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NANAIMO COUNCIL HOLDS STRENUOUS SESSION

At last night's session of the City Council the full board were present with Mayor Planta presiding.

After the minutes of the previous meeting had been read and adopted a communication from W. F. Norris, Secretary of the 24th of May celebration Committee was read and dealt with. The letter stated that the Committee had a small deficit and requested the Council to make good the amount.

Ald. Dick moved, seconded by Ald. Hodgson that the communication be received and the request granted.

A communication from the Secretary of the Victoria British Columbia Board of Trade was received, and discussed. The communication, which dealt with the connecting of the Mainland to Vancouver Island by a railway coming by way of Seymour Narrows, was as follows:

Victoria, B. C., June 6.

His Worship The Mayor, Nanaimo.

Dear Sir:—

I am directed by the Board of Trade to invite your attention to the recommendation of the Royal Commission on transportation in regard to the extension of the continental railway system to Vancouver Island by way of Seymour Narrows. In brief what the commissioner recommends, is that a thorough survey shall be made by the Dominion Government to ascertain the most feasible route from the plains of Alberta to the ports of Vancouver Island; and that the connecting link between the Island and the mainland should be held by the government for the use of all railway companies.

The board is informed that it is the intention of the Minister of Railways to make a preliminary investigation into the subject during the present summer, and it is quite possible that an appropriation for the survey recommended by the commission may be asked at the session of parliament, which will open in November next.

The Board has already made strong representations to the Government, asking for the investigation and survey just mentioned, and invite the co-operation of your corporation to all the same effect. The Board does not persume to dictate to you in what way you can best make your influence felt in this regard, but it suggests that you might with advantage communicate with your representative in the House of Commons at as early a day as possible in order that he may take the question up with the Minister of Railways and Canals, and the Hon. Mr. Templeman before prorogation.

Ald. Barnes moved, seconded by Ald. Dick that the communication be received, and the request of the Victoria Board of Trade, that action be taken in the matter, granted.

The motion carried.

The Finance Committee presented the Warrant book for the month of May, carrying the following accounts:

Public Works	$ 976 48
Water Works Dept.	455 39
Police Dept.	268 96
City Offices	240 07
Schools	1311 55
Fire Department	192 00
Nanaimo Cemetery	34 00
Municipal Council	115 00
Street Lighting	490 50
Charities	10 00
Miscellaneous	100 28
Total	$4194 23

The report was received and the accounts ordered paid.

The pound keeper reported one horse impounded during the past week.

The Manager's report for two weeks, ending June 9th was as follows:

Water Works Construction.	$114 95
Water W. service and rep..	47 00
Streets, Sidewalks, etc.	54 25
Total	$216 20

The reports were received and filed.

Ald. Hodgson having given notice, moved that four firemen's coats be purchased, explaining that at the first it was intended to purchase caps for the firemen, but they preferred coats, hence the change. Ald. Graham seconded and the motion carried.

Ald. Newton moved, seconded by Ald. Kirkham that six new hydrants be purchased at a maximum cost of $200.00

Ald. Knarston, Graham, and Hodgson, members of the Fire Warden's Committee, all strongly objected to limiting the amount to be paid for six hydrants, stating that it was impossible to secure good hydrants for the amount stipulated.

Ald. Hodgson moved in amendment, seconded by Ald. Knarston that hydrants be purchased at a maximum cost of $200.

Ald. Newton wished to know that in case the amendment carried, would the Fire Wardens purchase the hydrants without first consulting the Council as to the kind they were going to purchase.

Ald. Hodgson stated in reply that such would be the case. Whenever a motion was passed in the Council delegating any matter to a committee, the same committee carried it out in all details.

On being put to a vote the amendment carried.

LAWERS FORM AN ASSOCIATION IN SEATTLE

Lawyers of Seattle and King county are invited to assemble in department No. 1 of the superior court, the evening of Friday, June 15, with the object of forming an association which will bring about closer relations among the members of the profession, says the Seattle P.I. The decision to call the meeting is the result of a discussion which has gone on in court corridors for some time.

According to the plans as outlined the objects of the new association will be partly social. The advisability will be considered, at a mass meeting announced, of opening rooms in the city as permanent headquarters for the club, and to have them fitted out so as to accommodate social features as well as literary and business sessions. But the new society will not be of a social nature only. Questions of interest to the members of the bar at large will be discussed, and some effort will be made for united action where such is deemed advisable. The investigation of the conduct of dishonest members of the profession may be a part of the work of the club, and it will also devote itself to the preparation and support before the legislature of bills calculated to benefit the profession and its members.

