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There is No Coal Camp in British Columbia That Has as Good Prospects as Has Ladysmith

It has been well said by some later day publisher that "the main thing is not to worry" and the advice is good. When one sees, as is in the Vancouver World under date of March 22nd, a "special" from Nanaimo about the Ladysmith mines, it recalls the proverb forcibly. The "Special" says:

Nanaimo, B. C., March 22.—(Special)—With every car full of coal and the big bunkers loaded to the top, the mines of the Wellington Colliery Company have closed down because there is nowhere to put the coal that is coming out of them. Oyster Harbor is empty and no vessel is expected there for some little time. Under the circumstances the miners will have an enforced holiday for the present.

In order to work the Extension mines to the best advantage the single shift system which was introduced here by the Western Fuel Company is to be employed. This will necessitate the discharging of several hundred men.

One to read such a despatch would, if not acquainted with Ladysmith and its resources, suppose that the mines were worked out and the town dead, but let us look on the other side for a moment.

The mines are working today, and so far as is now known, will work as is usual during the season. It is true that some two hundred men were laid off, and a single shift system is at present installed. This, by the way, instead of being a Nanaimo innovation, has been, until of late years, the regular practice, or at least at times, of the Wellington Collieries. It is equally true that there have been times, years ago, when the mines for months at a time would only work from six to sixteen shifts per month. When the coal trade revived or other conditions improved full time was worked and slow times speedily forgotten.

Superintendent Andrew Bryden, of the Wellington Colliery Company was seen yesterday at his home in the city, and asked to give The Ledger, so far as he could, anything pertaining to the coal mines tributary to the city of Ladysmith, which he very kindly did.

"The short-line," said Mr. Bryden, "from Extension is being pushed along as rapidly as possible. It will take about three months to finish and put in good condition the bridge and approaches to the Nanaimo River bridge. It is the expectation of the company to have the grading, tracklaying, etc. finished all along the line by the time the bridge is in operation. The Company intend to open up the McKay Lake mines, on this side of Nanaimo River, and in these mines there is a great amount of coal already prospected."

"In fact," continued Mr. Bryden, "the coal at Extension is not a patch upon the McKay fields. The quality of coal is the best on the Island, and it will be mined by slopes cheaply and easily. Of the coal fields between Extension and Ladysmith," Mr. Bryden added, "it is safe to say no part of the Island can compare with them, and the best coal on the Pacific Coast is on Vancouver Island. I have no hesitation in saying that the City of Ladysmith will be a prosperous and thriving town for at least a great many years to come, as coal is always in demand, greater at one time than another. But the Ladysmith mines can mine and sell its coal when others cannot have to close because of its quality and quantity."

Mr. Bryden's remarks on the lines above indicated certainly sound most encouraging, and make the future for Ladysmith appear good. Other miners, familiar with conditions, state emphatically that there is coal enough in sight tributary to Ladysmith to last a hundred years. Those familiar with the prospecting work done near McKay Lake and down on Haslam flats say the coal found there is eight feet thick and with scarcely any dirt.

The Wellington Colliery Company are putting in a large amount of money in the construction of the new railway from the mines to the waterfront, they have already wharves and a washer which cost many thousands of dollars, and the company intend extensive alterations and improvements in bunkers etc. for handling large amounts of coal. The C.P.R. have announced their intention of building bunkers in Victoria, so that large quantities of coal will be required to supply Victoria, as it will be sold, Mr. Marpole states, to steamers, many of which now coal in Washington.

It must be remembered in connection with slack times in Ladysmith that a few months ago few men were working in Nanaimo, and not half time is being put in by men in the Puget Sound collieries. It is sufficient to add that if any coal mines on the Pacific Coast can work, the Ladysmith mines can, for coal of the best grade and in the greatest quantities is found here and it can be put in the bunkers for less money than can any other coal on Vancouver Island.

Any business man who considers the above stated conditions will have little occasion to worry about times getting worse.

VOTE OF CONFIDENCE

Rome, March 24.—The Italian Cabinet, headed by acting Premier and Minister of Foreign Affairs Tittoni, received a vote of confidence in the Chamber of Deputies today. The government's majority being 120.

READY FOR SUMMER.

Winnipeg, Man., March 24.— The Winnipeg exhibition opens Jule 20. No manager will be appointed, the duties of the office falling to the chairmen of the various committees. Some farmers have started seeding in Rostpon and Birt districts. Manitoba and territories are free of snow and springlike conditions prevail.

EMPEROR AT SEA.

Dover, March 24.—The Hamburg-American line steamer Hamburg, from Cuxhaven, yesterday with Emperor William on board, bound for the Mediterranean, called here today for despatches and proceeded. Salutes were exchanged between the escorting armored cruiser Priz Friedrich Marl.

KILLED IN PRIZE FIGHT

Philadelphia, March 24.—John Hill, a negro pugilist, is in a dying condition at St. Agnes Hospital as the result of a six-round bout last night with Kid Dorsey, also colored, at the Broadway Athletic Club. At the sixth round of the bout, which had been hotly contested, Hill was knocked unconscious.

GENERAL TRACEY DEAD.

Albany, N.Y., March 24.—Former Congressman (better known as General Charles Tracey) died at his home here early today. He had been ill for some months. Pope Pius cabled to General Tracey last Monday the papal benediction. General Tracey was born in Albany 57years ago. While studying in Europe he enlisted in the Papal Zouaves, and served two terms. On June 14, 1883, General Tracey married Miss Hermine Duchessnay, of Montreal, who, with four children and his brother, James Tracey of this city, survive.

