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DAVID JAMES WILL SERVE THREE MONTHS

Last evening David James and an Indian were arrested by Provincial constable Cassidy, and almost within an hour of their arrest, both had received their sentence, the trial taking place before Justices of the Peace Matheson and Stewart at the Provincial jail.

The charge against James was that of supplying the Indian with whiskey, and the charge being proved, he was sentenced to three months with hard labor, with the option of paying a fine of $50. The dollars not being forthcoming, he will spend the next three months in jail at Victoria, Mr. Cassidy taking him down on the morning train today.

The Indian, whose name is Wm. James, was fined $25 for having whiskey in his possession a full bottle having been found on him by Officer Cassidy. He will pay the fine.

VIOLENT SCENES ENACTED

Sergeant of Police Killed.

Grodo, May 25.—Sergeant of police Kohl was shot and killed in the open streets today and assistant Capt. Shakile was wounded. There is great feeling against the Terrorists.

Condemned to Death.

Odessa, May 25.—A Weiland, a student of the Electric Technical school was today condemned by a court martial to death by hanging. He was convicted of being a member of a band of Terrorists and pillagers.

Fear an Upheaval.

Perm, European Russia, May 25.—The Governor of this province has requested the abrogation of the state of reinforced security in the province of Perm. Tranquility generally has been destroyed.

EAGLE TEAM vs. LADYSMITH.

Important Game in Intermediate League Race Takes Place Tomorrow.

Nanaimo, May 25.—Whichever team wins the baseball game tomorrow on the Cricket field between the Eagle Team of this city and the Ladysmith Intermediates, will lead in the race for the pennant, and for this reason the game can be depended upon to be one of the kind that makes spectators stand up and root. On the former meeting of these teams, the Nanaimo boys proved victorious, and they will make an extra effort tomorrow to duplicate the trick.

The Eagle line up is as follows:
Catcher—Turner.
Pitcher—Boyce.
1st Base—Hough.
2nd Base—Balo.
3rd Base—Escott.
Shortstop—Little.
Left Field—Thomas.
Centre Field—Gerard.
Right Field—Blunkell.
Spare man—Westfield.

Mr. Joseph Hardy will referee the game.

DEATH IN VICTORIA

Victoria, May 25.—A young girl named McKay, residing with her parents at 222 Cook street, was fatally burned today. She was alone in the house at the time, and had apparently been cleaning the stove when her clothing caught fire and when discovered the latter was completely burned off her. She was removed to the Jubilee Hospital but expired late tonight.

CRUSHED TO DEATH.

Toronto, May 25.—W. Corlett, a Grand Trunk brakeman was crushed to death at Black water Junction yesterday while uncoupling an engine from the train. He came to this country from England about a year ago and was married at Lindsay last month.

MESSRS. WHITE AND HARRUP HEARD FROM

A letter was received recently by Mrs. White, of the Ladysmith Hotel, from her husband, who, it will be remembered, in company with Mr. Tom Harrup, left Ladysmith early this spring for the north. Mr. White stated in his letter that so far they are enjoying themselves very much, and have been fairly prosperous. At the time of writing the travellers were at Hope, Alaska, but expected to leave the following day for K-Nik, seventy-five miles further on. While they had struck "colors" on nearly every creek prospected, Mr. White stated that as yet they had located nothing, but they had every hopes of striking something worth staking before travelling much further.

SEATTLE WILL BE DESTROYED

Seattle, May 25.—Seattle will be destroyed by an earthquake during the last week of May, according to the prophecy made by Mrs. Margaret Albright, Of 418 Rainer Avenue, Georgetown. Mrs. Albright says that she is a prophetess, and as such she advises all residents of the city leave before May 27, and take their possessions east of the mountains. She declares that when the earthquake comes there will be no safety west of Sioux Falls.

Mrs. Albright, who is 53 years old, says that she has informed Bishop O'Dea and other prominent church men of what is to come, but complains that they refuse to place any credence in it—in fact, that they ridicule her. Mrs. Albright has never practiced prophecy for money because she says it is a God-given gift and that it is her duty to make [illegible] price or compensation the glimpses of the future which come to her.

