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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE V. I. F. A.

At Meeting on Saturday Evening Much Business of Importance was Transacted

Officers Elected For Ensuing Year=-Ammendments to Constitution Passed

A great deal of business was transacted at the annual meeting of the delegates for the V.I.A.F.A. on Saturday evening last, which took place at the Frank Hotel.

Mr. E. M. Whyte acted as secretary in the absence of Secretary Lorimer, who had written expressing his extreme regret at being unable to attend. In his letter, the secretary stated that as he was absent, he was with the meeting in spirit, and if the delegates saw fit to elect him to any office, he would take pleasure in filling it to the best of his ability during the coming season. President Brown, in addressing the meeting after the reading of the letter, stated that he wished to say to the meeting that if, in the course of the evening they saw fit to appoint Mr. Lorimer to any office, he did not think they could secure a more capable man, or one who took a greater interest in football. He was a hard worker in the interests of the game, and no work was too great for him to undertake for its advancement.

The secretary's report for the year showed the league to be in good financial standing with a balance on hand of something like $26.00 after all indebtedness had been paid. This was a larger balance than had been on hand at the close of the last season, and expenses had been heavier. The report was received amid applause.

The President's address followed, and during his remarks, Mr. Brown stated that he took much pleasure in observing the increasing interest which was being taken in football on Vancouver Island. The junior and intermediate players were all coming on well, and he thought that the game was now in a much better condition than ever previously. The speaker dwelt at some length on the advantages of bringing the young players to the fore in any game. As an instance, he cited the results of playing the same men season after season on the Victoria lacrosse team. At one time that body had been the strongest aggregation in the province but the inevitable followed when they neglected to bring out the younger players, and after a few seasons, they had no one to take the places of the older players, who had become incapaciated. This danger was the speaker was pleased to say being provided against by the football league, and in the course of a few years he saw no reason why football of the very best class should not be played right on Vancouver Island. The speaker also brought up the question of medals. In England, he said, it was the custom to give caps instead of medals, and in his opinion this custom was far more satisfactory. Of course, medals were nice, but they were also exsame purpose, and would cost far same purpose and would cost far less. The speaker had stored away a cap which he had won 30 years ago, and today he is just as proud of it as he was on the day of victory. This, however, was a matter to be decided later on.

President Brown referred to the disputes over games which had occurred during past seasons, and was pleased to state that he thought matters were shaping to the point where there would be a great deal less fighting in committee rooms and more real sport on the football field. He was not at all in favor of a team showing too great a readiness to protest a game. In conclusion, Mr. Brown paid a few compliments to the officers of the league who had worked so energetically for its welfare during the past season, mentioning particularly Mr. Jas. Adam who had done a great deal in his capacity as vice-president, and as it was the intention of the speaker to retire, owing to pressure of business, he would take much pleasure in seeing Mr. Adam made president in his place.

Amendments to Constitution.

Considerable time was devoted to the amending of sections of the constitution, each amendment being taken up clause by clause, and decided upon. The principal changes suggested and adopted were as follows:

Section 9, Clause B., states that medals shall be presented at close of final game. This, it was pointed out, was impossible, as the committee would be unable to have any inscription engraved in the space of twenty minutes. It was decided that the time should be changed leaving it in the hands of the committee to procure medals as soon as possible after the final game.

The age limit for intermediate and junior players came up for discussion, some of the delegates at first being of the opinion that the farring out of a man from intermediate games would prove very detrimental to the welfare of the game. Mr. Brown, however, explained at considerable length the advantages to be obtained by placing an age limit, were no limit applied, in some cases men of twenty-four or five would be playing against boys of seventeen or eighteen. In Mr. Brown's experience he had seen several methods tried and had found the age limit to be the more satisfactory. It was decided that this rule should hold.

Mr. Thornley, however, brought up a point which had been overlooked. He stated that he knew of cases where a man played perhaps all but one or two games of the season with intermediates, and reached the age limit 21 years, thus being debarred from taking part in the finals, and thus losing all chance of a medal, which he had earned. This was agreed by all present to be a matter that should be remedied, and accordingly a clause was inserted to the effect that if a player has played two or three games and becomes of age, he shall be allowed to finish the season with the team, and participate in final games.

It was decided to change the time of junior games from one and one-half hours to one hour, it being pointed out that they could in some cases, hardly be expected to stand a long match.

In regard to replayed games, it was decided that the gate receipts will all go to the association, as that body has to bear the expense of advertising, etc., the contending team or teams are to pay for the ball used.

A most important amendment made to the constitution was in regard to appeals from the decision of the association committee. It was decided that there shall be no appeal from the latter's decision, thus avoiding much trouble which has been experienced in decisions heretofore.

The constitution as amended, will be typewritten and sent to the secretaries of the various clubs.

Election of Officers.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Hon. President, Dr. Wasson. The election of Dr. Wasson was proposed by Mr. Wm. Whyte, of Victoria, and seconded by Mr. Adam, and, providing the doctor consents, he will act as Honorary President next season.

President, J. G. Brown. Mr. Brown, when his name was proposed begged to be excused for declining the office, explaining that he found it impossible to attend to the work as he would like, and while it afforded him great pleasure, he felt that he could not do the office justice. This speech was received with protests from the delegates present, who were very pressing in their requests to Mr. Brown to accept "just once more." They promised that his work should be much lighter in fu-

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LOCAL MEN BLOWN OUT TO SEA IN OPEN BOAT

On Saturday afternoon, Mr. Geo. Hannay, in company with Dave Eddie and Indian Bill, left Ladysmith in a sailing boat on a short fishing trip. They expected to return before evening, and it was not until after dark that their friends began to worry over their non-appearance. During Saturday afternoon a strong wind sprang up, and out on the open water was blowing a gale. This kept up most of Sunday, and the fears of the relatives that something had gone amiss seemed justified when Sunday night arrived and nothing had been heard of the fishermen.