CODY LOSES DIVORCE SUIT

Judge Said "Buffalo's" Wife Was Too Good For Him

Sheridan, Wyo., March 23.—Colonel Wm. F. Cody, (Buffalo Bill) today lost his suit for divorce from Louisa Cody. Judge Scott, of the district court decided that the charges of attempts on the part of Mrs. Cody to poison her husband and allegations had not been proven. Judge Scott asserted that the testimony showed that Mrs. Cody had always been a good mother and a fond and indulgent wife. Judge Scott said:

"The first cause of action in this suit is the charge of poisoning on December 16. The evidence wholly fails to support this issue, but shows the defendant was trying to rescue the plaintiff from a state of intoxication and administered, not poison, but remedies which she deemed beneficial to him. His inability to speak on this occasion did not come from these remedies, but came from his extensive use of intoxicants."

Judge Scott also found that there was no evidence that she had even threatened her husband's life and that when attending the funeral of her daughter Arta at Rochester, N. Y., in February, 1904, she offered a permanent reconciliation and no answer ever came to this.

"She was an over indulgent wife who always took pride in his success and always looked forward to his homecoming and made great preparations to receive him," said Judge Scott. "She entertained his guests with cordiality. She did not use profane language. The poisoning of his dogs was purely accidental. She never spoke disrespectfully of him to his friends or guests. In her home she has a large statue of him in her hall and in her bedroom she has his protrait done by a famous painter. In return for this wifely devotion, the plaintiff has been cruel to her, and heaped indignities upon her."

Col. Cody's attorneys moved for a new trial.

ICE HOUSE BUNRS.

Chicago, Ills., March 24.—Storage ice houses, containing almost 150,000 tons of ice, belonging to Swift and Company, have been burned. Before the first fire company arrived the buildings, valued at $86,000, were stroyed and most of the contents, valued at $80,000, had slid back into the lake from which it was taken during the winter.

PROTESTS.

Brussels, March 24.—The protests of the Belgian Government and of the French and Belgian bondholders of Santo Domingo are said to be due to Santo Domingo's non-observance of the agreement concluded with these bondholders June 3, 1901, to pay towards the service of the public debts $25,000 monthly out of the customs receipts of Santo Domingo.

REFUSE TO ARBITRATE

Washington, March 24.—Minister Bowen cabled the State Department from Caracas that President Castro had flatly refused to arbitrate the pending issues between Venezuela and the United States.

The Administration will take no action in regard to the reply which President Castro, of Venezuela, made to Minister Bowen. The matter was fully discussed at the cabinet meeting today, and it was determined to allow the matter to await development. The situation is considered such as not necessary to interfere with the departure of the President on his southwestern trip.

MEXICAN AMBASSADOR ILL

Washington, Mar. 24.—The condition of Senior Aspirz, the Mexican Ambassador, who is seriously ill, continues very grave. He is said to be losing ground steadily.

FIFTEEN DAYS IN A TRANCE

YOUNG WOMAN DIES AFTER UNUSUAL EXPERIENCE

THE STRANGE CASE PUZZLES THE DOCTORS

(Associated Press Despatches.)

New York, March 24.—One of the most remarkable cases in the experience of the doctors of the Presbyterian hospital in this city ended today in the death of Miss Luella Huestis, of Mount Vernon, who, with her mother, Mrs. James H. Huestis, had been in a trance for fifteen days prior to her death.

More than two weeks ago both women were found unconscious in the home of Henry W. Helfer, a well known lawyer of this city, who was acting as their council, and on whom they had called for legal advice. They were supposed to have been asphyxiated by gas. Neither had since recovered consciousness, and physicians and hypnotists were puzzled by their unaccountable condition.

Miss Heustis was an attractive young woman, 22 years old. Lack of nourishment was the principal cause of her death, as it had been impossible to give her food except in liquid form, and this through a tube. When she began to show signs of failing, vital stimulents and oxygen were administered, but she died with very slight change in her appearance.

A singular fact is that the young woman's mother, who lay in an adjoining room, began to show signs of the approach of death soon after the death of her daughter. Like her daughter, the mother is also greatly emaciated, and the physicians at the hospital say that her low vitality is due practically to starvation.

Until yesterday it had been expected both women would eventually be aroused from their coma. Superintendent Fisher, of the Presbyterian hospital, said today that it was the most remarkable case he had ever treated.

"We are at a loss to account for it," he said. "The cases have attracted the attention of men of science all over the country, but no theory that can be advanced has been any service to us."

—One specialist in Hypnotism and Psycholigic, who investigated the case has made public his conclusion that the two women had unconsciously hypnotized each other, and that the asphyxiation theory is entirely wrong.

LICENSES WILL BE REFUSED

Government Will Not Permit Americans to Fish for Bait

St. John, Nfld., March 24.— The Newfoundland government has ordered the customs collectors throughout the Island to refuse American fishing vessels licenses to procure bait in Colonial waters, because the United States backed the Bond-Hay treaty. The advocates of retaliation against Americans say they can make the crusade as effective against Gloucester as they have already made it against St. Pierre.

CASTRO'S REPLY.

Berlin, March 24.—The foreign office, replying to an inquiry of the Associated Press as to whether the report that Great Britain and Germany were pressing San Domingo for a settlement of the claims of the British and German subjects was correct, said the German government was satisfied to leave San Domingo and her obligations to foreigners entirely in the hands of the United States, and that consequently Germany was not pressing San Domingo for the payments of debts due to German subjects.

It is announced from Caracas, Venezuela today, that President Castro replied to Minister Bowen's formal proposition for arbitration, denying that Venezuela has questions pending with the United States, and saying the case of the New York and Bermudez Asphalt Company must remain in the courts.

THE JAPANESE LOAN IS RAISED IN LONDON

$150,000,000 Will Suffice for Japan's Requirements for a Year--Germans are Not Allowed to Participate in Raising Money

Linevitch is Preparing to Withdraw Main Portion of Russian Army Beyond Harbin=Japs are Moving to Vladivostock

FLEET AT PORT SAID.

