked charming in a blue tailor-made costume and large picture hat, carrying a shower bouquet of white carnations and lillies. The bride was attended by Mrs. E. M. Anderson, who was attired in pale pink silk mulle and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The groom was assisted by Mr. Jack Ellis, brother of the bride. After the ceremony the guests partook of a sumptuous repast. The table decorations were carried out in pink and white. The happy couple were the recipients of numerous and appropriate presents.

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Yesterday Mr. Johnston of the firm of Messrs. Moore & Johnston, Real Estate Agents, Yates street, left for a prolonged trip to the Old Country. Mr. Johnston is to deliver a series of lectures whilst abroad on the present and future development of Vancouver Island in general and of Victoria in particular and is confident that he will be instrumental in inducing the further investment of British capital in the city and neighbourhood.

A MATTER OF COURTESY

Victoria, B.C., July 13, 1911.

Editor of the Week:

Sir,—May I point out to you a little incident which happened last Sunday during the parade of some of our local lodges to and from St. John's Church; an incident, which if it had happened in the Old Land or Eastern Canada would have been disastrous to the persons at fault. I refer to the interruptions caused first by the driver of the Empress tally-ho, at the corner of Yates and Douglas, and on the second occasion by a chauffeur, who, with an automobile, broke through the parade on Fort street.

These interruptions caused no slight inconvenience to many of the gentlemen on parade, and yet what struck me most of all was the wonderful apathy displayed by the policeman on duty at the corner of Yates and Douglas in allowing such a thing to occur, without even raising a protest.

If our laws are any different from those in force in Great Britain and Eastern Canada in this respect will you kindly enlighten

AN ONLOOKER.

P.S.—This matter was brought to the notice of the Colonist last Monday. Indifference or lack of time, evidently the former, accounts for the fact that nothing has appeared in reference thereto at this time of writing.

On the Decline

George Gould was making one his trips as president of the Missou Pacific. His car was laid out on siding for some reason and he to stretch his legs. An old Irishm was tapping the wheels.

"Morning. How do you like wheels?"

"Not worth a darn," said the Iri man.

"Well, how do you like the ca

"It's good enough for the whee

"What do you think of the roa

"It matches the car."

Gould looked at the old chap a minute. "Maybe you don't kn who I am."

"Yes I do," retorted the Irishm "You're George Gould, and I k your father when he was presid of this road. And, by gob, he's ing to be president of it again."

"Why, my father is dead," Gould.

"I know that," replied the Iri man, "and the road is going to h

Too Good to Break

A gentleman in Dublin, speakin the Irish, said that nothing ever s fied them, and that he was willin prove his words on a wager th he should go to the door and c cab, no matter what fee he w give, the driver would ask for n

The wager was taken for pounds sterling.

The gentleman called a cab, d about a quarter of a mile, ste out, and handed the driver a ten ling gold piece, the legal fee one shilling.

Cabby drove off.

The gentleman who had taken wager was exulting in his triu when suddenly the cabby retu and touching his hat, said:

"Please, sir, have ye a durty penny bit about ye? It woul such a pity to break a bright pie gold like this for a drink!"

Self-Defence

A fat woman entered a cro street car and, seizing a strap, directly in front of a man seat the corner. As the car starte lunged against his newspaper a the same time trod heavily o toes.

As soon as he could extricate self he rose and offered her his

"You are very kind, sir," she panting for breath.

"Not at all, madam," he re it's not kindness; it's simply defence."

This is Going to be a Big Day at *the Store that Saves You Money*

And those who cannot make a visit to our Pre-Inventory sale in the day time can do so in the evening. We will be open till 9.30 p.m. We have selected a number of pieces of furniture from our large stock which we wish to dispose of quickly in order to make room to facilitate our stock-taking and have marked them at quite a reduction in price. It will pay you to see these at once on our Fourth Floor.