RECORD OF SAILOR KELLY

The following is a partial record of Sailor Kelley, a letter from whom was published in yoesterday's Ledger, and who is desirous of making a match in Ladysmith with Jeff Hannay:

Kid McGaff, draw, Vallejo, four rounds.

Billy Sashelle, draw, Vallejo, ten rounds.

Billy Sashelle, won, Vallejo, fifteen rounds.

Tommy Sullivan, stopped by police, Vallejo, three rounds.

Jack Gratlery, knockout, Vancouver, one round.

Dick Green, draw, Vancouver, fourteen rounds.

Kid Arnold, knockout, Burke, Ih., five rounds.

Jack Donnlly, draw, Mullan, Idaho fifteen rounds.

Jack Donnlly, draw, Mullan, Idaho twenty rounds.

Indian Joe Gregg, lost, Newport, Wash., six rounds

Jack Maher, knockout, Rossland, four rounds.

Jack Maher, knockout, Rossland, three rounds.

Kid Tracy, won on foul, Rossland, eight rounds.

FERNWOODS MAY VISIT LADYSMITH ON THE 6TH.

The baseball club held a meeting last evening, when it was decided to forward a proposition to Victoria to the Fernwood team of that city, for a match to be played here on Sunday next. The club will likely hear by telephone this evening if the proposition is to be accepted.

A new captain was also appointed last evening to fill the vacancy caused by the absence of A. Kerr, and Mr. E. Clarke is now the local nine's captain, while Mr. J. Muir was elected vice-captain.

When the discussion for a baseball match for next Thursday afternoon came up, it was decided that a better match could not be arranged than one between the same two team which played last Thursday afternoon, and therefore these nines will likely meet again Thursday afternoon, and therefore these nines are likely to meet again. Much interest was displayed in the last event, and, in fact, since the actual game was played, it has been gone over many times both by spectators and those participating in it, and Thursday's match is looked forward to with interest. This match is to be between the town men, and the employees of the Wellington Colliery Company, and the former, it is rumored, have added to their strength by putting on two different men. They are, however, "dark horses," and, until the match is played, their names are to be kept in the background. Asked this morning if the new men were drawn from the Electric nine, the captain refused to talk. However, the colliery employees are confident that they can repeat the trick of last Thursday, when they defeated their opponents by eleven runs to ten.

WILL LECTURE ON FRUIT

New Westminster, June 12.—Mr. W J. Brandrith, secretary of the B. C. Fruit Growers' association, came up from his home at Boundary Bay yesterday to make arrangements for the regular itinerary of the executive committee of the association.

Meetings will be held early in July at Kaslo, Nelson, Creston and Cranbrook, and will be addressed by Thos. A. Bryden, president of the association on "Planting and Pruning"; J. C. Metcalfe, on "Small Fruits"; and Maxwell Smith, Dominion Fruit Inspector, on "Orchard Cultivation."

Concurrently, meetings will be held at Fairview, Keremeos, Penticton, Summerland, Armstrong, Enderby and Salmon Arm, and will be addressed by R. M. Palmer, on "Marketing and Transportation"; Mr. H. Kipp on "Cultivation of the Orchard"; and W. J. Brandrith, on "Spraying," and the "Work of the Association."

The whole executive committee will wind up the itinerary by a meeting at Revelstoke. The exact dates of these meetings will be announced at an early date.

TEN-DOLLAR-A-WEEK WIVES.

Chicago.—Diplomas certifying that the recipients are qualified to keep house for husbands receiving $10 a week were given yesterday to several young women at Chicago Commons. The graduates, all of whom are to be married soon, were members of a class in economical housekeeping and cooking.

The economical graduates offered these in the way of exhibits of breakfasts, luncheons and dinners that were attractive, had cost little and were palatable. Each dish bore a card indicating its cost. A breakfast was shown that was prepared at an expense of 19 cents and would suffice for four persons. Dinners ranged somewhat more expensive one consisting of meat, two vegetables, a salad and a pudding for four, being rated at 40 cents.—Chicago Daily News.

THAT'S THE POINT.

Say the Seattl "P.-I." "In giving the bandits life sentences that Kamloops judge was evidently doing all he could to discourage train robbery in British Columbia.

GENERAL MEETING THIS EVENING OF SPORTS COMMITTEES

Tonight a meeting of the general committee and sub-committees of the Dominion Day Celebration will be held at seven o'clock in the city hall for the purpose of hearing the reports of the various sub-committees, and forming some estimate of the amount of money which will be available for celebration purposes.