Her special performance of the destruction of Seattle will be accomplished by an earthquake, while a tidal wave will sweep Bremerton, Gray's Harbor and other cities out of existence. She declares that she has seen a fine picture of Queen Anne Hill being gutted by flames.

The destruction is also scheduled to wipe out Minnesota, according to the woman's story, and portions of the south are also doomed.

THE GRAND JURY.

The following is the Grand Jury for the Nanaimo Assizes which will be held here on Monday. So far only one case will be heard.

John Black, Nanaimo, Hotelkeeper.

Mark Bate, jr., Nanaimo, Accountant.

Joseph W. Dobeson, Nanaimo, Engineer.

Morgan Jones, Ladysmith, Miner.

Lauchlan McDonald, Ladysmith, Miner.

John Nicholson, Nanaimo, millman.

Francis H. Shepherd, Nanaimo, Civil Engineer.

Isaac Snowden, Nanaimo, Miner.

William N. Shaw, Gabriola Island Farmer.

Benjamin Westwood, Nanaimo, Blacksmith.

CHARGED WITH $100,000 FORGERY

New York, May 25.—Five indictments charging forgery in the first degree were returned today against George F. Wenham of Chicago, and Miss. Clay Lawrence by the Grand Jury. The indictments are based up on an alleged attempt of Miss. Lawrence to impersonate Mrs. Wenham for the purpose of transferring to New York, $100,000 worth of the latter's Chicago property. This property was said to be intended for Wenham's use in securing bail. He has been in jail here for several weeks for lack of bail on charges preferred by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company of which he was formerly the Chicago passenger agent.

Today's train from Victoria was delayed an hour owning to the breaking down of the engine of the down freight, which blocked the track for some time.

MANITOBA FARMER DIES AS RESULT OF GLANDERS

Morden, Man., May 26.—Fred Hall, a farmer living in the Shadeland district died late last night from glanders and was buried this morning. Some weeks ago his horses were sick and he treated them for distemper. Later a veterinary declared it glanders and the animals were destroyed. Two weeks ago the unfortunate man developed glanders, and badly mortified before death relieved him. His wife took ill a few days ago, also a neighbor by the name of McCormick, who has been a faithful attendant of the deceased, and it is feared that both will develop the awful disease. No person has been permitted to enter the house except those absolutely necessary to remove the corpse, and the building will be burned. His wife, and three boys survive the deceased. The case is a most distressing one.

DARING BREAK FOR LIBERTY

Kingston, May 25—A convict named McGee, serving a life sentence tried to escape from the penitentiary during the night. He has already spent many years in the penitentiary. He cut his way through a rear wall of his cell and secured entrance into a conduct through which pipes passed to a sewer. He crawled across the main building and near to one wall found entrance to a chimney which was in course of construction. He found a rope dangling and tried to crawl up a distance of over sixty feet, getting to the top when his strength failed and he fell to the bottom, breaking his leg and injuring his spine.

His attempt to escape is one of the most daring ever attempted here it is the third he has made. He is a very noted criminal and spent several terms in prison. The last sentence being given for diabolical attack on a life guard.

HIGH WATER AT DAWSON

Dawson, May 24.—The highest water in the history of Dawson threatens this place. It is now flooding the engine rooms of the Northern Commercial Company's plant and is within one foot of the floor of the White Pass wharf. The highest water usually comes about the middle of June.

The great fall of snow last winter is the cause of the flood, and only the valley snow is now melting The foot-hill and mountain snows are yet to come.

A WALK OVER.

Tiflis, May 25.—The social democrats have been completely victorious in this city and in many districts of the Caucasus. In the first degree elections for members of the lower house of parliament in this city the Social Democrats elected 72 out of 81 electors.

CHANGES HIS PLAN

Vienna, May 25.—The Emperor Francis Joseph's unexpected return to Vienna tonight has created a sensation. The Emperor, according to the original plans, should have gone from Budapest to Brueck tomorrow, for two day's inspection of the troops there, in the presence of Field Marshal Count Von Moltke, Chief-of-staff of the German Army. The sudden change in the Emperors plans is officially ascribed to the appearance of several cases of meningitis in the Brueck camp, but it is rumored that the real reason is political troubles. The Emperor's health is reported to be excellent. Count Von Moltke will now remain here as the guest of the Emperor Francis Joseph instead of going to Brueck.