This morning Mr. H. Blair left in his gasoline launch in an endeavor to locate some trace of the men, but up to the present has not returned.

Shortly after Mr. Blair's departure, the captain of the Czar notified Mr. Hannay's relatives that he has seen a steamer out on the gulf pick up a wrecked sailboat with men in her last night.

Whether or not the men were all right remains to be seen, but it is altogether likely that they are, it evidently having been a case of having been blown out to sea. They had no provisions on board.

COMMITS SUICIDE

AT MADISON PARK

A Seattle despatch says: Henry A. Smith, former sheriff at Astoria, Ore., and at one time a deputy United States marshal there, committed suicide at Madison Park yesterday afternoon shortly after 3 o'clock. With a bullet hole through his brain, his dead body was found near the lower end of the chutes just south of the end of the Madison street car line. Financial embarrassment and worry over San Francisco's disaster are believed by the coroner to have been the cause of the man's act.

For several weeks Smith had been living at the Hotel Wallfirst, at the corner of First avenue and Wall St. He told the proprietor and his wife there that he was a master of a ship that was to sail April 27 for Alaska. He had stopped at the house at various times, and although he had always claimed to be a steamship man, he never told the name of his ship or the company for which he was working.

Yesterday morning he started out of the hotel, but rang for Mrs. Davis, the wife of the proprietor. He asked her to lend him a nickel, as he did not wish to give a twenty-dollar gold piece to a street car conductor. Mrs. Davis let him have a dime, but he said at the time he would rather have a nickel.

That was the last heard of him until the report of his death was brought in from the park.

The pictures of his wife and granddaughter were found in an inside pocket. "When in death still my beloved wife" was written with a pencil on the back of the one picture, and "My dear grand-daughter" on the reverse of the other.

A stamped envelope addressed to Mrs. H. A. Smith, Seward, Alaska, was found in an inside pocket. Wrapped around it was a piece of paper with the following note written on it: "Somebody please mail this letter without opening same, as it contains matters of a purely private nature, of no interest to the public, and oblige, S."

Smith's widow lives at present in Seward, Alaska. She was here a few days ago, having come from San Francisco. A daughter, believed to be Mrs. Johansen, who lives on St. Helens avenue, Tacoma, was wired last night.

When the body was searched, a gold watch, some small trinklets and a five-cent piece were found in his pockets. In his room were letters, showing that he had recently written for work, but had been unable to get a position.

During the time Smith was sheriff at Astoria, he arrested John Hansen and John Reiler on a charge of murdering an aged woman, and later, under his administration, they were hanged. During the time he was in office he became involved in financial trouble, according to his newspaper clippings, but later returned and straightened out his affairs.

At the Masters and Pilots' Association last night it was stated that no such man was a member of the organization, and he was not known to any of the members who were there.

The body is held, pending instructions, at the Bonney-Watson morgue.

P. MERRY ATTEMPTS TO COMMIT SUICIDE

Yesterday Peter Merry, Kitchener Street, became tired of life, and attempted to commit suicide by swallowing a bottle of poison. As a result, Mr. Merry is today lodged in jail, and tonight at 6.30 will be brought up for trial at the city hall.

While the poison which he took was deadly enough, he did not secure a sufficient quantity, and the doctor was summoned in time to save the misguided man's life.

Merry's motive is said to have been the result of disappointment in not obtaining the affections of one of the fair sex upon whom he had bestowed his heart.

ROSSLAND WILL BOOM.

Rossland, April 28—The Centre Star is clearing away foundation for a compressor plant which is to contain the War Eagle compressor which is to be moved from the War Eagle shaft. On this same foundation is to be installed a 650 horse power electrical motor. This is a portion of the general plan which the company has in view of ultimately hoisting all of the ore and waste from the Centre Star and War Eagle through the shaft of the Centre Star. It is also in contemplation of installing a hoisting plant that will be the largest in British Columbia. F. A. Hewer, managing director of the Spitz left today for Spokane where he went to meet the principals of a prominent mining corporation which has in view the acquisition of the control of the Spitz. The deal has been in progress for several weeks and unless the unexpected occurs it will now be closed. Should the deal be consummated Rossland would have working in its midst one of the strongest mining Companies in British Columbia.

BASEBALL IN NANAIMO

Chemainus Boys go Down to Defeat Before the Nanaimo Fans

Nanaimo, B.C., April 30.—

In an exhibition game of baseball played Sunday afternoon on the Cricket Grounds, Chemainus was defeated by Nanaimo by the score of 22 to 3. The visitors were considerably weakened by the absence of three of their regulars, which had the effect of breaking up their team, owing to their having to change players from their regular position. The high wind blowing all afternoon also had a bad effect on the game. Judging an outfield ball accurately was almost out of the question, as the wind would swerve the ball yards and yards out of its proper course.

The visitors went to bat first, and were retired in gig fashion. The second inning was a repetition of the first, but the third netted the visitors two runs. The fourth was prolific of another run, after which five goose eggs were recorded, and a total of only three runs recorded in favor of Chemainus.

Nanaimo fell on the visitors from the very commencement of the game. A. Tommy, the slab artist for the visitors was batted freely at all stages of the game until the sixth inning when he was replaced by Anderson. The four hits secured by the locals from Anderson, netted six runs, only two of which were earned. The following is the score:

Nanaimo.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	T.	E.
Runs	4	0	3	3	5	1	0	6	x	22	6
Base hits	2	0	2	2	4	1	0	3	x	16	

Chemainus.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	T.	E.
Runs	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	10
Base hits	0	1	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	6	

Batteries—Wilkinson, Balo and Turner; A. Tommy, T. Anderson and T. George.