Port Said, March 24.—Admiral Nebogatoff's division of the Russian second squadron, consisting of a battleship, four cruisers and four transports, arrived here today. The vessels are not coaling, and are only taking moderate supplies on board. The transports are heavily laden with stores. The division, which is said to be bound for Jibutil and Vladivostock, will probably proceed today.

FLEET SIGHTED.

Port Paid, March 24.—Admiral Nebogatoff's fleet (which forms the third division of Admiral Rojestvensky's Russian squadron and which left Suda Bay, Island of Crete, March 26th) has been sighted.

DETAILS OF NEW LOAN.

London, March 24.—(Noon.)— The final details of the Japanese loan were concluded today, with the exception of the exact date of issue. This has not yet been lodged, but it will not be delayed. The amount is $150,000,000, with interest at 4½ per cent. The price of issue is 90 and the security will be at net receipts of the tobacco monopoly of Japan, amounting to $16,000,000 according to the Budget for the next fiscal year. The loan will be issued simultaneously in New York and London, each of these cities taking $75,000,000. The American issuing banks are Kuhn Loeb & Co. and others participating in the previous loan, while the British half of the loan is handled by the group of banks which was responsible for the earlier flotations. The loan is redeemable after five years. Some subscribing is expected in Holland and Switzerland. It is said here that although German banks exhausted every effort to secure participation in the loan, they have been rigorously excluded, as Japan has found no difficulty in securing the amount required in London and New York.

UNABLE TO AGREE.

Berlin, March 24. — The German banks did not participate in the Japanese loan because they were unable to agree with the Hong Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporations over the share of the underwriters' profits. The Deutsch Decsdener, and other banks forming the German group, wanted to enter on the ground floor, but when the Germans were invited to enter, negotiations were too far advanced to admit of this.

London, March 24.—Koretiyo Takashahi, vice-governor of the Bank of Japan, and special commissioner, informed the Associated Press today, that the $150,000,000 would suffice for Japan's requirements for a year or a year and a half, at the expiration of which time, in his opinion, the war would be over.

M. Takashahi confirmed the statement that the German banks had been given no share in the loan. He said he was of the opinion that despite the hitch in the negotiations, Russia would very shortly obtain another loan in France. The Japanese loan is expected to be issued next week. On the stock exchange the loan is already quoted at one per cent.

New York, March 24.— A formal statement, regarding the offering of the new Japan 4 per cent. loan will shortly appear here. The price of issue will be the same as abroad and though nominally a 20 year bond, Japan has the privilege of redemption at par in five years.

AFTER VLADIVOSTOCK.

Gunshu Pass, March 24.—(18 miles north of Tie Pass.)—The women and children are reported to be leaving Harbin, and the business houses are closing. The stationary hospitals are being moved back and the entire railroad east and south of Tsitsihar is being prepared for the next stage of the war. The conviction exists that General Kuroki is now directed towards the northeast for the investment of Vladivostock, changing his base for that purpose to Gensen. While the Manchurian railway is employed to supply the main army in its advance on Harbin, the Japanese seem still partial to the plan of keeping to their sea bases and instead of following the Russians some of the military experts are of the opinion that the Japanese may relieve the pressure upon General Linevitch and thus induce him to concentrate in the region between Sanchepu and Tie Pass for another battle. But throughout the campaign all the prognostications of experts regarding the plan af the Japanese have failed, the aspirations of the Japanese constantly fattening upon the victories achieved. The rank and file of the Russian army show peculiar adaptability to conform with he new conditions and accommodate themselves to the wishes and intentions of the commander-in-chief and the government.

PLOT DISCOVERED.

New York, March 24.—A St. Petersburg despatch to the Herald dated Thursday says a member of the nobility and two more pages have been dismissed from court service. This decision causes a sensation, coming so soon after the dismissal of another page a few days ago. The dismissal of the first page followed the discovery of a plot to facilitate the forwarding of threatening letters into the Imperial palace.

CAMPAIGN OF PEACE.

St. Petersburg, March 24.—The papers are supporting the campaign for peace and are beginning to print quite openly the history of the intrigues in the Far East for the protection of private interests, devoting special attention to M. Bezobrazoff's connection with the Yalu timber concessions. The publications include a secret memorandum of General Kuropatkin pointing out that the war would be inevitable if Russian interests were extended into Korea. The necessity for increased taxation to meet the expenses of the war is recognized and the minister of finance has submitted projects to the council of the empire, including taxes on beer, matches, etc. and graduated tax on the salaries of government officials beginning with one per cent on salary of over $300, which, altogether, will realize about $11,000,000. There is also a proposition for a general income tax, which, undoubtedly, would prove the most popular form of raising money as it would bear heaviest on othose able to pay.

PREPARING TO WITHDRAW.

St. Petersburg, March 24.—(4.52 p.m.)—The news from the front continues to indicate preparations for a withdrawal of the main portion of the Russian army beyond Harbin as to place it out of danger of having its communications with Russia severed if it is found impracticable to attempt to hold the line at the Sangari River. Tsithiar, 300 miles to the west of Harbin, is mentioned by several correspondents in a fashion, that it will be the new point of concentration, although others speak of the Amur river. A light flying column of the Japanese cavalry is reported to be moving hastily across the country towards Tsitsihar, while a heavier column is going northeast in the direction of Vladivostock.

One correspondent intimated that the Japanese may adopt the tactics of relieving the direct pressure on Gen. Linevitch, in the hope of inducing him to concentrate as fast as possible below Harbin, which would give Field Marshal Oyama the advantage of preparing his next blow without greatly lengthening his line of communications.

Linevitch's decision to be prepared to place his main army beyond the reach of a decisive stroke while awaiting reinforcements, may have been taken in order to avoid such a trap

RUSSIAN FRENCH LOAN.