Hazing Abolished.

Kingston, May. 25.—Flogging at the Royal Military college has been cut out by order of the Miliraty department, and it is reported that in view of the recent developments, hazing and ancient forms have been abolished.

RECENT WEDDING SOLEMIZED AT CASSIDY'S SIDING

On Tuesday evening last, May 22, Edmund G. Vowels was joined in the bonds of holy matrimony to Sarah A. Cassidy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Cassidy, of Cassidy's Siding, Cedar District. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Roberts. The groom was supported by Mr. H. C. Duchett, while Miss L. Cassidy, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid.

The wedding, which was a very pretty affair, was witnessed by a large number of relatives and friends of the bride and groom, and took place early in the evening. The bride was gowned in a beautiful white silk dress and carried a handsome bouquet of flowers, while the bridesmaid was also charmingly garted in a white dress of sofe material.

After the ceremony, supper was served on the spacious lawn at the front of Mr. Cassidy's residence, which was nicely decorated with Chinese lanterns, flags, etc. The supper was a very dainty one, and was much enjoyed by the guests assembled, not only for its elaborate menu, but also for the charming surroundings. Supper over, the guests adjourned to the house, where dancing was indulged in until a late hour. The bridal party departed on the morning train for a two weeks' visit among the Sound cities. They will reside in Cedar District upon their return.

A list of the presents received by the young couple follows:

Mr. and Mrs. A. McKinnon, oak butter dish; Mr. and Mrs. House, Oak butter dish; Mr. E. Hoskin, silver sugar Bowl; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Williams, silver card receiver; Miss Ethel Williams, centre piece; Mr. and Mrs. T. Grimson, silver fruit spoon; Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Port, fowl platters; Mr. and Mrs. Crutchley, lace curtains; Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill, oak butter dish; Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson, Silver pickle dish; Miss Edith Laird, table linen; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cassidy, clock; Master C. and W. Cassidy, carving set; Mr. and Miss McConnell, (California), chairs; Miss Porter, (California) hand-painted banner; Mr. and Mrs. McGregor, gold coin; Mr. and Mrs. McGuire, table linen; Mr. J. Cairns, fruit set; Mrs. Cairns, table linen; Mr. B. Cairns, dressing case; Mr. and Mrs. McBride, China fruit set; Mr. and Mrs. Watts China cake plate; Master Frank and Miss May McBride, cut glass vase; Mr. and Mrs. W. Haslam, cheque; Mr. and W. Raines, parlor lamp; Mrs. Don C. White, silver pickle jar, Mr. Don C. White, (Alaska), gold coin; Mr. and Mrs. McRae, hearth rug; Miss K. Cairns, silver teaspoons; Miss M. Cairns, China fruit set. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cassidy, parents of the bride, cheque; groom to bride, turquoise and diamond pin; groom to bridesmaid, garnet pin.

CHURCH UNION SETTLEMENT

Desmoines, Ia., May 25.—Church union sentiment reached its highest point in the Presbyterian general assembly here today, when a delegation of seventeen commissioners from the Cumberland assembly were received in the assembly of the Northern church now assembled here. When they entered the great hall containing 75 assemblymen and about 2,000 spectators, the whole assembly came to its feet and waved handkerchiefs for fully five minutes after the visitors had been escorted to the stage. Here they were introduced to Moderator Hunter Corbet.

When the Moderators of the churches, which were two yesterday and one today clasped hands the demonstration reached zenith. The visitors were then presented to the Assembly and each delivered a brief address.

STOESSEL'S DEATH SENTENCE

London, May 24.—A special to the Daily Telegraph from St. Petersburg says "A painful impression has been created here by the rumor that the court-martial has sentenced Gen. Stoessel to death for the surrender of Port Arthur.