Summary—Hits off Wilkinson, 4; Balo 2; Tommy 12; Anderson 4. 3-base hits, Graham; 2-base hits, J. Aitken, T. Anderson. Sacrifice hits George, Ashman. Left on bases, Nanaimo 4, Chemainus 10. Bases on balls, off Wilkinson, 1; Tommy, 3; Anderson, 1. Struck out, by Wilkinson, 5; Balo, 3; Tommy, 4; Anderson, 3.

FREIGHT MOVING UP THE SKEENA RIVER

S.S. Princess Beatrice is in port for bunker coal after having landed her passengers at Vancouver. She reports a fair voyage down, having had fine weather all the way. Freight is now moving up the Skeena river to Hazelton, the first boat, the Rhea said, having made the return trip to that point successfully. The Beatrice brought down several passengers who had come down river from Hazelton.

Tug Escort, No. 2, called in for a boom of logs at the head of the bay, but owing to low water, was obliged to send a launch for the timbers.

A SILENT MAN

OF THE MOUNTAIN

The revivalist movement in Wales has left many curious human landmarks of its sweeping progress through the land.

None is more curious than the stranger of singularly handsome appearance, who is attracted to any particular locality in Wales where the highest religious fervor is for the time being to be found. He is a silent man of splendid proportions, and his close-fitting suit of rough material, the only garb he has ever been seen to wear, shows off his lithe and athlete form to perfection as he swings along with buoyant step.

The early morning prayer meetings of which many are still held in Wales has a great attraction for him, and fervent and eloquent intercessions are as striking as his personality. When the gathering disperses, he strides away to the mountains, often showing his disdain of such obstacles to his rapid progress as gates and hedges by leaping them in his exhilarance of spirit as cleanly as a greyhound would.

Not long ago a wanderer on the mountains came across the swarthy stranger of simple life singing with bared head and uplifted face Jane Taylor's hymn:

Great God! and canst Thou condescend
To be my Father and my Friend?
A child like me and Thou so high,
The Lord of earth and air and sky?

There are many other instances of revival eccentricity. Recently Miss Morgan, one of the mistresses of a girls' school at Brigend, absented herself and war found that she was lying prostrate at the house of a friend. A voice, she declared, had bid her remain in solitude until she was called away. She had taken an active part in the Welsh revival, and at a meeting of the school managers who decided to give her considerable leave of absence, one speaker said that the schools had been made the rendezvous of religious fanatics.

A prosperous Welsh tradesman who had been deeply moved by the revival for months nothing could be asval suddenly left business and friends certained as to his whereabouts. One day, recently, his brother received a telegram, followed by the appearance of the missing man. During his absence he had grown a beard, and his haggard features told a sad story of privation. The man's mind is absolutely a blank as to what happened in the long interval of absence. He only remembers that while wandering along a London St. he suddenly recalled the address of his brother in Wales, and promptly despatched a telegram to him.

SAD DEATH AT ROSSLAND

Rossland, April 28—Christopher Curry was killed at Centre Star mine at 12:30 p.m. today. The skip became fouled in headworks with rock, and Curry went into the skipway to take the rock out. He lost balance and fell, and striking the railing at the collar of the shaft he bounced into the shaft, which inclines 35 feet in the hundred. He fell 1600 feet and was almost torn to fragments by projections. Curry was 25 years of age and a native of Milton, Ont. He is a brother of Samuel Currie formerly conductor on the Mountain railway. Deceased had only been working in the Center Star for three weeks.

MEETING OF SCHOOL BOARD

Report Receided From Principal Dakin Regardiug Proposed Celebration of Empire Day

Mr. Dakin's Report Also Deals With Result of Gymnasium Entertainment

At the regular meeting of the School Board held in Mr. J. Stewart's office on Saturday night a report from Principal Dakin was read. Mr. Dakin refers to the recent gymnasium exhibition given by the pupils of the school, in which the sum of $11.60 was cleared, which amount will be devoted to improving the school grounds. He also asked permission for the faculty to proceed with said work. Regarding Empire Day Celebration, May 23rd, Mr. Dakin submitted a lengthy programme for the approval of the board. The programme is to consist in the first part of choruses, speeches, etc., to be followed by sports.

It is the intention to hold an athletic contest for the older pupils; the prizes for the various events being a silver or gold medal. The girls are also to take part in the racing programme, and for the best aggregate a suitable silver set has been offered.

Regarding attendance during the past month, Principal Dakin writes: "The percentages of the various rooms are very fair, ranging from 85 to 92. Division 1 has held the banner for three consecutive months. I am pleased to report that we have had no cases of truancy for the past few months."

It was decided by the board that the building committee interview the City Council this evening requesting that body to assist them in the clearing of the streets adjacent to the school building, and allowing the children the use of them for recreation grounds.

Accounts aggregating $586.95 were passed by the board.

It was decided that in future the regular meetings of the board shall be held on the last Thursday of each month, instead of the last Saturday, as at present.

WILL OUTFIT IN SEATTLE

Seattle, April 30.—According to information received in this city yesteday, ten of the vessels of the Alaska fleet of the Alaska Packers' Association are expected to come to Seattle to complete outfitting for the season in the North. Twenty of the fleet had outfitted, and most of this number sailed for Alaska before the earthquake. The remaining vessels of the northern fleet of the company were partially outfitted, and the supply of tin on board ship and on the way to the canneries of the company in the North will be sufficient for the season, if the estimates of the company made since the fire are correct.

The Alaska Packers' Association will operate twenty-one canneries in Alaska this season, and the twenty vessels outfitted from San Francisco carry the supplies and material for a majority of these plants, with the exception of such supplies as may be necessary later in the season. The docks of the company were not destroyed, but all of the food supplies available in the warehouses of San Francisco that were not destroyed by the earthquake or the fire have been used to supply the destitute people of the city.