Since the last meeting the collection committee report very fair progress, and have still a goodly number to hear from, besides, of course, whatever the men of the mines donate after next pay-day. At Camp 6, Mr. D. Thomas has collected something like forty dollars, which is considered a very substantial subscription, and shows the good-will of the men working at the camp. Camp Five has not yet been heard from, but it is expected that Mr. Griffin, who was appointed collector for this camp will report shortly. The shingle mill has not yet been canvassed, but the foreman has expressed his willingness to no so as soon as he is supplied with the necessary blank form.

The regatta committee has an excellent programme to submit to the meeting this evening, which consists of many novelty races and events, besides boat and swimming races. One of the features of the program will be a 100-yard swimming contest for the championship of Vancouver Island. However, the programme is liable to change at the meeting this evening, and until after same, it is impossible to give a detailed account of the events which are to take place.

The sports committee, it is understood, have on their programme, both a football match and a baseball match, the latter between a team from Nanaimo, and the former between the local eleven and the Celtics of Vancouver. Since the drafting of this prohramme, however the Secretary has received word from the Vancouver Eagles that from the present outlook it will be impossible to secure an excursion boat for the day, and therefore the football match may have to be called off. However, this will all be decided at the meeting this evening.

RUSSIA FEARS REVOLT

Poltava, South Russia, June 11—An open mutiny has broken out in the Eletz regiment of infantry over the failure of military authorities to redeem the pledge regarding the amelioration of service conditions made as a result of last fall's revolt. The mutiny threatens to spread to the rest of the garrison. The police and the small force of loyal Cossacks are unable to cope with the mutineers who are armed with rifles and have a supply of ball cartridges.

They left their barracks in a body yesterday afternoon, and held a meeting in a public square in which delegates from the Sesky regiment of infantry, and the artillery brigade promised that these forces would join in the mutiny today.

The chief of police in advancing with the hope of dispersing the mob was fired at but not wounded. The Eletz regiment again left its barracks at midnight, and marched with a band playing to the noncommissioned officers school, the members of which joined the mutineers. The latter while returning to their barracks disarmed and beat policemen whom they met. The public are greatly excited anticipating that the revolutionists will seize the opportunity to inaugurate anarmed revolt in support of the mutineers.

GOES CRAZY.

New Westminster, June 12.—A Chinaman appeared at the police station today and asked the officers if they had found a little Chinese boy. The boy had not been seen by the police, and John went on to explain that he had been working for a lady near the Crescent and she had accused him of stealing some money. This injured his dignity so badly that he went crazy. Detective Bradshaw went away with the Oriental to investigate the trouble.

WORK DONE AT COUNCIL MEETING

Ald. Malone Occupies Mayor's Chair--Council Cannot Help Celebration

Ditch on First Ave. and Kitchener St. Discussed--Ald. Tha Wants Pound out of City

Ald. Malone occupied the Mayor's chair at the Council meeting last evening, owing to the absence of the latter from the city. While not much business came up for consideration, there was considerable discussion of various works being carried on within the city, amongst which was the new drain on Kitchener St. and First Avenue. The work thus far has cost $71, and some of the aldermen were of the opinion that considerable more money will have to be expended before the ditch is in readiness for use.

Ald. Uren thought that tiling should be put in as soon as possible as he thought that if the ditch was left long uncovered, it would commence to cave, and the work would have to be done all over again.

Ald. Tha was of the opinion that this should be done, and thought that nothing less than 18-inch tiling should be used, as he thought that a large body of water would pass through the drain during the rainy season, and if the council put in too small a pipe, it would have to be done all over again.

Ald. Patterson thought the idea all right, but wanted to know where the money was coming from. Eighteen inch tiling cost $1.10 a foot, and it would take at least $374 worth to complete the ditch as far as the cabins on Kitchener street."

Ald. Uren suggested that the council lay tiling as far as possible at present, and cover the remainder of the ditch with boards until such a time as it could be completed properly. He would be decidedly opposed to any plan to put in smaller pipes in order to lessen the expense, as he thought that a time would come shortly when it would have to be done all over again. "And then, he concluded, "Ike Gould would have a laugh."

Ald. Tha thought there certainly should be something done to prevent any likelihood of an accident. In the present condition of the ditch a child might fall in and break its neck, and in his opinion that would cost the city far more than any tiling would.