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Mahogany Parlor Chair
Upholstered in tapestry, this article is splendid value at the reduced price of
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Mahogany Settee and Arm Chair to match
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Buffet
Solid Quarter-cut Oak, with neat china cabinet above with mirror in cabinet and two bow-shaped glass doors, British beveled mirror on buffet, with two cabinets and three drawers. Top drawer lined with green plush for cutlery, etc., and lined drawer below. Reduced to
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Library Chair
Solid Quarter-cut Oak, golden finish, upholstered in leather. Reduced to
$22.50

Dinner Wagon
Solid Quarter-cut Oak, golden finish, with two drawers and shelf below and brass trimmings. Claw feet design,
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Oval shape, solid Quarter-cut Oak, pedestal style, in square or curved. Great value. Reduced to
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Parlor Tables
Solid Mahogany or Quarter-cut Oak, golden finish, pedestal style, handsomely carved, heavy effect,
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Inlaid Tables
These table, either oblong or octagon in shape, with figures inlaid, **$23.50**

Large Arm Chair
Upholstered in tapestry; very comfortable and exceptionally handsome, **$22.50**

Hall Seat
Solid Quarter-cut Oak, Early English finish, with beautifully carved back, **$27.50**

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The Women's Page

here is a curious air of gaiety and htness about all the summer fash- this year, an aspect of something to joyousness, which seems to g them at once into perfect har- y with the generally festive at- phere of this Coronation season. only are the most popular fa- s lovely in themselves, but they chosen also in the most beautiful urs imaginable, while the latest s are one and all of them of a mendable simplicity.

eaking generally, the slim, ght styles still hold their own, the s of the morning frocks, per- more particularly, falling in unbroken lines, from the short ire waist to the hem. This hem, e way, is, as a rule, some inc! es the ground, an arrangement n makes walking a luxury, except ose unfortunate instances where ltra-tight skirts are still worn.

The only result of trying to wear a skirt which is very short, and at the same time very narrow, is to bring about a most undesirable state of things, since any such attempt involves a silhouette which is the reverse of graceful, while the actual discomfort in walking requires something approaching hereoism to endure it without complaint. Luckily, however, for all concerned, the newest walking gowns, whether in muslin or linen, soft satin or shot taffetas, show a marked tendency towards something a little fuller round the hem of the skirts, a consummation devoutly to be wished, after what has been endured in the way of discomfort by Fashion's ardent votaries during the past year.

The present all-prevailing mode, too, for the wearing of shoulder-scarves in net or silk gauze, chiffon or marquisette, is one which adds considerably to the general grace of the fashionable outline. A wide soft scarf in some gauzy fabric of this description, deftly draped round the shoulders, and arranged with long ends that are allowed to flutter in the breeze, lends an air of dainty distinction to almost any kind of summer toilette, especially when the colour of the scarf is carefully chosen so that it harmonises equally well with the gown and the hat in whose company it will be most frequently seen.

In all the newest summer day-gowns, it is the picturesque note which most persistently makes itself felt, and it is this same note also which lends a remarkable charm to some of the new evening dresses, which in this way give a good reason in many cases for their costliness. Such gowns as these, bearing as they do no particular date, can be worn for several seasons, with only a slight alteration, perhaps, in the line of the waist or the shape of the sleeve.

A picturesque evening gown may be described as follows: For the under-skirt a soft white satin of the finest quality is chosen, one of those rich fabrics which can be made to do duty later on as a foundation for another evening gown, before it plays its last part of all, very probably as a petticoat. In the meantime it serves, in this particular instance, as the background for a tunic of white ninon de soie, which hangs in soft folds from the waist, where it is fully gathered, to some little distance above the knee. Here the ninon is drawn into a broad band of black silk-embroidered lace insertion, bordered above and below by black satin. This tunic is finished with a very handsome fringe of knotted black silk cord. By way of background to this fringe, there is a broad band of black and white striped satin, arranged in such a way that the lines run horizontally, while the white satin skirt itself has a broad black satin hem.

The bodice is of the striped satin, drawn into a black satin waistbelt, and arranged also, just above the line of the waist in front, with an empiecement of black silk-embroidered lace insertion, to match the trimming on the hem of the tunic. A very becoming fichu of real point d'Alencon lace is draped tastefully round the shoulders, over a broad black satin collar, and gathered up into choux on either side, while the square decolletage is outlined back and front with a tucker of Alencon lace. Quite new and very striking is the way in which the over-draperies of black and white striped satin are arranged. They start from the choux of lace on the bodice in front, and form wing-shaped panels on either side, finally meeting in the centre of the back, where they are caught together with bows and long tasselled ends of black satin ribbon.