Paris, March 24.—The negotiations for a new Russian loan have been resumed and are proceeding satisfactorily.

Frederick George, travelling passenger agent for the Great Northern Railroad, is in the city today.

MINERS CONVENTION.

Nelson, B.C., March 24.—The annual district convention of the Western Federation of Miners, in progress here for the past three days, closed this evening. The following officers were elected: President, Mr. Frank Phillip, Nelson; vice-President W. R. McIsaac, Ymir; sec. treasurer, A. Shilland, Sandon. The place of meeting next year will be Phoenix.

In his annual address, retiring President Ernest Mills, of Greenwood, predicted an eight-hour law for smelters at an early date, and strongly attacked the methods of coroners in investigating deaths caused by mine and other accidents.

PROSPECTS OF MORE WAR

Mexico City, March 24.—A coasting vessel arriving recently at a lower California port, reports having seen many empty Mauser rifle cases floating on the waters. It is believed that the rifles taken from these cases have been furnished to he forces which are said to be planning an invasion of Guatemala. It is asserted that another war in Guatemala is probable. The Guatemalan rebels, in the guise of laborers, it is said, are congregating at various points along the Guatemalan frontier. The government of Salvador also is reported in readiness to aid the rebels as soon as a revolution shall have been launched.

If the girls who are old enough to know better and whose names are well known at this office take more Ledgers away from the box at the switch where they are put every day for trainmen, their names will be published. Their mothers would do well to look after them.

TOMORROW'S MATCH

Game With Garrison Promises to be Interesting

The men selected to play for Ladysmith in the match with the Garrison football team of Victoria tomorrow are as follows:

Goal, E. Leahy; fullbacks, J. McCletchie, J. Nimmo; half-backs, J. Eno; P. Gilmour, A. Hailstones; forwards, J. Blundell, A. Morrison, J. Adam (centre), A. Farmer, J. Sanderson.

Reserves, T. O'Connell, R. McMillan; referee, Sergeant French, of H.M.S. Egeria.

The above team is without doubt the strongest that has fallen to the lot of Ladysmith for a great length of time, and the players are in the finest possible shape for the coming match. Word received from Victoria states that the soldiers are also in first-class form, so a very hard struggle can be relied upon. The kick-off will take place at 4-30 sharp. Regulation goal nets will be used tomorrow, this being the first occasion on which these nets have been used here.

The Ledger is requested to state that spectators will not be allowed over the line. The players hope that this warning will be sufficient, and that those who watch the game will not cause annoyance by failing to observe this rule.

The Garrison colors will be red and blue, and the Ladysmith men will play in their usual red and white stripe shirts.

A collection will be taken up during the course of the play.

The men who are picked to play in the football match to-morrow are requested to be on the field not later than 4.15.

JULES VERNE DRAD.

Amiens, France, March 24. —Jules Verne died at 3.10 p.m., today.

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DOMINION PARLIAMENT

Ottawa, March 22—There were crowded galleries in the House of Commons today when Sir Wilfrid Laurier proposed the second reading of the autonomy bill. He said that on all occasions he had adhered to the principle of provincial rights. In this case as in the first he was moving the following amendment:

tion. In 1875 he was a member of the Mackenzie government and refused to interfere with New Brunswick legislation because that province had no system of public schools. In 1889 he supported Sir John Macdonald when the latter refused to interfere with the Jesuit estates act. In 1894 he had stood up for the rights of Manitoba when Sir Mackenzie wanted to force separate schools, and now, in 1905 he wanted to stand on the same platform in extending to the minority in Alberta and Saskatchewan, under the constitution, that right to enjoy separate schools which was given to them in 1875. He stood on the letter of the constitution. It was said that because the territories were not provinces at the time of the union they were not entitled to separate schools. He cited a recent judgment of the supreme court which held that Canadian Pacific lands in the Territories were free from taxation for all time to come.

Mr. Borden, leader of the opposition, replying to Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that he would not make the question a party one. Any one on his side was not bound in any way by what he was to say. He closed by moving the following amendment'

"That all the words after the word 'that' to the end of the question be left out and the following substituted therefor 'Upon the establishment of a province in the Northwest Territories of Canada, as proposed by bill No. 69, the legislature of such province, subject to and in accordance with the provisions of the British North America acts, 1867 to 1866, is entitled to and should enjoy, full powers of provincial self government, including the power to exclusively make laws in relation to education."

Hon. W. S. Fielding, in reply to Mr. Borden on the autonomy bill school clause amendment, said he was not in favor of separate schools, but 40 per cent of the people believed in them, and it was in the interests of good government that they should remain. They were not really separate schools in the west, but national schools.

A deputation has waited upon Finance Minister, W. S. Fielding and asked an increase of the duty on corroded lead, or whitelead, to thirty per cent. The present duty is five per cent. Mr. Fielding was called upon by Mr. Cornish, the representative of a firm which has contracts let to the extent of $200,000 for the erection of corroding works in Montreal, and which expects to expend a hundred thousand and obtain a plant with an output of 7,000 tons by November next. The company is a branch of a Wisconsin firm and is to be incorporated in the Dominion as the Carter Lead CorrodingWorks of Canada.

Mr. Cornish, accompanied by J. L. Retallick, representative of the silver lead miners' association of British Columbia, and Mr. W. A. Galliher M. P., represented to the finance minister that Canada imports all its corroded or paint lead, and that B. C. producers are deprived of a domestic market for about eight or nine thousand tons of their lead by the absence of corroding works in the Dominion.

The present duty on pig-lead is 35 per cent., on corroded lead, five per cent. If the increase should be given there will have to be some increase in the rate of duty on mixed paints, as corroded lead is a raw material of the paint manufacturer.

Mr. Fielding promised consideration to the representation.