The ten vessels will sail for the North some time during next month. In addition to the tin and solder that have already been loaded at San Francisco, the vessels will carry provisions for the cannery and fishing crews that have not already been supplied by the the early fleet, for the season.

FORRESTERS REUNION

This Morning's Herald says:

August 20th of this year the Columbia District lodge of Foresters will meet in Nanaimo. This is the first time the district Lodge has met here for some years and the local court is commencing to make arrangements for the event. Last evening the members of the local court decided to hold a grand reunion of Foresters in Nanaimo, August 18, two days before district lodge meets. The reunion will take the form of a day's sports, and all the courts of the province will be represented. An official of the Nanaimo court last evening informed The Herald that the local Foresters were determined to spare no pains to make the day's sports of interest to all, and equal to the best in the history of Nanaimo.

Particulars will be given later.

A GOOD FALSEHOOD

Appended is an article that appeared in the Vancouver World on Friday last, on the front page of that truthful? journal, under headlines stretched across three columns, thus:

ANTHRACITE FOUND IN QUEEN CHARLOTTE IS.

Western Fuel Co., of Nanaimo, Secures Claims for $700,000—General Manager to go North to Initiate Development Work.

The article reads:

"Miningmen and capitalists throughout the province are on the qui vive at the present moment concerning the discovery of anthracite coal in large quantities and of excellent quality on Graham Island, of the Queen Charlotte group. The extent of the new find can only be estimated when it is stated that the Western Fuel Company, after a preliminary investigation of the field has closed an option on the claims for the large sum of $700,000. Prospectors have frequently struck anthracite leads in the vicinity, but never has the future seemed so well assured. The deposits are located so as to be easily available for shipment and the supply of marketable coal seems well nigh inexhaustible. In connection with the development of the discovery the government will shortly send up a force of men to Masset Inlet to clear up the Tlakon river. General Manager Stockett of the Western Fuel Co., will go north in May to direct the operations of the company in the development scheme.

"The discovery of the deposits as this location just at this time is of great importance inasmuch as they are situated near the proposed west coast terminus of the Grand Trunk Pacific and the new transcontinental line will doubtless be a large consumer of the product of the mines."

Superintendent Stockett, of the Western Fuel Company on being shown the article by the "Herald" last evening said: "It reads well but there is not a shadow of truth in the story. The party who wrote it must possess a very vivid imagination."

Horses seem to be in demand in Vancouver. Yesterday Mr. D. Johnson sold one to Mr. McNaughton of that city, the animal going over on the Joan today. This is the second horse Mr. Johnson has disposed of during the past two weeks to Vancouver parties. While Mr. Johnson is willing to sell horses, he is also willing to buy buggies, and on Saturday received one of strictly up-to-date manufacture.

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DYNAMITE WAS BADLY USED

Vancouver, April 28.—That the spread of the conflagration in San Francisco was accelerated in many instances instead of being retarded by the poor judgement of the men using dynamite is the opinion of Mr. R. J. Poulton, a prominent San Francisco merchant, who arrived from the devastated city on last night's express. He is registered at the Commercial, and intends to stay in the city some time to recuperate after his nerve-racking experiences during the days following the earthquake.

"I was staying at the Anderson Hotel—a big seven-story structure—at the time of the earthquake," said Mr. Poulton. "That building swayed like a tree in a gale of wind. San Francisco is really worse off than the most gloomy tales of it that have been sent out from the city indicate. I don't believe that it will ever be rebuilt as good as it was before the earthquake shock.

"The most trying time was when darkness fell on Wednesday night. The horrors of that night are beyond description. When the militia was called out and given peremptory orders to shoot all looters, they proceed to carry out the instructions to a letter. As a result many innocent persons were shot. Many of them seeing soldiers in the streets did not know that the city was practically under martial law. The consequence was that when they were commanded to halt or ordered to do something by the soldiers, they naturally were reluctant, and inclined to argue with the soldiers to argue matters with the soldiers. Merchants going into their own stores were ordered back, and on the slightest sign of refusal were immediately shot in their tracks.

"Then the way the dynamiters went about their work of blowing up the buildings was very poor. In many cases they blew up buildings already burning instead of blowing up the ones that had not caught fire, and which might have made a break in the path of the flames. The result was that the explosions in many cases only helped to scatter the flames farther. I believe that the fire would not have spread so rapidly had more care been exercised by the men using the dynamite. The blowing up of about a mile of residences on Van Ness avenue was an awful and sublime spectacle. To see those beautiful mansions going up in the air one after another was enough to make anyone despair."

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LIGHTS AND SIDE LIGHTS.

She—Weren't you perfectly delighted when baby cut his first tooth?

He—Yes, I thought maybe he'd quit yelling then. But I found there were thirty-one more to follow.—Detroit Free Press.

Hicks—Bernard Shaw says a man wouldn't be able to live in this world at all without fiction.

Wicks—That's so. If I didn't employ fiction when I go home late nights I'd be nagged to death.—Boston Transcript.

Mrs. Farmer—If I offered you a job would you refuse it?

Weary Watkins—No'm; I'd take it. I'm all tired out refusing jobs and want a rest.—Chicago Daily News.

The Portrait Painter (in despair)—Madam, I find it impossible to procure colors that will match your exquisite complexion.

The Sitter, (without reserve)—Well then, just draw the outlines to-day, and when I come next time I will bring some of my colors for you.—Lippincott's.