In another creation the exceptional fascination of black and white is again very evident. The skirt in this case is of black and white striped silk voile, made up over white Japanese silk, and cut in a perfectly straight shape, sufficiently wide for comfort in walking, but at the same time suggesting the narrow silhouette to which our eyes have become so curiously accustomed. White chiffon composes the under-bodice, lightly draped over white Japanese silk, trimmed with groups of tiny jet buttons, and outlined at the throat with two or three narrow folds of bright cerise satin. The waistbelt is of satin chosen in the same vivid shade, and finished on one side with a large rosette bow, while the smart little coatee is of black glace silk, bound at the edge with black satin and finished at the back with long Directoire coat tails.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED TENDERS, superscribed "Tender for School-house, Denman Island," will be received by the Honourable the Minister of Public Works up to noon of Thursday, the 10th day of August, 1911, for the erection and completion of a large one-room frame school-house at Denman Island in the Comox Electoral District.

Plans, specifications, contract, and forms of tender may be seen on and after the 17th day of July, 1911, at the offices of the Government Agent, Cumberland, B.C.; Geo. Dalziel, Esq., Secretary of the School Board, Denman Island; and at the Department of Public Works, Victoria.

Each proposal must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit on a chartered bank of Canada, made payable to the Honourable the Minister of Public Works, for the sum of $200 which shall be forfeited if the party tendering decline to enter into contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. The cheques or certificates of deposit of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned to them upon the execution of the contract.

Tenders will not be considered unless made out on the forms supplied, signed with the actual signature of the tenderer, and enclosed in the envelopes furnished.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

J. E. GRIFFITH,
Public Works Engineer.
Department of Public Works,
Victoria, B.C., 14th July, 1911.
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The collection comprises the New Autumn Fabrics, and are advance designs. Each garment is beautifully tailored, the coats being lined best quality silk. The materials include Imitation Norris & Donegal Tweeds, Northern Coatings, Shepherd Plaids, Serges, Covert Coatings, Black and White Striped Tweeds and Suitings.

In addition we are offering Every Suit from our oridnary stock at the same reduction, namely, **one-quarter less than original Prices.**

LINEN SUIT BARGAINS in all colors; original price $20.00. Sale Price **$12.50**

LONG COATS AND SKIRTS in mercerised linen, in newest shades; original price $15.00. Sale Price **$8.50**

A few only **CHALAIS DRESSES,** in beautiful effects; original price $27.50. Sale Price **$18.75**

TWO WAIST SPECIALS

Ladies' Tailored Waists, in White Linen Lawn, with irish hand embroidery and neatly tucked fronts, in all sizes; original price $5.00. Sale Price **$3.25**

A clearing line of fine **Lingerie Waists** in White Muslins, Mulls and Lawns, with high neck, short and long sleeves, nicely trimmed lace embroidery; original price $2.00. Sale Price... **$1.00**

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VIGIL

Wind on the sea, and fall of winter rain:
Dark cliffs below.
I hear a sound of ships that cross the main:
Some bring for tidings, Death; some love again.
——If heart could know!
Moon, that shines cold above the cloudy wrack,
The darkling shore!
Will never shadow cross the glimmering track.
O heart of all my heart, come back, come back!
To leave no more.
—Mary Kernahan Harris.

HAPPINESS

Each ancient and modern philosopher tries
To point out the path in which happiness lies.
We have ethical maxims, and books by divines,
But the truth may be told in a very few lines.
'Tis needless with honours and wealth to be blest
If the heart is content, and the conscience at rest;
But two things we need—and must strive to retain—
A mind free from care, and a body from pain.
Yet more: we need something beyond and above,
Something to strive for, and—someone to love.
—T. W. T.

Why the Heathen Rage

"Me no talkee Chinese velly well," explained the hostess upon greeting the distinguished visitor from the Flowery Kingdom.

"No matter," responded the latter. "I can converse tolerably well in English."

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WATER NOTICE

I, Bedlington Harold John, of 2219 Blanchard Avenue, Victoria, British Columbia, Broker, give notice that on the eighteenth day of August, 1911, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, I intend to apply to the Water Commissioner at his office, Parliament Buildings, Government Street, Victoria, B.C., for a water licence to take and use five cubic feet per second from Arbutus Creek, in Malahat Division of Victoria District. The water is to be taken from the stream about seven hundred feet up stream (Westerly) above the bridge on Mill Bay Road crossing Arbutus Creek, and is to be used on a piece of land on Finlayson Arm containing about eighty acres at the mouth of Arbutus Creek, for industrial purposes.