The Mayor had suggested to the aldermen that the question of field pipes be looked into. He understood they could be obtained for about one-fourth the cost of the regular tiling.

After further discussion, the matter was laid over for future consideration.

Col. Tracey, to whom the city clerk had written asking what date he could come to Ladysmith to make surveys of Bush and McLeod creeks, wrote, stating that it would be impossible for him to come before another ten days, as he had considerable work on hand at the present time.

In referring to the letter, Ald. Spence asked the city clerk if he had received any further information on the question as to who have water rights on McLeod Creek. It will be remembered that at the last meeting of the council, Ald. Spence had informed the council that he understood the Chemainus Lumber Company had the water rights of McLeod Creek, and accordingly the clerk had been instructed to ascertain if this was the case. Upon being informed last night that no further information had been received on the matter by the clerk, Ald. Spence moved that the letter of Col. Tracey be laid over until such time as the council were in possession of further information regarding the water rights of both creeks. This motion carried.

Mr. J. Goodfellow, of the C.P.R., in reply to a letter from the council asking for permission to build a road across their tracks below the city for the use of the city scavenger, stated that the company would have no objections to such crossing, providing the council signed the usual Private Crossing agreement and would take all responsibility for any accident which might occur at such crossing.

Acting Mayor Malone thought that as long as the government had started a road to the waterfront since the letter to the railway company had been written, it would now be unnecessary for the city to put in a crossing, and accordingly the clerk was instructed to write Mr. Goodfellow to this effect.

A letter from Mr. Robinson, local agent for the railway company, stated that he had referred the claim of $1.60, made by the city for some broken tiling which had been broken in transit, to the claims agent of the company, and the same had been refused. The clerk was instructed to inform the company from whom the tiling was purchased, and withold same from amount of bill.

Mr. Jas. Adam, secretary of the Celebration Committee, wrote, asking the council for a donation towards the sports to be held here on July 2nd. In making a motion on the letter, Ald. Patterson stated that while he would like to see the council donate $200 if they could spare it, at present he thought they were not in a position to give anything. He was of the opinion that the streets needed the money expended on them more than the celebration did. The rest of the aldermen were of the same opinion, and while they would like to have donated something, could not at this time see their way clear to do so, and accordingly the clerk was instructed to write Mr. Adam explaining the decision.

In the passing of accounts the matter of the cost of the road which has recently been cut through near the school came up. The bill amounted to $12.00, and Ald. Malone thought that that this was too much. He has been with the street committee, Alds. Spence and Uren, when they looked over the ground, and they had all agreed that two men could do the work in one day, or at least three men, and he thought $12 was pretty big wages for three men to receive for one day's work, and he understood that two men had done same.

Ald. Uren had also understood that two men, by working a long shift, could do the work in one day.

Ald. Spence, to whom the work had been left of hiring men, replied that he thought the work had been very reasonably done, and invited the aldermen to inspect same. Several roots had been cut out, besides the other work, and the men employed had commenced work before six o'clock in the morning, and stayed until after six at night.

Ald. Patterson thought that the street committee should stay together when a work of this kind was to be done, and not leave it all for one man to do. He thought if they all arrived at a decision, this would leave no ground for complaint afterwards. The bill was referred to the finance committee, to be paid if found correct.

The new fence around the city hall cost in the neighborhood of $28, and the bill was also referred to the finance committee.

Regarding the finding of a new location for a pound, the street committee reported that as yet they had been unable to secure a building to put dogs in which would be away

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NANAIMO NEWS NOTES

Nanaimo, B.C., June 12.—

Mrs. Wm. Moore of Fernie is spending a three week's visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. McLennan of the Five Acres.

The steamer Waialeale, of the Cook steamship lines is expected to arrive this afternoon on her first trip from Seattle to this port. She is scheduled to leave Nanaimo on her return trip tomorrow at 6 p.m.

The funeral of the late Mrs. W. Pringle took place on Sunday afternoon from the family residence to the Nanaimo cemetery. Mr. Davis of Wellington conducted the funeral services which were very impressive The following gentlemen acted as pall bearers. Messrs. S. Jones, S. Totterdale, J. Haggart, E. Scott, J. Turner and H. McAdie, sr.

In the Presbyterian Manse on Saturday night, the Rev. J. M. Millar officiated at a double wedding. The contracting parties were Mr. J. Lockney of Extension and Miss. Edith Laird of Waterloo. and Mr. F. Laird and Miss. Bella Hope of Nanaimo. The latter couple will reside in this city while Mr. and Mrs. Lockney will make their home at Extension.