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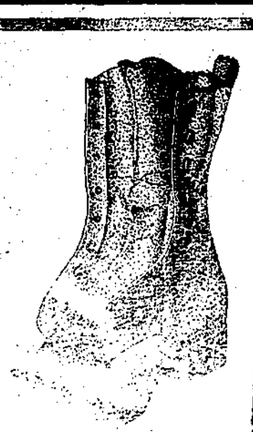

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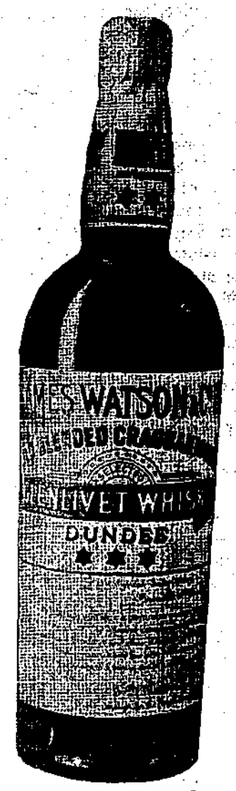

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LITERARY NOTES.

Richard Garnet, the English author died April 13 of internal hemorrhages. He was 71 years old.

According to the April Bookman, "The Wheel of life" is the best selling book in the United States.

"Days With Walt Whitman," by Edward Carpenter, is announced for early issue by the Macmillan company.

Two large editions of the authorized edition of Dr. Schilling's "Flashlights in the Jungle" have been sold out and has been accepted as the best photographic representation of wild life in the jungle.

One of the freshest and most enjoyable magazines, is that in the April Atlantic upon "The Lodge," by Charles Moreau Harger. Mr. Harger is editor of the Abilene Reflector and professor of journalism in the State University of Kansas.

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WARNING—GLANDERS

In districts where the existence of Glanders is suspected, and especially in neighborhoods where actual outbreaks have occurred, the adoption of the following precautions by owners of horses and others interested, will do much to prevent the spread of the disease and the establishment of fresh centres of infection.

1. Horses or mules having a nasal discharge or other suspicious symptoms should not be admitted to livery or feed stables or yards, blacksmith shops, church or school sheds, railway stock yards, private stables or other places where they are likely to come into direct or indirect contact with animals of the equine species.

2. All stables, yards or sheds used for the accommodation of horses or mules should be regularly and frequently cleansed and disinfected in the manner prescribed below.

3. After cleansing the premises thoroughly, and burning all debris, the interior should be well gone over with hot steam, or boiling water, adding to the latter at least one quart of crude carbalic acid to each five gallons, after which the entire surface should be thickly coated with a hot solution of fresh lime wash, to which crude carbolic acid has been added in the above mentioned proportion.

Outbuildings, fences and tying posts with which infected animals have been in contact should also, when possible, be thoroughly treated in a similar manner.

All ordinary harness and stable utensils which have been in contact with infected animals or infected premises, should be thoroughly soaked in a hot solution of crude carbolic acid of a strength of one part to twenty.

Materials which might be injured by the above treatment, such as valuable harness, robes, cushions, etc., which have been in contact with infection, should be placed in an air tight room and fumigated with Formaldehyde, after which they should be thoroughly cleaned.

4. Stables where outbreaks have occurred or where diseased animals have, inadvertently or otherwise been stabled, even temporarily, the cleansing and disinfection should be especially thorough, and in such cases it is safest to remove and burn feed boxes and mangers when of wood; iron articles can be rendered harmless by passing them through fire, or by immersing them for some time in boiling water. All litter from suspected animals should be burned, or carefully fenced until used.

5. Farmers and others should, henever possible, avoid admitting strange horses or mules to the premises occupied by their own animals, especially of the same species It is a good plan to reserve an isolated building for outside horses or mules, but where this is impossible they may be accommodated in cow stables, cattle not being subject to glanders infection. Such horses and mules should be watered from special pails, which, together with other stable utensils used on or about them, should be carefully cleansed and disinfected before being used for other animals. Stalls occupied by strange horses or mules should be well cleansed and disinfected, and if, at all possible, left unoccupied for some time.

6. Where new horses or mules are purchased in or from districts where glanders exists, they should, unless carefully tested with Mallein prior to purchase, be stabled apart and closely watched for some time before being brought in contact with other animals of the equine species.

7. It must be borne in mind that while nasal discharge, or ulceration, enlarged glands, the presence of farcy buds, unaccountable swelling of the limbs and general unthriftness often characterizes cases of Glanders, the disease exists in many animals without, for the time being, any external manifestation whatever, the only means of detection in such cases being the Mallein test, and that these occult or latent cases, are in some respects the most dangerous because unsuspected. Our experience shows that it is possible for animals of this class to convey infection to others without themselves developing acute symptoms. It is therefore plain that great caution should be exercised on the purchase or handling of strange horses or mules, especially in those districts where the disease has become established.

8. The carcasses of animals dying from or slaughtered as being affected with Glanders should, when possible be burned, or failing this, buried at least six feet beneath the surface.

9. Owners of premises where outbreaks have been dealt with should bear in mind that Inspectors cannot recommend release from quarantine unless disinfection has been carried out in a satisfactory manner, and that compensation for animals slaughtered cannot be paid unless a certificate of cleansing and disinfection has been received by the Minister of Agriculture.

10. Horse owners should have no hesitation in reporting to this Department or to its inspectors the existence of actual of suspected cases of glanders. The disease has been spreading rapidly of late years, and it is a matter of public interest that every fresh centre of infection should be discovered and dealt with as promptly as possible.

J. G. RUTHERFORD,
Veterinary Director General.
Department of Agriculture,
Ottawa, March, 1906.

COMPLAINS OF SHORTAGE OF FUNDS

San Francisco, April 28.—The amount of money on hand for immediate relief work and the continuance of the military control of the city subordinate to civil authorities were two of the most important subjects discussed at the daily meeting of the citizens committee of 50, which heard by Mayor Schmitz now administers the affairs of San Francisco. Both developed some interesting phases and left in the minds of all those striving to relieve the somewhat chaotic affairs of this unfortunate city the necessity for two things.