DROWNING ACCIDENT AT ESQUIMALT YESTERDAY

The Colonist of today says: As a result of an accident while sailing in a small boat yesterday afternoon, Captain John Devereaux, superintendent of the Esquimalt dry-dock, lost his life. Captain Devereaux was well on in years, was seen in the dock yard engaged as usual until noon yesterday, and it seems that shortly after luncheon he went out from that point at the entrance to the graving dock in a 20-foot boat which had been built by some of the employees of the dock and naval yard for use as a duck punt. They had put a centre-board in the boat and used it at times for sailing. Wollen, an able seaman of H.M.S. Shearwater, saw Capt. Devereaux in the boat not more than 80 feet from Brothers Island, the islet off the point on which the church formerly stood near the terminus of the Esquimalt car line. The deceased was then standing in the boat. This was a few minutes before 2 p.m. A few minutes later the seaman looked again and saw the boat drifting without anyone in it. The alarm was given, and shortly afterwards, at 2:15 p.m., sailors from H.M.S. Shearwater found the body of Captain Devereaux drifting at the entrance of Esquimalt Harbor on the line between Dunze Head small gun battery and the point with the light house at the extreme of the naval yard. Death had evidently occurred but a short time before. The watch carried by the deceased had stopped at 2:10 p.m.

Captain Devereaux, who was failing in health, because of his years, had presumably lost his balance while standing up in the craft, probably to adjust his sail. As far as can be learned, there were no eye-witnesses of his death.

WASH WOMAN

Winnipeg, May 26.—Mrs. Anna K. Mol, while engaged as washerwoman at the home of Capt. R. D. Macdonald, 29 Roslyn road, was so severely burned on May 12, that she died from the effects yesterday. At the time of the accident she was heating a mixture of terpentine and wax on the gas stove preparatory to polishing the floor. The mixture exploded, the flames catching the dress of the deceased, and before the fire could be extinguished she was horribly burned all over the body. The family came to the rescue, and, as a doctor was passing at the time he was called in to attend to the injuries. He ordered the patient to be sent to the general hospital where it was seen that there was no hope for her recovery. The burning of the surface of the body resulted in internal trouble, which caused death.

The deceased lived at 751 Beverley street, and leaves a husband and five children. Two of the children were received into the Children's home through the intercession of Mrs. Macdonald.

FEAR AN INVASION

Manila.—The Manila Times remarks that the visit of three Japanese cruisers to that port in conjunction with the various rumors that have been lately going the rounds regarding the possible transfer of the Philippine islands to Japan, appears to be mightily exercising the minds of the natives both in Manila and the provinces. To Americans in Manila the question has been broached almost breathlessly.

"When are the Japanese coming to take the islands?"

Many of the interrogators seem to think the invasion is nigh at hand, and that when it does come it will be of the Genghis Khan order, and the islands will be swept with fire and sword. In the provinces, the prevailing anxiety has been dramatically heightened by the actions of the Japanese vendors who travel about selling those little round rolls of sweet toasted bread which the Spaniards and Filipinos usually eat, with ice cream. These peddlers carry about with them a little book and pencil and very industriously make charts of the towns they visit. This, to the native, mysterious procedure, which is something new in the philisophy of business dealing is the crowning evidence of the Japanese invasion.

FIREMEN INJURED ON PRINCESS VICTORIA

Seattle, May 25.—Charles L. Brown a fireman on the Canadian Pacific steamer Princess Victoria, nearly bled to death last evening through injuries sustained through the breaking of a water gauge in the boiler room of the ship. The accident occurred during the daily trip from Victoria and created much excitement among the passengers and crew.

Brown was on duty in the boiler room and had just finished coaling the furnace when the accident occurred. He was registering the water in the gauge at the moment when the glass exploded, and the splinters terribly lacerated the chest and shoulders of the fireman.

At the time he was clad only in a light jumper and undershirt, owing to the intense heat, and the broken glass easily tore through the cloth, cutting big gashes in the skin. The wound bled profusely and the fireman was hurriedly carried to the surgical ward for attendance. The flow of blood was only partially stanched and orders were given for extra speed to reach this city in time to save his life.

This was done, and as soon as the ship docked, a hurried call was sent for a surgeon, who sewed up the wounds of the injured man. The bursting of the glass gauge did no other harm and the steamer left on her return trip on time.

SHOT TO DEATH

Moscow, May 25.—During a meeting today of revolutionist workmen police were discovered among the attendants. A court martial was immediately organized before which the men were tried and condemned to death. As soon as sentence had been passed upon them they were tied to trees and shot to death.