There was a meeting of the special committee appointed to enquire into the telephone situation today. Sir Wm. Mulock quoted a report which had been prepared for him two years ago by Frances Dagger, a telephone engineer, of Toronto.

The report referred to the situation in Great Britain and Europe and showed that the price in towns and cities was now too high in Canada. In European countries and in the United States the rates were lower. The over-capitalization of the Bell company was the main reason of the high rates. The company has also to renew its plant. Mr. Dagger also showed that better service could be given Canada for less money. He dealt with the succes of municipal control in Glasgow, and said that government ownership and control should be extended to long distance lines, and government control to local lines. To acquire the existing telegraph and telephone lines would cost $3,300,000; but could, however, be duplicated for much less. If the government took over the telephone lines they would have to take over the telegraph lines as well.

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10:20	10:46	Shawnigan Lake	4.20	5:40	
11:00	10:02	Duncan	5:00	5:00	
11:57	9:10	Ladysmith	5:52	4.00	
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LACROSSE.

The Seattle P. I. in speaking of the lacrosse of B. C., says as follows:

April 8 has been fixed by the British Columbia Lacrosse League as the date of its next meeting, and the Seattle lacrosse club has its assurance that at that time it will be admitted to membership.

The local organization has appointed H. E. Kennedy, Ed. Milne and Lionel Yorke as a committee of three to represent the club at the meeting, which takes place at Victoria.

There is every promise that the meet will be a lively one. There is still a row on between the Westminster end and the Vancouver team over a two-year-old championship, and that old-time trouble is expected to be aired at length. At the same time there may be some slight opposition to the admittance of Seattle contingent, but the locals will go prepared to meet every requirement of the league.

Each team in the league is required to deposit $100 as an appearance forfeit, and to keep the amount posted during the season. The Westminster people have already questioned whether or not the Seattle team was able to meet that particular point. In reply to the question, the club already has the hundred on deposit, and has in its membership enough more hundreds to pay for missing every game on the season's schedule, should the whim strike it.

One more question that caused worry in the British mind was whether or not the Americans could lose the habit they have of playing on Sunday. The local club has already agreed to make Saturday afternoon its playing day, and will shape al arrangements accordingly.

There has been some talk of including Tacoma in the league, but there now seems little liklihood that that town will make it. Tacoma's team last year was a weak one at best, and seems no more promising this season. As the league requires that clubs admitted to its membership shall be capable of putting up a worthy scrimmage there seems little chance unless the Tacomans go into the "importing" business on a large scale.

Mr. Kennedy has news from Portland that there will be a rattling good team in that town during the season, but that Portland will not seek to go into the British Columbia league, the distance being too great and the expense correspondingly heavy. However, there is nothing in the league rules which prevents a league member from playing exhibition matches with non-member organizations, and the Seattle club is looking forward to a series of off-day matches with the boys from the sister state.

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THE RING.

San Francisco, March 23—Billy Nolan, Nelson's manager today made a statement which will set the pugilistic world afire, as it casts a cloud upon the squareness and fighting ability of Jimmy Britt, the featherweight- light-weight champion. Nolan says that it not because Britt wished to fight for the international championship that he is side stepping Nolan, but simply because the latter refuses to lay down to him.

Nolan does not beat about the bush but comes right out with the statement that Britt attempted to frame the match up so that Jimmy couldn't lose. In other words Nelson was to quit and Britt was to be hailed as the unquestionable champion, and when Nelson absolutely refused to be a party to any such crooked work Britt declined to post any forfeit or sign articles for a match.

"It is not the bonus that is standing in the way of the Nelson-Britt match but it is for no other reason than that the battling Dane declines to lay down to Britt," said Nolan. "Before the forfeits were posted, and prior to the terms of the agreement being talked over Willie Britt came to me and said: 'You know, Billy, this match will have to be fixed up

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RESOURCE OF VANCOUVER ISLAND

Vancouver Island offers as good chances to the farmer, prospector or investor as does any part of British Columbia. It is not easy to find a section of country that is exactly right in all respects. It is, perhaps, impossible to find such a country, but for a fair chance to make a home with comfortable surroundings the section of country along the line of the Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway is well worth considering. A few of the most prominent of the island's productions and natural resources only are mentioned in this article.

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Coal Deposits

(a.) First among the natural resources are the great coal measures Ladysmith north to Union, 75 miles or more. Sufficient of them are developed and improved to insure a long lease of life to the mines and their extensions are now being operated. For instance, the Extension Mines, 11 miles from Ladysmith, from which the highest grade coal for domestic purposes on the Pacific coast is shipped, is known by borings and general prospecting to extend near to the city of Ladysmith. As representing this industry it might be mentioned that the coal shipped from the Island, to date, amounts to 19,940,587 tons, with a value of $60,203,285, and 149,556 tons of coke, with a value of $947,780, a total of $61,151,065.

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Timber.

(b.) The value of the immense timber resources of Vancouver Island, with its high class Douglass fir, cedar etc., has already been realized by the great lumber companies. The Victoria Lumber Company, of Chemainus, has among its members shrewd Wisconsin and Michigan lumber kings who have secured, and now hold, hundreds of millions of feet of splendid timber and are continually increasing their holdings. Their export trade now running from 30,000,000 to 50,000,000 of feet per year will no doubt be largely increased by the beginning of work on the Panama canal, for the demand, which will be supplied largely from this section for timber to use on the great work, will amount to hundreds of millions of feet. Other companies, Shawnigan Lake, Haslam and other companies are turning out large quantities of lumber and shingles.

Harbors and Waterways.