The Strictest Economy

in the expenditure of money now available and the urgent need of continued military assistance. The statement of James D. Phelan, chairman of the finance committee of the Citizens Relief and Red Cross Funds that he had been given to understand by Victor H. Metcalf the representative of President Roosevelt that only $300,000 of the $2,500,000 appropriated by congress for the relief of San Francisco was available and that this sum represented the extent of financial assistance that might be expected from that source caused

A Decided Sensation

in the meeting. Mr. Phelan announced that Secretary of War Taft had transmitted to his order $300,000, which he said was the first recognition the secretary has made of relief of work and added that he had been informed by Mr. Metcalf that the Secretary of War had expended the remainder of the fund for the purchase of supplies. Upon corroboration of this statement by Mr. Metcalf Mr. Phelan remarked that there was

Only $518,000 Available

cash to his order at the mint and the strictest economy would be necessary. "We need the money," said Mr. Phelan, "and the country should not be led into the belief that millions are on hand to relieve the destitute people."

The question of the use of Federal troops to assist in the preservation of the peace and good order developed on an unanimity of opinion among the civil and military authorities. A letter from General Greely commanding the United States troops on duty here to Mayor Schmitz was read in the committee meeting. The general stated that the war department

Looked with Doubt

on the continued use of the army in policing San Francisco and added that while he was personally willing to continue any work of relief, sanitation or otherwise, he could not sanction the use of the army on non-military duties an hour on such an obvious necessity and asked for the written statement from the Mayor in order that there might be no doubt or misapprehension on his part as to the need of federal troops.

Victory Lodge, I.O.G.T., continues to meet in the I.O.O.F. Hall on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday and 2nd and 4th Saturday. The members of the Onward Lodge, I.O.G.T., Nanaimo will pay a fraternal visit to Victory Lodge, Ladysmith, on Saturday evening, April 28th. A full attendance of the members of Victory Lodge is requested.

F. THICK, C. Templar.
E. NIMMO, Sec.

CAUGHT COLD WHILE HUNTING A BURGLAR.

Mr. Wm. Thos. Lanorgan, provincial Constable at Chapleau, Ontario, says: "I caught a severe cold while hunting a burglar in the forest swamp last fall. Hearing of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, I tried it, and after using two small bottles, I was completely cured." This remedy is intended especially for coughs and colds. It will loosen and relieve a severe cold in less time than by any other treatment and is a favorite wherever its superior excellence has become known. For sale by Ladysmith Pharmacy.

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PROPERTY LOSS NOT EXAGGERATED

San Francisco, April 28.—Dr. Devine of the National Red Cross tonight issued the following statement "It is important for the entire country to understand that the loss of home and property in San Francisco has been exaggerated. Expectations have been aroused and plans have been made based on telegrams and newspaper reports of large contributions for relief and these expectations should not be disappointed. The distribution of food will have to be continued until there are enough stores in which to buy on a money basis and then it can be gradually diminished, but relief of other kinds is now and will be required for weeks to come. Sick and delicate persons will need care for months, inmates in institutions which have been destroyed must be established elsewhere and on some plan yet to be devised, families that cannot get started otherwise may have to be given a helping hand. It is not intended to encourage chronic dependence, but quick generous and efficient relief is needed here for a very large number of persons whose homes and means of livelihood have been destroyed. We don't know what amount, has been given in the aggregate but judging from what is actually in the hands of the finance committee at its disposal the danger is that it will not be large nor insufficient.

Additional Deaths.

Washington. April 28.—General Greeley has telegraphed from San Francisco the following additional deaths: Arthur Agnew, Jacob. H. Bucher, Patrick E. Creighton, Bertha Fabyan, a French infant, Genevieve Hunt, 9 years old, Mrs. Hunt John Keller, Barnard Kellogg, Kinz Lokura, Charles Nevills, George Neville, Benj. Orawitz, Sara, (Japanese), Mrs. Tilles L. Whitaker, man, unknown, Chinaman; suicide, unknown. There was also killed at Belmonte Mr and Mrs. F. D. Rouser.

Libraries Lost.

San Francisco, April 28.—Library after library, until the total exceed a million volumes disappeared in fire that swept over San Francisco last week. Great collections of invaluable records came to the fateful end of making fuel for the fire. No accurate estimate can be made of the momentary worth of the books destroyed but it is believed that their market value was in excess of $3,000,000. Among the collections that vanished were those contained in the main public library and two of its branches, the Mechanics Institute Library, the Mercantile library, the Sutro library, the Pioneer Library, the Bohemian Club library, the B'Nai B'rith library, the French library, the San Francisco Law Library and the library of Supreme Court. The number of volumes in these collections was not less than 700,000 and the loss of individual owners ran up to the total of more than a million. The public library was the eight largest institution of its kind in the United States. Librarian G. W. Clark said: "In the main library in the eastern wing of the city hall were 130,000 books. This was a total loss, the structure housing the volumes being shattered by the earthquake and swept by fire."

Peddling Supplies.

San Francisco, April 28—Supplies for the homeless and hungry sent in by philanthropic and charitable communities throughout the country are being sold on the city streets by licensed peddlers—Licensed in the sense that they held permits to sell, which were issued by the municipal license department before the great fire. This startling condition of affairs was reported to Chief of Police Dinan this morning by the department commanders from the various police districts. To meet the emergency Chief Dinan directed that patrolmen be detailed mounted if necessary with instructions.

To Arrest Every Man

found to be engaged in such traffic. The offenders will be turned over to the military authorities until the civil courts are prepared to take their cases. The commissary department and their teams will be placed at the disposal of the general relief committee.