PLACER STRIKE IS MADE AT FAIRBANKS

A Seattle despatch says: Jhn. H Hughes, a well-known mining man of Fairbanks, Alaska, received word yesterday that rich pay had been struck on the property in which he is interested. Mr. Hughes was just preparing to start for San Francisco and then East when he received the message from the North. He had been planning to operate this property on a large scale this season, and has ordered machinery to be shipped from here early in June.

"One of the best shows ever seen in Ladysmith," seems to be the general opinion of the Morris company as expressed by those who attended the performance given by the above company in the Opera House last evening. The acting was excellent, the play good, the scenery suitable, Tonight the company presents the farce-comedy in three acts, entitled, "Turned Up." It is a most laughable piece, and the audience will be kept in good humor throughout. This will be the last appearance of the company in Ladysmith for some time, as they go from here to Vancouver, and those wishing to pass an enjoyable evening are advised to attend to-night.

Mr. F. Shepherd, surveyor of Nanaimo, arrived in Ladysmith this morning, and will take levels of the Sports grounds for the purpose of ascertaining for the committee how much work, if any, is required before the same are ready to turn over to them, and when the contract money can be paid. The work will be done on Monday next.

TO PRINT TEXT BOOKS.

Kobe.—A circumstance worthy of attention as a straw showing the way the wind is blowing in China, is mentioned in a Shanghai telegram to the Mainichi, which states that, having regard to the fact that most of the textbooks used for western teaching in Chinese schools are either complied by foreign missionaries or imported from Japan, several prominent Chinese have formed a publishing company at Peking with a capital of $1,000,000, for the purpose of publishing all necessary textbooks.—Kobe Herald.

TRIAL OF FIREMEN IS POSPONED

Seattle, May 26.—The hearing in the cases of the members of Seattle's fire department who are charged with the theft of government property from the Arlington dock, was postponed yesterday by United States Commissioner Kiefer until Monday, and Tuesday of next week.

Attorney P. D. Hughes is fully confident that he will have no difficulty in securing the acquittal and exoneration of the accused firemen. In talking to a reporter yesterday, he said:

"I have not had time yet to go over the charges fully, but from the statements made to me by my clients, I am thoroughly convinced that the government will be unable to find a case against them. Of course government property has been found in their possession, but they never took it with any felonious intent. On the contrary all the stuff they have or did have was given to them by people on the dock who had authority to do so, and I think I can prove this. We will have several witnesses to substantiate this assertion from their own personal knowledge."

This week's Cumberland News contains the interesting item that Mr. Chas. Grant of Cumberland and Miss Beatrice Coundler of Nanaimo were united in marriage on Monday last in Cumberland by the Rev. Christmas. Miss. Bessie Ray a cousin of the groom was bridesmaid and Mr. James Grant, the groom's brother acted as groomsman.

Los Angeles, May 25—The Nelson-Herrera fight has been abandoned because of a disagreement as to weighing in.

AN OCEAN

Victoria, May 25.—Steamer Teucer which reached port yesterday morning on her maiden trip after a very fast passage from Yokohama, brought news of a most tragic fate of the blockade runner Soerabaya in the Arctic ice-fields off the coast of north Siberia. The steamer, which was missing since last October, when she essayed to run the blockade to Vladivostok with a cargo of arms and ammunition for the defence of that port then threatened by the Japanese squadron and a land force which was moving along the Tumen river from North Korea, was found by natives, encased in ice and with corpses of part of her crew frozen on board.

A cablegram from Nicolaielisk has already told the news in the usual brief concise from the Lloyds, steamer Soerbaya, reported missing, found frozen in ice by natives. Corpses crew frozen on board. Yesterday, officers of the steamer Teucer told the supplemented story.

EARTHQUAKE IN UTAH.

Ogdeon, Ut., May 24.—n earthquake shock was felt at two o'clock this afternoon at West Weber, four miles west of Ogden. Buildings were shaken and much excitement prevailed, but there was no damage

BARTENDER'S ORATION

Louisville, Ky.—George Dusouchet, bartender at Churchill Downs, conducted the funeral of William Whittick, late business agent of the bartenders' union, and who was buried at Cave Hill cemetery. Dusouchet said in part:

"Standing here today we should all realize how short life is, and we should so shape our lives that when the time comes we can face the Great Creator without fear. Brother Whittick was able to do this. His religion was the Golden Rule, standing firm on what was right and discountenancing that was wrong Every man can elevate his profession, be it ever so humble, and this Brother Whittick did."