BEDLINGTON HAROLD JOHN.
july 15 aug 12

MALAHAT LAND DISTRICT

District of Malahat

TAKE notice that Beaumont Boggs, of Victoria, B.C., occupation Real Estate Agent, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands:—Commencing at a post planted at high water on the Saanich Arm, 75 feet East from the South-east corner of Lot 120; thence northerly and following the shore line of said Saanich Arm to the South-east corner of Lot 110; 2nd—Commencing at high water mark due east 33 feet from the post at the North-east corner of Lot 110; thence northerly and following the coast line to the North-east corner of Lot 120.

Dated July 10th, 1911.

BEAUMONT BOGGS.
july 15 sept 9

THE HINDU IN B. C.—The petition circulated by the Hindus resident in British Columbia asking for the removal of certain restrictions and disabilities under which they labour is a reasonable one and will commend itself to every fair-minded British subject. It is not right that there should be discrimination against these men and in favour of Japanese and Chinese as to terms of admission to Canada, neither is it right that those who have settled here in accordance with the requirements of the law should be debarred from bringing in their wives and families. But between these aspects of the question and the economic aspect there is a very wide difference. The Week is, and always has been, inalienably opposed to Oriental immigration; its objection rests not at all upon economic but upon racial grounds. The people of British Columbia, almost to a man, are supporting a policy of Oriental exclusion, and The Week does not believe that the Province can afford to adopt any other policy. It is in line with Australia, New Zealand and the Western American States, and while it may well be that, generally speaking, this solidarity of opinion has resulted from the attitude of organized labour its unanimity is significent and cannot be overlooked. For this reason The Week believes that Oriental immigration of every kind should be discouraged, and while British subjects of all races should be accorded equal rights and privileges when they have legally settled in any part of the Empire it does not believe that it is wise to encourage a class of immigration which arouses local susceptibilities, and will inevitably lead to hostility where there should be nothing but good feeling and amicable relationship.

GET TOGETHER—The Victoria Rose Show held in the Alexandra Club rooms last week was only a partial success. It enjoyed all the prestige of a fashionable "locale" and beautiful surroundings, but it was very much like the play of Hamlet with Hamlet left out, and all because of some little ill-feeling between the amateur and professional rose-growers. In consequence of this several of the best amateur growers did not exhibit, and the general quality of the Show fell below the average. It is not creditable that such a state of affairs should exist, and without venturing to assign blame The Week may be permitted to express the hope that the hatchet will be buried at once, and that so popular an exhibition will not be allowed to suffer for the frailties of humanity. Moreover, the next flower show should be better advertised, and as the newspapers give unlimited free space for this purpose it will be the fault of the organizers if it is not utilized.

ST. MARGARET'S COLLEGE—General gratification will be felt at the important announcement made during the present week that a suitable building is to be erected to house the pupils of St. Margaret's College. Victoria is an ideal place for colleges of every kind. We already possess several high-class institutions for boys and the late Miss Fenwick laid the foundations for a girls' college of a similar class. Thanks to the enterprise of a number of Victoria gentlemen, and the generous assistance of the representatives of the Pearce Estate, Miss Fenwick's long-cherished plans will be carried out on an adequate scale, and in the course of a year or so there will be a notable addition to Victoria's public buildings on the east end of the Pearce Estate, Cadboro Bay Road.

THE DEAD LEVEL—London "Bystander" just to hand has a very interesting article on the subject of "The Dead Level" in towns. The reference is to monotonous uniformity in the style of architecture and the general lay-out. The article is illustrated by a series of photographs showing a row of villas and terraces of the kind which make Clapham and Ealing, the "bete noire" of lovers of beauty. Point is given to the article by citing an instance of a new town named Gildea which is being built up in North Hants. There are photographs showing the plots and the houses. Of the latter no two are exactly alike in design and there is a return to the old-fashioned gables and chimneys of a hundred years ago. There is no "dead line" and no monotony. The houses are substantially and cheaply constructed. Scores have already been erected by the owners of the townsite and can be either purchased or rented. In the former case easy terms of payment are arranged at a low rate of interest. Needless to say sanitation, street building and every adjunct to modern civilization have received the most careful attention, but the main feature of the project is the abolition of the dead-line, which is so persistent in cases where streets are lined with similar buildings, set back exactly the same distance from the boundary, and erected upon lots of exactly the same size. Now that Mayor Morley and the Council are proposing to devote special attention to the development of Victoria on artistic lines they might do worse than study the article on Gildea, and in any event they could make no mistake in adopting its main principle of variety.