San Francisco. April 28—Shortly before the great fire reached the Hall of Justice George M. Lipman, bond and warrant clerk in District Attorney Langdon's office placed $1,253 bail money in the safe. This morning the safe was opened by the district attorney and the money was found intact. It was deposited with the city treasurer. The work of pulling down walls about the banks was pushed with all rapidity today. The ruins of the California Safe Deposit Co. the Pacific Mutual Life and the Donohoe Banking Co were razed. Long steel cables were wrapped about the foundations and supports, while powerful donkey engines pulled them out. Portsmouth square harbors a colony of old time San Franciscans. There are about a dozen people in the square outside the police and eight of these are eighty years of age or more. They cannot be induced to leave the square They are the only old timers in the city and long residents in the Portsmouth square vicinity.

San Francisco. April 28—Nearly 400 men were sworn in as special police officers by Circuit Judge Hosmer this afternoon. The city has been divided into thirty districts and the men are to patrol within the districts in which they live. Each man is given a star and number with a card setting forth that he has regular police authority. These men are to receive merely volunteered in work for the good of the community.

No relationship between the new organization the regular police force seems to have been contemplated Chief Dinan and Captain Burkett state that the citizens committee is unnecessary that the police force and the soldiery is ample to take care of the situation. The citizens patrolmen received no instructions at the time of being sworn in nor was anything said to them about pay. They are being told by the officers organization to get instructions from their captains and are given to understand that service will begin at once. It is said that the swearing in of men will continue tomorrow and until 2,500 have been listed in the service.

J.S. EMERSON EXPECTS LUMBER WILL ADVANCE

Vancouver, April 28.—"I fully expect that as a result of the news that British Columbia lumber will be admitted free of duty at San Francisco during the rebuilding of that city, that lumber prices will advance," said Mr. J. E. Emerson of the Nanaimo Lumber Company and millowner of Port Moody, today. "Rough lumber is now selling locally and for shipment at $13 a thousand, and I am of the opinion that owing to the great demand which will be created by the call from San Francisco that $15 a thousand will be reached very shortly."

The news received yesterday that the United States government would rebate the duty of $2 per thousand on provincial lumber landed at San Francisco, created a great stir among those lumber mills which are in a position to handle any of this trade. All the largest mills on the British Columbia coast have so many orders ahead that only by operating double shifts would they be enabled to participate in the San Francisco trade. There are, however, a number of mills which are not tied up by contracts for any great length of time. There are several which will have old contracts worked off within a few weeks, and they will, it is firmly believed, be shipping to the Bay city within the next three months.

Tonnage for the transportation of lumber down the coast to San Francisco is scarce, but British Columbia lumbermen have the advantage of their competitors on Puget Sound owing to the fact that the world's shipping is open to them for charter. The Sound lumberman can only ship his product to San Francisco on American bottoms, because the United States coasting laws prevent foreign vessels trading between two ports on the American coast. American tonnage is not available in any quantity, and the Sound millmen will find it almost impossible to secure transportation

British Columbia lumbermen have already started the cables working to Europe in an endeavor to find some steamers or sailing vessels on the Pacific which are open to charter for this lumber trade.

NANAIMO

About twenty-five members of St. John's Ambulance Class sat down to a sumptuous banquet at the Windsor Hotel last evening, and the affair proved to be a most pleasurable one to those fortunate enough to be present. Not only was the repast excellent, but the programme of toasts, presentations and music that brought the entertainment to a conclusion was of a most enjoyable nature.

T. R. Stockett, Esq., Hon. President of the Society was in the chair, and on him fell the pleasant duty of making on behalf of the class, Drs. Hogle and O'Brian the recipients of handsome presents. With a graceful speech, in which he spoke of the splendid services of the medical gentlemen to the class, Mr Stockett handed Dr. Higle a very handsome dressing case and Dr. O'Brian a pair of field glasses, as tokens of appreciation and good will of the members of the class. The doctors in accepting the presents, expressed their thanks in suitable terms.

Dr. Hogle presented the medals and certificates to the successful candidates, and this ceremony elicited several very neat speeches.

Dr. O'Brian gave a very able and instructive medical address and an address on "Ambulance Mining" by Mr. Thos. Grahame proved of immense interest to all present.

Following is the programme as rendered and it can with truth be said that every item was thoroughly enjoyable:

Programme.

T. R. Stockett, Hon. Pres. Chair—Short Address.
William Neave—Business Minutes.
Dr. L. J. O'Brian—Medical Address.
T. Graham—Ambulance Mining Address.
J. H. Hogle—Presentation of Certificates and Medals.
T. R. Stockett—Presentation to the Doctors.
Toast—King and Canada with musical honors by the President. Mr. Mills responded to the toast of Canada.
Song—Mr. W. Allsopp.
Toast—The Western Fuel Company, proposed by Mr. J. W. McCourt, responded to by Mr. Stockett.
Song—Mr. Thomas Graham.
Toast—St. John's Ambulance Class proposed by Dr. Hogle, responded to by by Messrs. C. Graham, James Hardy and J. Shaw.
Song—Mr. W. Neave.
Toast—The Ladies, proposed by Mr. W. Allsopp, responded to by Mr. A. Andrews.
Toast—Medical profession, proposed by Mr. T. Graham, responded to by Drs. Hogle and O'Brian.
Toast—The Host, proposed Mr. T. R. Stockett, responded to by Mine Host Fox.
Toast—The President, proposed by Mr. W. Allsopp, responded to by Mr. Stockett.

Shoppers last evening were denied the pleasure of a friendly gossip at the street corners, for to indulge in long conversation was impossible. When the chatty lady opened her mouth to make some pertinent utterance, the wind blew with the result that the unfortunate lady's mouth was filled with dust. Not particularly pleasant, and the streets were cleared earlier than usual.