In the closing prayer, Mr. Dusouchet said: "As we go forth from this sacred place to mingle with the selfish and unsympathetic world, go with us, we pray thee; protect us and our work from evil hands, and finally, at life's close, take us into the circle of thy great love. Amen."

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FUTURE QUEEN OF SPAIN

Madrid, May 25.—The arrival of the future Queen of Spain at the Pardo Palace tonight was the occasion of a magnificent ovation. At 6:30 o'clock the royal train reached the outskirts of the palace park. Here a special station had been prepared consisting of a majestic floral arch beneath which was suspended a huge crown of roses and yellow jonquils. On either side of the arch was a mast bearing British and Spanish banners. Beyond this was a arch which had been erected by the people of the neighboring village of Majahonda. It was dusk as King Alfonso and Princess Ena entered the floral station. Awaiting them there was the Queen mother, the infanta Isabella Elutia and Maria Theresa, Prince Ferdinand, the members of the government and officials of Madrid. The Queen mother embraced her son and his prospective bride, the party then passed between lines of the halberdiers bearing pikes and entering carriages took up the route to the palace.

Princess Ena with her mother, Princess Henry of Battenburg with the Queen mother entered the first coaches while the King Alfonso mounting his horse galloped alongside accompanied by Princes Ferdinand and Carlos. Next came the royal horse guards dressed in gala uniforms. Ladies of the Madrid nobility occupied boxes along the route from which they strewed the path of the royal party with flowers. As the party passed, Princess Ena acknowledged the act with a wave of her handkerchief.

Enormous crowds of people had assembled outside the palace gates, the government giving the freest rein to popular curosity. The passage of the royal party was greeted with tumultous cheering and five Spain. Court dignatories, presenting a striking appearance, occupied the steps of the palace. After entering the palace King Alfonso directed that the public be admitted to the grounds. The public surged up the avenues forming a dense mass immediately in front of the portice. The King appeared in the upper balcony holding Princess Ena by the hand. The crowd stood with bared heads too greatly impressed to cheer, but a deep wave of emotion swept over the crowd. Princess Ena with a radiant smile gave a characteristic English wave of the hand. King Alfonso and the Princess appeared on the balcony three times and saluted the crowd. This demonstrative beginning has produced a marked impression on the people, and all Madrid resounds with praises of the Princess. The crowd surged outside the palace grounds for hours acclaiming for the bride. Later King Alfonso returned to the Royal Palace, Princess Ena remaining with her mother in the Pardo palace until the wedding.

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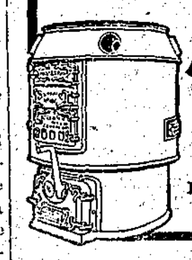

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Pennsylvania supplied more hemlock bark for tanning purposes than any other state, and it also led in the production of wood alcohol and acetate of lime. It produced 7,390,346 bushels of charcoal, but was a little below Michigan in this particular which is credited with 8,193,387 bushels. The production of hemlock bark in Pennsylvania for 1905 was 379,773 cords.

A person's eyes are out of line in two cases out of five and one eye is stronger than the other in seven persons out of ten. The right is also, as a rule, higher than the left. Only one person in 15 has perfect eyes. The largest percentage of defects prevailing among fair haired people. The smallest vibration of sound can be distinguished better with one ear than with both. The nails of two fingers never grow with the same rapidity, that of the middle finger growing the fastest, while that of the thumb grows slowest. In 54 cases out of 100, the left leg is shorter than the right.

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Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque equal to 10 per cent. of the whole amount of the tender, which will be forfeited if the person sending the accepted tender declines to enter into a contract with the department. Cheques accompanying tenders which are not accepted will be returned immediately after a decision has been arrived at.

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F. GOURDEAU,
Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

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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.

STRIKE IS EXPECTED

St. Petersburg, May 25.—Premier Goremykin tomorrow will read before the lower house of parliament the government's response to the address in reply to the speech from the throne, and announce the government's policy.