STANDING OF CANDIDATES UP TO NOON JULY 13TH, 1911

DISTRICT ONE	
None	
DISTRICT TWO	
Miss Ethel Ricketts	13,700
DISTRICT THREE	
None	
DISTRICT FOUR	
None	
DISTRICT FIVE	
Miss Mary Blake	3,175
Miss Nellie Pottinger	2,275
DISTRICT SIX	
None	
DISTRICT SEVEN	
Miss M. Kent	38,225
Miss B. Smith	32,000
DISTRICT EIGHT	
Miss Gladys Hocking	21,450
Miss Lucie Roach	5,575
DISTRICT NINE	
Miss J. Patterson	5,100
DISTRICT TEN	
Miss Sadie Craig	32,500
Miss Jessie King	3,625
DISTRICT ELEVEN	
None	
DISTRICT TWELVE	
Miss Ruth Bell	11,550
Miss M. Nyland	5,875

A number of the candidates have made remarkable progress in "The Week's" Great Voting Contest during this week. Candidates who were near the bottom of the list in the last publication are now among the leaders for the grand prize of $300.00 in gold.

Interest is increasing by leaps and bounds.

A number of new contestants have entered during the past week and have made a splendid showing at the very start.

Some of the districts have no representatives up to the present time. As a prize will be awarded to the leader of each district having the greatest number of votes, regardless of the number of votes candidates in other districts may have, a new candidate in those districts could win the district prize with very little effort.

For the location of districts having no contestants, see the page advertisement of this issue.

If you or a lady friend of yours resides in one of the districts having no representative, cut out the Free Voting Coupon, fill in the lines with the name of the contestant you wish the votes to be credited to and send to "The Week" office.

Candidates may fill in the coupons with their own name.

Information and particulars can be secured by 'phoning the Contest Manager at "The Week" Office, 'phone 1283.

Remember, the candidate winning the Grand Prize of $300.00 in gold will not be awarded the District Prize. The candidate with the next highest number of votes to the Grand Prize winner in the same district will be awarded the District Prize. Therefore, in one district two candidates will be awarded a prize. No particular District Prize goes to any special district.

The District Prize winners having the highest number of votes will be awarded the more valuable prizes.

All subscriptions turned in up to 10 p.m. Saturday, July 15th, will receive the first period schedule of votes.

For the benefit of out of town candidates, all subscriptions received by the Contest Manager bearing the Postmaster's stamp of not later than 10 p.m. July 15th, will receive the first period schedule.

All subscriptions turned in between 10 p.m. July 15th and 10 p.m. August 5th will receive a greater number of votes than at any other date.

At 10 p.m. August 26th this contest will close. The votes will then be counted in plain view of the contestants and friends and the Grand Prize and twelve District Prizes will be awarded.

Owing to a typographical error in the Free Voting Coupon the inquiry has been made whether the coupon will count for ten or twenty-five votes. All coupons up to the present date turned in before the date of expiration on each will be counted for twenty-five votes.