SINC IN GOOD FORM.

A glimpse in at Sinc Swanson's training quarters in the Athletic club these days of strenuous preparation for the big match with Matsuda on Saturday night, will convince any one that Sinc in in fine fettle and can de depended upon to put up a whirlwind bout. Yesterday morning he went on with some of the city's best mat artists, taking one after the other and at the close of the go was still going strong and still capable of putting up a pretty stiff argument

On Saturday night the top tier of seats will be reserved for the ladies.

COULDN'T STAND THAT.

"Why did you break your engagement."

"She couldn't cook."

"Why, you knew that long ago."

"Yes, but she told me the other day that she intended to learn."—Cleveland leader.

CORRESPONDENCE

The Herald this morning publishes the following letter:

Mr. Editor—

We have read in a copy of The Herald which we borrowed the other day, that various things are talked of in Nanaimo, that you and some other people call improvements, and I have been deputized by the Knocker Club to write you, expressing our strong disapproval of things that your paper is advocating, such as more steamships, new companies going to work, fixing up streets and sidewalks, painting houses, talking about clearing up land and staring fruit farms, bringing mining men in and tourists and a whole lot of other rot that people like yourself dont know any better than to advocate. We, the members of the club have lived here a long time. We like the quiet life we are leading and do not propose to be driven out of town by the tooting of automobiles, nor elbowed off the side walk by a lot of visitors without asserting our rights. Take for instance the new steamboat from Seattle every other day, it will only cause us annoyance and make the town noisy with its inquisitive loads of rich Yankees. what do we want of them? You say they will spend money in town, will help out the hotels and stores, give the livery stablemen a boost, and so forth, but how does this help us? Our Club has been in existence for a good many years and are enjoying life, all this bustle will be harmful to us and we may lose membership. As for the places of business that you say would be benefitted by it, we are not here for their sake. We buy every thing we can outside of town, and always have, it may not be any saving in quality or price, but it is a satisfaction to know that the business people here do not handle our money at any rate. It is reported that some chap thinks houses should be painted and fences and yards fixed up. What's the use? It would cost some money and time to do it and the club thinks things look well enough as it is. As for opening up mines or clearing of land we don't know whether we have any mines on Vancouver Island or not. It would cost a lot of money to find out and after spending a lot of time and cash in opening up quartz ledges, even if they do look good on the surface they might not prove good and men might loose their money. We strongly object to any one coming in and taking such chances. If the work in the coal mines keeps up we can get along the same as we have in former years, especially if the herring run is good in the harbor. We know men right her in Nanaimo who have lost money in real estate, could not sell it now for half as much as they paid for it twenty years ago, yet in the face of this some people in town are trying to get up some excitement, about railway lands, mines, tourist business, etc., to try to get people to come in here and lose their money. Sir, the Knocker Club objects. Let well enough alone, do not attempt to disturb the calm and peaceful conditions. In Vancouver and Seattle, we hear the people are crazy over railways and real estate. There is no reason why there should be. Nanaimo has better lands, scenery, better mineral showings on the Island, the best climate of any place on the Pacific coast, great timber, rich agricultural lands, the best trout streams and hunting fields in the world, and yet we have lived here a great many years and have not got excited. We have not read all of the foolish things that the Nanaimo newspapers are advocating. We don't take home papers, you can get bigger ones for our money by sending east where paper and printers wages are not so high. The Montreal Star and Eaton's are good enough for us. And now sir I think I have said enough to give you a fair idea of the views of our club, and will close, only adding, that we the Knockers are to a man opposed to what you call modern improvements, and do not want to see the peace and quietness of Nanaimo disturbed by the noise of traffic, nor the business of tradesmen

I will not sign my name, but only the Secretary of the

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NOTICE.

I, the undersigned Jane McMillan, administratrix of John Hugh McMillan, deceased, hereby give notice that I intend at the next sitting of the Board of License Commissioners for the district of South Nanaimo, to be holden at Ladysmith on the 15th day of June, 1906, to make application to that honorable body for a transfer of the hotel licenses to sell intoxicating liquors under the provisions of the Statutes on that behalf, in the premises known and described as the Tunnel Hotel at Extension, British Columbia, from the said John Hugh McMillan to Alexander J. McMillan.