(c.) Harbors and waterways in connection with Vancouver Island is a subject understood much better by men who "go down to sea" than landsmen. But opposite to the mainland and direct across from Vancouver, Oyster Harbor or Ladysmith Bay, has long been known as a safe and commodious harbor. It is one where large wharves are already established in connection with the coal export trade and with the freight business, as the point of transfer by the C.P.R. for the Island freight. In connection with this matter it is worthy of remark that for the last three years the transfer barge has made its daily trip and has rarely, is ever, been delayed on account of bad weather or unfavorable conditions, and has never met with an accident. Nanaimo Harbor, Departure Bay, Chamainus and other safe harbors are found along the coast. Near the north end of the island safe harbors are found that may yet be used as last ports of call for steamers leaving Victoria for the Orient, fast trains connecting from Ladysmith landing, or conveying to, passengers and mails.

Fisheries.

The waters of Vancouver Island teem with fish. Herring in vast quantities visit our shores. A profitable trade in fisheries which includes, off our more northern shores, halibut and other deep sea fish, is being built up and is capable of much greater development.

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Mining.

In connection with the mineral developments of the Island, it must be understood that only during the past five years has any attempt at metal mining been made on a large scale.

On the west coast of the Island, beginning at East Sook, mineral has been found and small shipments made from San Juan, Port Renfrew, Alberni, Uchuckleset, Clayoquoit, Kennedy Lake, Taferno Inlet, (Deer Creek), Bedwell Sound, (Bear River), Trout River, Clayoquoit Sound, Sidney Inlet, Ahousett, Allatasett, Nootka, Kyuquot and Quatsino, while in the middle of the Island at Central lake a large deposit of mineral has recently been discovered.

The schist beds lying to the south of the coal measures and commonly known as the Mt. Sicker schist belt, extends from Mt. Sicker up to the Nanaimo Lakes which has been opened and worked at seven points, a distance of 40 miles: Namely, Mt. Sicker, Mt. Brenton, Chemainus, Majuba, Rhinehardt, Nanaimo Lakes, and Englishmans River. Owing to the fact that the land is heavily timbered, prospecting is necessarily slow and expensive, great importance must be attached to the cutting of trails inland from the railroad. As the result of such a trail, three years ago, from Ladysmith 6 miles out, several mineral locations have been made in that vicinity, including the Majuba, and extending west to the Rhinehardt and Nanai-Lakes property. It would appear to be of the first importance to cut trails in order to open up the country to the prospector. The opening up of this mineral belt and the development of the mineral claims will follow the construction of a branch road, and the route from Mt. Sicker and Mt. Brenton up the Chemainus valley appears the most feasible as it would follow along the line of the claims mentioned to the Nanaimo Lakes, on to and including Alberni.

It is stated that the Nanaimo Lakes properties have large showings of ore and would undoubtedly make producing mines with railroad facilities, but not until these are provided can they ship out ore for treatment. Another mineral section is at the Campbell river upon what is known aa the reserve of the E. & N. grant. The total value of the mineral product to date for Vancouver Island and vicinity is given by the Provincial Mineralogist, Mr. W. F. Robertson, as 275,322 tons of a value of $4,378,370.

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Pottery Clay.

The clay found in the Extension Mines is regularly shipped to Victoria to the pottery works for the manufacture of sewer pipes and pottery of various kinds.

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Stone and Lime.

Magnificent building stone is found at various points. The quarry at Duncan, lying contiguous to the E. & N. railroad, furnishes high class building stone that should be in demand where heavy stone work is required, while lime quarries also exist on the line of the railroad. Good brick clay is found in Nanoose harbor above Nanaimo, and limestone on the line of the railroad, near or at Esquimalt Harbor.

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Water Power.

Of water power, some very large and permanent streams are found with natural falls, some again can without great expense be developed. It seems safe to assume that great water power can be secured, comparatively cheap, at various points on Vancouver Island. Particularly is this the case in the northern part of the Island.

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Agricultural Wealth.

Agricultural development on Vancouver Island must be very great in the immediate future. Tracts of land will each year be cleared and put into crops if railway facilities are given to certain sections that now find valuable farm lands too far from markets. Included in farming stock raising is becoming a marked feature in Island development. High grades of cattle are being raised from inported stock, and the butter and cheese of Vancouver Island is now well known for its high grade.

Hunting and Fishing.

The big game of Vancouver Island has not been hunted extensively and is abundant in certain sections. Deer and other four-footed game is found in all parts of the Island. Ducks, geese, pheasants, grouse and quail are to be found in season in numbers that gladden the heart of the hunter. With the development that will result from the extension of the lines of the E. & N. Railway, North Vancouver Island will increase its wealth many fold. Mines will be opened and other natural sources of wealth now valueless, will, with transportation, soon prove to the world that as a whole there is no other part of the rich Province of British Columbia that can equal Vancouver Island.

SYNOPSIS OF REGULATIONS FOR DISPOSAL OF MINERALS ON DOMINION LANDS IN MANITOBA THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES AND THE YUKON TERRITORY.

Coal—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.

Quartz—Persons of eighteen years and over and joint stock companies holding free miners' certificates may obtain entry for a mining location.

A free miner's certificate is granted for one or more years, not exceeding five years, upon payment in advance $7.50 per annum for an individual, and from $50 to $100 per annum for a company, according to capital.

A free miner, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,500x1,500 feet by marking out the same with two legal posts, bearing location notices, one at each end on the line of the lode or vein.

The claim shall be recorded within fifteen days if located within ten miles of a mining recorder's office, one additional day allowed for every additional ten miles or fraction. The fee for recording a claim is $5.

At least $100 must be expended on the claim each year or paid to the mining recorder in lieu thereof. When $500 has been expended or paid the locator may, upon having a survey made, and upon complying with other requirements, purchase the land at $1.00 an acre.

Permission may be granted by the Minister of the Interior to locate claims containing iron and mica, also copper, in the Yukon territory, of an area not exceeding 160 acres.

The patent for a mining location shall provide for the payment of a Royalty of 2½ per cent. of the sales of the products of the location.