LOOKING BACKWARDS—Provincial Librarian Scholefield delivered an admirable lecture before the German Club on Wednesday evening last on the subject of "The Early History of Vancouver Island." The Week understands that it has previously been delivered before the Natural History Society and would respectfully make a plea that it should be given to the general public at a large meeting to be held in the Victoria Theatre. The subject is so important and interesting and Mr. Scholefield has collected such a mass of interesting information that it is a pity for such an address to be confined to the few who have heard it. Only the little handful of old-timers, who are dwindling year by year, can fully appreciate the interest of those early days and it seems almost incredible to the new-comers that there are still in our midst a few men who recollect the first Hudson's Bay Company's stockade planted in the block now bounded by Bastion, Government and Fort Streets, and are able to check up all the incidents which have occurred in the growth of a city rapidly approaching its fifty thousand inhabitants. Mr. Scholefield told of the transference of the Hudson's Bay headquarters from Fort Vancouver to Camosun in anticipation of the settlement of the Oregon Boundary Question on the 49th parallel. From that time he traced the development of Vancouver Island with the advent of Sir James Douglas and the establishment of representative institutions, a Parliament of seven elected by a total of forty votes, and a member for the Nanaimo District elected year after year by one vote. Of that first House of Representatives Dr. Helmcken still survives. Of the twenty thousand people who crowded to Victoria in 1858, in consequence of the Cariboo gold rush, only about forty survive here, but the names of many who have gone are kept alive in our most representative and respected citizens. The interest of the lecture was greatly added to by the series of views of pioneer days thrown on the screen by Mr. Maynard, the son of the pioneer photographer, who possesses a most unique collection. The educational influence of such an address as Mr. Scholefield's can hardly be over-estimated. The present generation, dazzled by material success, is apt to be forgetful and is barely tolerant of a recital of the experiences, the struggles and the hardships of those who paved the way for the comfort and luxury today. It is well that the self-confidence of the new age should occasionally be tempered by reflection on the past. Such reflection can hardly fail to engender kindlier feelings, and a higher appreciation of the work of the pioneers.

LAW OF OPPOSITES—When Times has finished correcting numerous mis-statements of fact connection with the Fraser Lands quest perhaps it will proceed to explain why it bitterly assails the rescinding Order-Council of May 11th which cancelled retroactive clause of the Order-in-Cou of April 3rd. When the latter was pas the Times was of all critics the most bi in condemning its unfairness and poi out how great a hardship it would w on "bona fide" locators of land who gone out to stake, and had incurred he expense in full confidence that under existing statutory arrangements they wo be allowed to complete their applicati The argument of the Times on this p was sound, and when it was found that there were some forty or fifty c in which such applications had been car to the point of making the preliminary posit to the Government it was seen as a simple matter of justice the retroac clause of the original Order would hav be cancelled. In connection with thi least the Times has executed a star "volte face" and it would be interestin notice upon which horn of the dilemr finally elects to sit.

SAANICH PENINSULA—On anc page of the current issue of Week will be found a map of th cation of the B. C. E. R. from Vic to the North end of the Saanich Penin Added interest is given to this map b presence in the city of three of the Lo directors of the Company. The Vice-sident, Mr. Norton, has announced tha Saanich extension will cost $600,000 that in addition the sum of $500,000 be spent in improvements within the limits. Mr. Norton further stated th the present moment the amount invest the Province by the B. C. E. R. reache large sum of $30,000,000. The Week had occasion before to comment on th terprise shown by this Company. can be no better guarantee for the futu Victoria than the large expenditures contemplated in the neighbourhood. anticipation that within a short time c extension of their system to Deep Co whole of the Saanich Peninsula w settled is a reasonable one.

CRANBROOK PROSPECTO The Week is in receipt of the onation Number of "The Cranl Prospector," which is a splendid pie workmanship from a typographical point and an admirable descriptive logue of the resources and beauties o Kootenay. The Week has peculiar fication in commenting upon this ex issue because it recalls the first acc ance of its editor with A. B. Grac present proprietor and editor of the pector. It was in 1897 when Fort was passing through its boom days t B. Grace "blew in" from the Sout started a mimeograph newspaper wh called "The Fort Steele Prospector little later he brought out a typo journal which he printed by means foot-lever press. Hoping against ho indefatigable pioneer journalist staye Fort Steele until he realised that brook had superseded the old sta ground. For several years now he ha lished an excellent sheet in the latt and there can be no better testimony courage, industry and loyalty than t number just to hand. The Week c tulates friend Grace and wishes him years of the prosperity which he s deserves.

ONE THING LACKING—Na has many things which ma be the envy of less fortunate but it is behind the times in one re it has no Board of Trade. In thes of rapidly increasing activity in co cial affairs no progressive city can to be without such an organization. cannot be any difference of opinion subject, and if Nanaimo wishes to r full benefit of the extensive devel which has already begun on Van Island the Coal City will line up respect without delay.