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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,
Deputy of the Minister of Interior

Ask for Minard's and take no other

OPEN AIR MEETING

Nanaimo, B.C., June 12.—

Mr. J. H. Hawthornthwaite, Nanaimo's member in the Provincial House addressed a large open air meeting in front of the Socialist hall on Saturday night. Mr. Cartwright acted as chairman and in a few brief remarks introduced Mr. Hawthornthwaite as the speaker of the evening. The local men, who was liberally applauded upon his stepping out on the platform said that arrangement had been made by the Socialist party some time since for a tour of the Dominion. It looked, however, as if the McBride government intended to spring an election upon the country and he (the speaker) did not intend that labor should be caught napping, therefore so far as he was concerned the tour would not be extended outside the province.

The Socialist vote of last election of 7,000, predicted 20,000 next. They would contest every seat if possible. Touched on Boosters Club and Board of Trade. So long as they confined efforts to advertising the town and wares all right, but did not propose to allow them unmolested to interfere in labor matters.

City Council or Mayor proposed to get out the band to meet the Seattle excursion of business people coming over next Friday to look over the town. The speaker recommended that workers put on their best clothes and wear their most prosperous looks, and extend a cordial invitation to these Yankee exploiters. They had a taste of their methods here now, and would probably appreciate some more capitalist prosperity. The speaker criticised severly the action of the government in allowing Williams, head game warden to tour the country boosting the C. P. R. People didnt want game reserves in the E. & N. belt or the game preserved for the benefit of tourists and globe trotters. He would sooner see every head of game in the country killed than this state of affairs established.

The position of workers in Nanaimo, which had been named in the House during the debate on the 8-hour law a "Paradise of the Workers." If this paradise 'beyond' was anything like that, he the speaker, would take his chance in Hades.

He had been cajoled by labor skaters to contract to sell their labor power at a low figure, possibly below market value. Certain hard conditions were imposed, speaker quoted the Pithead Court House record, which existed no where else in the British Empire on such harsh lines. They were a lot of chumps to stand for that said the speaker, but cheer up, the worst was yet to come. Capitalist development inevitably meant worse conditions for the worker.

Why concentrate efforts to secure trivial advantage in wages when on an average they were robbed by capitalist production out of four-fifths of the value of the product. They produced their own wages and produced in addition the capital that was used to exploit them.

This brought up the question of competition if co-operative commonwealth was established. If some one would tell him how the workers, men, women and children, could be compensated for what they had suffered, and what they had been robbed out of he would sit up all night to consider the question of compensation to the capitalist. Capitalist production was based upon the exploitation and robbing of the worker. It was a sneaking rascally proposition that only required to be comprehended to be universally repudiated.

Someone had said that Socialists did not propose to distribute the product of labor fairly, that men should be rewarded according to their intelligence. That, said the speaker, would be better than present methods. For instance James Dunsmuir, the present Lieut. Governor just appointed by our Liberal friends was making about fifty thousand a month out of his men in favorable times, and Mickey Dillon, the most popular young man in town with about $2 per day, when lucky enough to get work. If these men were to be rewarded upon the bases of intelligence Mickey would come out head and shoulders over Dunsmuir.

The speaker next attended to Columbia and Western Land Grant. He had voted against every subsidy bill that had come up in the house, but this grant had been made by the Semlin government in 1898 after it had lapsed. When a law was once made he believed in carrying it out. The C. & W. Company were to be given the grant if they built a certain line of railway. The Company built the line and they were certainly entitled to the grant. The house was not asked to decide whether it favored a bonus or not, but simply whether the company had carried out its contract. He would have preferred not to have voted at all, but was forced to do so owing to the fact that the defeat of the measure meant the defeat of the government, and with it the loss of some of the most important legislation that had ever been enacted in this province. He referred particularly to the reduction of the election deposit of $200 required from candidates, and the alteration in the act allowing men to transfer their votes up to thirty days before an election. The weekly pay bill had also passed its second reading by a large majority and looked as if it might become law. He would deal with these matters fully when he met some of his Liberal and Conservative opponents on the platform. It might be well to remember, however, that Dr. McKechnie was the President of the Council in the Semlin Government, and Hon. J. Martin, another prominent liberal attorney general. Mr. Smith was also a supporter. These men should never have re-enacted the Columbia and Western Railway grant. He touched briefly on the Kaien Island deal, asserting that no evidence of corruption had been produced. The Grand Trunk Pacific had asked McBride for a free grant of about six million acres of land to necessitate construction of their line in this province. All they received was ten thousand acres and had to pay for that, the government reserving every fourth section for the province and every second fraction of the water front.