Placer Mining—Manitoba and the N.W.T., excepting the Yukon Territory—Placer mining claims generally are 100 ft. square, entry fee $5, renewable yearly. On the North Saskatchewan River claims are either bar or bench, the former being 100 feet long and extending between high and low water mark. The latter includes bar diggings, but extends back to the base of the hill or bank, but not exceeding 1,000 feet. Where steam power is used, claims 200 feet wide may be obtained.

Dredging in the rivers of Manitoba and the N.W.T., excepting the Yukon Territory—A free miner may obtain only two leases of five miles each for a term of twenty years, renewable in the discretion of the Minister of the Interior.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars of the river below low water mark, and subject to the rights of all persons who have, or who may receive, entries for bar diggings or bench claims, except on the Saskatchewan River, where the lessee may dredge to high water mark on each alternate leasehold.

The lessee shall have a dredge in operation within one season from the date of the lease for each five miles, but where a person or company has obtained more than one lease one dredge for each fifteen miles or fraction is sufficient. Rental, $10 per annum for each mile of river leased. Royalty at the rate of 2½ per cent. collected on the output after it exceeds $10,000.

Dredging in the Yukon Territory—Six leases of five miles each may be granted to a free miner for a term of twenty years, also renewable.

The lessee's right is confined to the submerged bed or bars in the river below low water mark, that boundary to be fixed by its position on the 1st day of August in the year of the the date of the lease.

The lessee shall have one dredge in operation within two years from the date of the lease, and one dredge for each five miles within six years from such date. Rental, $100 per mile for first year and $10 per mile for each subsequent year. Royalty, same as placer mining.

Placer Mining in the Yukon Territory—Creek, gulch, river and hill claims shall not exceed 250 feet in length, measured on the base line or general direction of the creek or gulch the width being from 1,000 to 2,000 feet. All other placer claims shall be 250 feet square.

Claims are marked by two legal posts, one at each end, bearing notices. Entry must be obtained within ten miles of mining Recorder's office. One extra day allowed for each additional ten miles or fraction.

The person or company staking a claim must hald a free miner's certificate.

The discoverer of a new mine is entitled to a claim of 1,000 feet in length, and if the party consists of two, 1,500 feet altogether, on the output of which no royalty shall be chargen, the rest of the party ordinary claims only.

Entry fee, $10. Royalty at the rate of two and one-half per cent. on the value of the gold shipped from the Yukon Territory to be paid to the Comptroller.

No free miner shall receive a grant of more than one mining claim on each separate river, creek or gulch, but the same miner may hold any number of claims by purchase, and free miners may work their claims in partnership by filing notice and paying a fee of $2.00. A claim may be abandoned and another obtained on the same creek, gulch or river by giving notice and paying a fee.

Work must be done on a claim each year to the value of at least $200.

A certificate that work has been done must be obtained each year; if not, the claim shall be deemed to be abandoned, and open to occupation and entry by a free miner.

The boundaries of a claim may be defined absolutely by having a survey made and publishing notices in the Yukon official Gazette.

Petroleum—All unappropriated Dominion lands in Manitoba, the Northwest Territories, and within the Yukon Territory, are open to prospecting for petroleum, and the Minister may reserve for an individual or company having machinery on the land to be prospected, an area of 1920 acres for such period as he may decide, the length of width shall not exceed three times the breadth.

Should the prospector discover oil in paying quantities, and satisfactorily establish such discovery, an area not exceeding 640 acres, including the oil well will be sold to the prospector at the rate of $1.00 per acre and the remainder of the tract reserved, namely, 1,280 acres will be sold at the rate of three dollars an acre, subject to royalty at such rate as may be specified by order-in-council.

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Mrs. Thos. Kiddie, accompanied by Mr. Geo. Kiddie, went down to Victoria this morning.

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Mrs. Macnaughton, Vancouver.
Jos. Youngheart, Montreal.
J. Wener, Montreal.

WRECK OF THE GEORGIAN

Advices received here this afternoon from Union Point state that although the barge Georgian which was wrecked on the southeast end of Hornby Island on Wednesday night, is a total loss, it is possible to save the machinery with which she was laden. Some of it may, of course, be broken, but it is thought that the damage to it is not great.

There are still ten trucks left on the barge, but some of the cars were thrown on the beach fifty feet from the scene of the disaster by the heavy seas. The cook stove, which is of considerable size, was found on the cliff 25 feet above high water line.

The three men employed on the barge jumped ashore as soon as the vessel struck ground, and escaped unhurt.

When the strong gale broke the hawser, the tug steamed back to the barge and again connected with it but the seas were too strong and the line quickly broke again. This was repeated twice with the same result, and it was clear to those on board the tug that it was useless to attempt to save the barge which was quickly borne by the mighty seas to the shore and dashed aground.

Ben Forcimmer has purchased the bankrupt stock of goods belonging to the W. H. Lively estate, and is now engaged in getting the same in order for a quick sale at right prices. As he has bought the stock cheap his customers will secure rare bargains in the jewelry line.

MARINE.

S.S. Titania has left San Francisco, bound for this port for a full cargo of coal. She is expected to arrive here Sunday night.

S.S. Iroquois was in at Russell's wharf yesterday and discharged a cargo of farm produce.

ILLEGALLY IMPRISONED.

The Hague, March 24.—The government of the Netherlands intends to take vigorous measures to secure the release of the five Dutch sailors illegally imprisoned for seven months in Venezuela.

It is thought probable that in the event of there being material change in the situation in the Far East, some of the Netherland war ships maintaining neutrality in the Dutch East Indies can be transferred to Venezuelan waters in May.

CHEMAINUS.