It is a long time since the dust of Nanaimo flew so high, and oh, how the blinded and choked ones wished the sprinkler had been at work during the day.

LITERARY NOTES.

The year's fiction is to be enriched by the publication this month of a novel by the illustrious Spanish novelist, Emilia Pardo Bazan, who has been called the creator and protagonist of Spanish realism. The story, which is evolved from a most romantic period of French history, is entitled, "The Mystery of the Lost Dauphin."

Tolstoi once said that the social problem could be solved if five men (of whom the late Henry Demarest Lloyd was one) could get together and talk it out. Now, interest is attached to Mr. Lloyd and his strenuous and interesting career by the publication of his last book, "Man, the Social Creator," which in a sense sums up the work in which he spent many years.

CRAPSEY TRIAL ENDED.

Batavia, N.Y., April 28—The fate of Algernon S. Crapsey as a clergyman of the Protestant Episcopal church rests with his judges. The trial of the Rector of St. Andrews, Rochester, on charges of heresy and violation of ordination vows ended today with the final argument of counsel for the accused and for the prosecution.

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Local Items

There will be work in the mines tomorrow.

Miss Abercrombie returned at noon from a month's visit at Mission.

Mr. G. Schenck left this morning for Vancouver, where he will remain for some time.

Mr. Jas. Dunsmuir left Ladysmith for Victoria this morning on the passenger train.

Capt. Hubbie Fulton is getting his boat house in shape for the season's yachting, preparatory to installing his new boat.

Mr. J. Smith, the photographer, took the noon train, bound for Vancouver, where he will spend a few days on business.

Capt. Quaife, assisted by Capt. Davidson and Lieutenant Davies, will conduct Salvation Army meeting in the Opera House banqueting hall at 7:30 this evening.

Among those who spent Sunday in Nanaimo were: Mrs. Ingham, Mr and Mrs. Adam, Miss Coburn and Miss Ramsay, Messrs. Akenhead, Simpson and Freethy.

Mr. C. W. Kirk, the proprietor of the merry-go-round, will be in Ladysmith until Saturday next. He is going to give the baseball club a benefit of one day this week, giving them one-half of the net proceeds on one day. The date has not been arranged as yet. Mr. Kirk also intends giving a prize of $2.50 to the best girl rider under fifteen years of age, and one of $2.50 to the best boy rider under fifteen years. The contest will be on Saturday next the judges being three Ladysmith gentlemen.

WILL BOX 15 ROUNDS

Posters are being prepared announcing the terms of the boxing contest to take place, between Jeff Hannay and Frank Fernandez. The bout will take place in the local Opera House, on May 19th, and will be for a side bet of one hundred dollars, winner to take 60 per cent of the gate receipt. The referee has been chosen, and all that remains is for the men to get into shape.

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SPORT

POSTPONE GAME.

Mr. Vipond is in receipt of a letter from Hope Herd, secretary of the Duncans Baseball club asking that the league match scheduled for Thursday next between the Duncans and local teams be postponed. Several of the Duncan players find it impossible to play on that day It is understood the Nanaimo team will agree to the postponement and will endeavor to arrange that this match take place Saturday week.

At the time of writing it is not certain if the game between Chemainus and Nanaimo baseballers will take place on Sunday as proposed, and attention may be devoted to the juniors and intermediates. There are many of the latter here, he states, who will soon be able to take their places in the first rank with credit. He also hopes to be able field for the promised Victoria Day to put a first rate bunch of men on exhibition match with the Vancouver team. A number of the old seniors have consented to turn out for that occasion, so that the younger element will be strengthened and given confidence. Mr. Yorke announces his intention to participate in exhibition games. He will be a valuable acquisition, as there is no more capable defence stick-handler in the west at the present time.

LACROSSE.

Victoria to the Front.

Mr. Lionel Yorke, who has charge of the lacrosse situation in Victoria is confident of being able to effect an improvement in the situation during the ensuing year. He thinks the proper plan has been adopted in dropping from the senior league temporarily in order that more time

Synopsis of Canadian Homestead Regulations.

Any available Dominion Lands within the Railway Belt in British Columbia, may be homesteaded by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over eighteen years of age, to the extent of one-quarter section of 160 acres, more or less.

Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situate,

The homesteader is required to perform the conditions connected therewith under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year for three years.

(2) If the father, (or mother, if the father is deceased), of the homesteader resides upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon the said land.

Six months' notice in writing should be given to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands at Ottawa of intention to apply for patent.

Coal lands may be purchased at $10 per acre for soft coal and $20 for anthracite. Not more than 320 acres can be acquired by one individual or company. Royalty at the rate of ten cents per ton of 2,000 pounds shall be collected on the gross output.

W. W. CORY,
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ture, and in support of that promise, moved a resolution to that effect. They also pointed out that he was the only man who had the work well in hand, was well known by all the junior, intermediate and senior players, and was, in fact, the very best man that could be found for the position. Mr. Brown finally consented to act for one season more upon the condition that the work be made as light as possible. Not, as he explained it, because he did not like it, but because he simply could not find the time to attend to it properly.

Vice President—Mr. Jas. Adam.

Secretary Treasurer —J. W. Lorimer.

Delegates to the B.C. League, N. A. Morrison, E. M. Whyte, J. B. Brown, J. Steele.

It was decided after the election of officers, delegates, etc., that Ladysmith would, next season, present a cup for competition for the intermediate players.

The intermediate team of Ladysmith will receive two medals each for winning the championship this year; one for the Island league, and one for the B.C. League. The Island League medals will likely be received this week.

The work of the meeting being concluded, refreshments were served and at 12 o'clock the meeting dispersed, each delegate expressing much satisfaction with the manner in which the meeting had been carried on, and the satisfactory business transacted.

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