However, continued the speaker, these questions of railways and land did not concern the wage worker. He was robbed at the point of production and not by any land grants or money grants either. The money had already been taken from him and the land has never belonged to the people since the days of primitive man and savagery.

The workers would never remedy their troubles until the red flag of labor floated over every house of legislation in the civilized world.

PECULIAR AND PERTINENT.

John Williams is a labor member of the British parliament. Before entering politics he was ordained as a Congregational minister, and still preaches.

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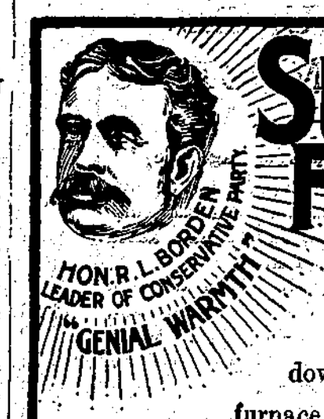

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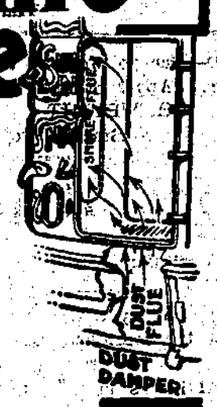

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Justice Holmes is one of the most peculiar judges the supreme court has ever known. In order that he may preserve his mind free from distractions of information and misinformation that woul impair his efficiency and wisdom as a jurist, he does not allow himself to read the newspapers.

Andrew Carnegie has promised $12,500 to Morris Brown college, Atlanta, for an industrial building, in case a certain sum is reached. The college was founded in 1881 by the colored people of Georgia. Students in attendance come from 28 states of the union, and from Africa, Cuba, Jamaica and Bermuda, numbering about 1000 in all.

Warren Belcher, for 53 years postmaster at Winthrope, Mass., has resigned to be succeeded by his son, David Belcher. In time of service, he was the oldest postmaster in the United States.

Molybendite is now being exported to the United Kingdom from Norway, the deposits near Flekkefjord having, it is understood, been sold to a British company. The production in 1905 is given as about 29 tons.

Constantinople has six different sources of water supply. Some of these are constructed by the present sultans, but the fountain made it possible for even the poorest to get pure water at any time.

COULD AFFORD TO STAND PAT.

"I can't understand why they called Henry VIII. 'Bluff King Hal.'"

"Well, why not?"

"A man with six queens doesn't need to bluff."—Cleveland Leader.

ROOM FOR HOPE.

"I have been misquoted," said the new congressman.

"Well," answered the experienced statesman, "wait and see how it turns out. Sometimes a man is lucky to be misquoted."—Washington Star.

IS "POSTED"

Weeks—I hear Jayboy is thinking of buying a place in the country on installments.

Sweet—How much has he got of it so far.?

Weeks—I believe he's got the lawn mower.— Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

UNKNOWN FRIENDS.

There are many people who have used Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with splendid results, but who are unknown because they have hesitated about giving a testimonial of their experience for publication. These people, however, are none the less friends of the remedy. They have done much to make it a household word by their personal recommendations to friends and neighbors. It is a good medicine to have in the home and is widely known for its cures of diarrhoea and all forms of bowel trouble. For sale by Ladysmith Pharmacy.

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Smelter Foreman.

Local Items

Ask for Capital and Nugget Cigars

Mrs. D. Comley arrived in Ladysmith on the morning train.

S.S. Alki was in port this morning on her way north. She took on bunker coal.

The tug Tepic was in today with two scows for coal for the Mainland.

Try Capital and Nugget Cigars

Mr. J. Kitto, of the Tyee Smelter, staff, returned at noon today from Victoria, where he has been spending a few days.

Work on the new government road leading from the Esplanade to the beach below the Transfer wharf is progressing, there being ten men employed on construction today.

Mr. H. Macklin, local manager for Messrs. Simon Leiser & Co., returned last evening from Vancouver, where he had been on business.

As will be seen by an advertisement on this page, the Tyee Smelter is advertising for men today. The smelter will commence operations on Saturday next.

None Better-Capital & Nugget Cigars

Mr. J. J. Bland, has received instructions from the E. & N. Land department to have the three old cabins, situated near the provincial jail, torn down and destroyed. Work on one of them commenced this morning.

As will be seen by a notice in another column, the firm of Pannell & Plaskett has dissolved partnership, and Mr. Pannell will now conduct the business under his name in the future.