At present there are ten patients in the Chemainus hospital. Two of these were sent in yesterday from a Chilian ship that had just arrived in Chemainus. One patient, Phillipine Johnny had his ribs crushed in the logging camp back of Ladysmith on Tuesday. Another, a Chinaman was sent in yesterday from the mill, minus an ear and other injuries received from a saw fight.

It is the present intention of the hospital board to enlarge and improve it quite extensively.

The ship Antiofagasta was brought in to the dock this morning. She will load 1,600,000 feet of lumber for Chili. Other ships are coming in soon.

The mill will start on Tuesday night, running one side on regular time, thus increasing very largely the output. The planers and other machinery are kept busy day and night dressing lumber for the Northwest trade.

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for us before we sign articles. Jimmy can't afford to take any chances and Nelson will have to agree to quit or else there will not be any fight as faras the Britts are concerned." This line of talk staggered me, and I told Willie that there would be no sucharrangements entered into as long as I managed Nelson, and if Britt wanted to fight Nelson he would have to go in and win or lose on his merits. If Jimmy Britt wants to show the public that he is one square. We don't want any the best of it, all we ask for is an even break, as both Nelson andmyselffeel positive that Britt wouldn't last twenty rounds in the next fight provided the referee allowed the men to fight strictly according to rules."

BASEBALL.

The Victoria Times says:

"On April 13th., the annual meeting of the Victoria Amateur Association will be held and local clubs intending senior, intermediate or junior teams already have commenced organizing. It is expected that the Fernwood and Hillside clubs will come forward as seniors and intermediates both, while, according to indications, the Y.M.C.A. will have a first class team for the junior competition.

Recently one of those in close touch with baseball matters expressed the opinion that only two teams would enter the senior series. Under such circumstances it was hardly probable that a regular schedule will be drafted. He referred to the Fernwood and Hillside nines. In all probability they would give exhibitions, and the one proving the most successful awarded the championship. The intermediate league, he thought, would be competed by the same three teams as last year, namely, the Fernwoods, Hillsides and Independents. As for the junior competition, there was no doubt that a sufficient number of clubs would enter to make an interesting competition. Altogether the prospects of a most successful season were promising.

CORRESPONDENCE.

SUNDAY AMUSEMENT.

To the Editor of the Ledger:

Dear Sir:

There is a very important matter which I would like to bring before the citizens of Ladysmith, especially those interested in sports. I suppose we all agree that a certain amount of recreation is necessary. But when recreation or anything else is made the aim of life, and comes in and keeps us from taking our proper position before God it should at once be cut off.

Now, Mr. Editor, the amusements and sports that are carried on in this place on the Lord's day must be stopped if we are to be worthy citizens, if we want the true pleasure and enjoyment, if we are going to fulfil the highest end of our creation. Righteousness exalteth a nation but sin is a disgrace to any people. I do not think you have given this question the thought that it demands or you would not advertise or give accounts of them in your valuable paper. The Lord Jesus has plainly told us if we are not for Him we are against Him and that if we are not gathering with Him we are scattering. The eyes of the Lord are in every place beholding the evil and the good, and He is grieved for the hardness of our hearts now, as He was when He lived on the earth, and how it must wound His tender and loving heart to look on our city on Sunday afternoon when we choose worldly pleasure and enjoyment ahead of the everlasting pleasure and happiness that He has provided. Our soul is precious in His sight, who lived and died for us that we might go with Him and enjoy Him forever, and I humbly ask those who gather to play and to witness these games on Sunday afternoon if they ask the Lord Jesus to be with them. He is our best friend and we ought not to go anywhere that has not His approval and blessing.

The question is, then, what is to be done? Let us be honest with God and with ourselves and go to Him and tell Him that we have been wicked and sinful that we have set too much value on pleasure, let us forsake our evil ways and return to the Lord who will have mercy upon us and who is ever ready to forgive. There's joy in the presence of the angelsof God over one sinner that repenteth. Let us weigh the matter seriously and come to a decision on this all important question. We have everything to gain and nothing to lose by being humble followers of the Lord Jesus Christ. He knows what is best for us and will make all things work together for our good.

In conclusion I would say let us give our whole lives to the service of God. May it not be said of the people of Ladysmith that they are lovers of pleasure more than lovers of God. Let us assemble on the Lord's day to worship Him and thank Him for His kindness and tenderness to us in making provision for our never dying souls through the life and death of our Saviour. It is a grand thing to be on the winning side in any game. So if we want to be on the winning side let us go in the narrow way that leads to everlasting life.

A LOVER OF MEN.

NANAIMO.

Two Well Known Residents United In Marriage. Athletic Club's Concert.

Nanaimo, March 23.—The Wallace Street Methodist parsonage was the scene yesterday afternoon of an interesting event, when Mr. Richard Atkiss and Mrs. John Lawson were united in marriage by Rev. A. M. Sanford. Mr. Thos. Cumming supported the groom and Mrs. Boggiano attended the bride. After the wedding ceremony the party departed to the parlors of the Globe hotel, where all sat down to a fine spread prepared by Mrs. Boggiano, and after toasting the health of the bride and groom, all present enjoyed themselves with a pleasant, sociable dance.

The board of management of the Athletic Club held a meeting last evening when business of importance was transacted. The affairs of the club are in a more prosperous condition than formerly, and show almost one hundred members in good standing. It was decided to hold another smoker on Thursday evening next, for which a first-class programme is being prepared. It will consist of instrumental and vocal specialties, and a boxing and wrestling tournament.

Actuary Richardson, of Vancouver, came over to Ladysmith yesterday, and with insurance agents Stewart and Planta met the holders of policies on the Central Hotel, that was burned down last Tuesday night. The loss on the building was quickly adjusted, and the holders, Messrs. Beveridge and Reifel will soon get their money. There is some delay in adjusting the loss on stock, and the parties are now in Nanaimo arranging about it. It will very likely be settled and paid in full by the companies soon.

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