Union made-Capital & Nugget Cigars

Mrs. M. Ingham was a passenger to Nanaimo at noon today. It will be remembered that tomorrow is the day set for the operation on Mr. Ingham, who has been confined to the Nanaimo hospital for so many months, and Mrs. Ingham will remain by his bedside until after the operation is performed.

Geneva.—The cafe proprietors of Berne having clubbed together in order to do away with the bock af beer by raising its price 5 centimes and serving smaller glasses, a group af inhabitants have formed a society to frustrate the scheme. The new society is called "Vierderiliteraleagitationskommissiondeldgrtenversammlungspetition," a word of just sixty-seven letters. I counted them during a long drive.— London Pall Mall Gazette.

A burly, broad-shouldered man passed through the gates at the Central station a few days ago, and hurried with his two solid looking suit cases towards a Pullman porter who stood stiffly and erect beside the steps of a parlor car attached to the train. The passenger who was long on suit cases but short on breath, asked the proud looking porter:

"Does this train stop at Rahway?"

"No, sah," replied the negro, in a superior manner. "This train do not stop at Rahway, sah. It do not even hesitate at Rahway."

THE COUNCIL MEETING

(Continued from Page One)

from the city. He had spoken to one gentleman who lived a short distance from town, and he had asked $6.00 per month rent.

Ald. Tha suggested that the clerk be instructed to write the C.P.R., asking permission to erect a small building on some of their property just outside the city limits to be used as a pound. He thought the railway company would have no objection to this, and it would do away with the necessity of paying any rent at all. The building would not cost much. This suggestion will be carried out, and the clerk will write.

Under the head of new business, Alderman Patterson stated that he thought it was about time some work should be done on the streets in his ward. As yet no work had been done there, while considerable had been carried on in other sections of the city. One of the aldermen advised him to wait until the stump-puller arrived, when the matter could be dealt with.

Those present at last night's meeting were: Acting Mayor Malone, Aldermen Tha, Spence, Patterson and Uren.

Try a Province Cigar.

SPORT NOTES.

Miss Margery Belle, of the University of Chicago, is now the champion long-distance baseball thrower among women. Her mark is 204 feet 2 inches. The record was formerly held by a student at Smith college The longest authentic throw by a man is credited to John Hatfield, 400 feet, 7½ inches.

Altizer, shortstop for Lancaster in the Tristate league, has been signed by Washington to fill the weak spot caused by the sudden death of Joe Cassidy. He has been the leading batter in the Tristate, and his fielding has been brilliant. Last year, he was with Springfield in the Connecticut league, and batted .344 in ninety-one games.

New York must be hard-up for fighting talent when such "has beens" as Gus Ruhlin and Sandy Ferguson are billed as the principle attractions They batted each other around for six rounds, and at the end each was pretty well tired out, but still able to count money. Press reports say that Ferguson was the cleverer of the two, but that Ruhlin could hit the harder. If Ferguson is clevener than Ruhlin, what an imposition it has been to keep Ruhlin before the public for many years as a continual challenger of heavy-weight champions

Princeton has the strongest baseball team that has represented the orange and black for many years and the chances are good for winning the college championship. They have won twelve out of seventeen games. Yale Cornell and Harvard come after Princeton in the order named.

John Moakley, who trained the victorious Cornell intercollegiate track and field team, is now coming in for considerable public attention. He is a modest fellow, keeping well in the background. It has come to light that Cornell expected to win, knowing full well the strength of her distance men.

NOTICE.

The partnership hitherto existing between Messrs. Pannell & Plaskest, butchers, has this day been dissolved. The business will be carried on by Mr. E. G. Pannell, who will assume all liabilities, and all debts owing to the said firm, shall be paid to him.

Dated 11th June, 1906.

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FLATTERED.

Miss Koy—He seemed to have a high opinion of my common sense. He said of all the girls he knew I was the only one he couldn't flatter.

Ascum—And did that please you?

Miss Koy—Of course.

Ascum—Ah! then you're just like the other girls he knows.—Washington Star.

Try a Province Cigar.

FICTION.

Wise—The current magazines have an unusual amount of illustrated fiction in them.

Krankley—That's what! I saw a picture in one of them today f a fellow smiling happily while he scraped his face with Somebody & Co.'s safety razor.—Philadelphia Press.

Smoke a Big B Cigar.

Picnicers Attention!!

Commencing Sunday next, I will conduct a refreshment stand for the convenience of picnicers and camping parties on the Green Spot opposite the boathouse, and near Shell Beach. Refreshments, Ice Cream, Lunches, etc., served at reasonable prices.

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