The purpose of M. Goremykon's trip to Peteroff today the Associated Press learns, was to be read to Emperor Nicholas the final draft of the cabinet's declaration of policy, and was not connected in any way with the rumored shift in the ministry, which, however, is possible at no distant day. The Emperor at the last moment advised a few changes in the declaration. These caused a hurried meeting of the cabinet at which alterations were drafted and inserted. The position of the government on the amnesty and Agrarian propositions will not satisfy the general cry. A despatch to the Associated Press from Moscow tonight says that denial of full amnesty probably will be followed by a general strike. Similar news has been received from other industrial centres, or if only limited amnesty should be granted a general strike is expected. Hundreds of persons are leaving the city apprehensive of a reoccurrence of the scenes of last December, or collisions between the black hundred and strikers.

A strike has already begun in the suburbs of Bogodorsk on account of the festival of the ascension. A great multitude gathered today at the monastery of St. Nicholas on Holy Lake in the outskirts of Moscow. Workmen in the crowd attempted to organize a demonstration, whereupon Cossacks charged the crowd fiercely. Many innocent children were ridden down and lashed by the Cossacks whips. Two persons were killed. At another demonstration near the Shassky gate a policeman's skull was fractured.

SAVED BY HER DOG

St. John, May 25—Mamie Gallivan, ten years old, missing from home at Drury Cove since Monday last returned yesterday. For three days and nights she was wandering in the woods with no food except some berries and water from little brooks. Search was unavailing until yesterday when her dog guided her to a clearing where she collapsed. The dog stayed by her and attracted the attention of the child's brother who was among the searchers. The girl is very much exhausted and threatened with pneumonia.

POLITICAL MURDER.

Tiflis, May 25.—M. Leivre, the principal engineer of the Caucasus railway shops was killed today. The crime was attributed to political motives.

IT IS DANGEROUS TO NEGLECT A COLD

How often no we hear it remarked "Its only a cold," and a few days later learn that the man is on his back with pneumonia. This is of such common occurence that a cold, however slight, should not be disregarded. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy counteracts any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia, and has gained its great popularity and extensive sale by its prompt cured of the most common ailment. I always cures and is pleasant to take For sale by Ladysmith Pharmacy.

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THE SETTING HEN—Her failures have discouraged many a poultry raiser.

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No one doubts that there is money in raising chickens with a good Incubator and Brooder.

Users of the Chatham Incubator and Brooder have all made money. If you still cling to the old idea that you can successfully run a poultry business using the hen as a hatcher, we would like to reason with you.

In the first place, we can prove to you that your actual cash loss in eggs, which the 20 hens should lay during the time you keep them hatching and brooding, will be enough to pay for a Chatham Incubator and Brooder in five or six hatches, to say nothing whatever of the larger and better results attained by the use of the Chatham Incubator and Brooder.

If you allow a hen to set, you lose at least eight weeks of laying (three weeks hatching and five weeks taking care of the chickens), or say in the eight weeks she would lay at least three dozen eggs. Let the Chatham Incubator do the hatching, while the hen goes or lays her eggs.

Our No. 3 Incubator will hatch as many eggs as twenty setting hens, and do it better. Now, here is a question in arithmetic:—

If you keep 20 hens from laying for 8 weeks, how much cash do you lose if each hen would have laid 3 dozen eggs, and eggs are worth 15 cents per dozen? Ans.—$9.00.

Therefore, when the Chatham Incubator is hatching the number of eggs that twenty hens would hatch, it is really earning in cash for you $9.00, besides producing for your profit chicks by the wholesale, and being ready to do the same thing over again the moment each hatch is off.

Don't you think, therefore, that it pays to keep the hens laying and let the Chatham Incubator do the hatching?

There are many other reasons why the Chatham Incubator and Brooder outclasses the setting hen.

The hen sets when she is ready. The Chatham Incubator is always ready. By planning to take off a hatch at the right time, you may have plenty of broilers to sell when broilers are scarce and prices at the top notch. If you depend on the hen, your chicks will grow to broilers just when every other hen's chicks are being marketed, and when the price is not so high.

The hen is a careless mother, often leading her chicks amongst wet grass, bushes, and in places where rats can easily kill her young.

The Chatham Brooder believes itself; is a perfect mother and very rarely loses a chick, and is not infested with lice.

Altogether, there is absolutely no reasonable reason for continuing the use of a hen as a hatcher and every reason why you should have a Chatham Incubator and Brooder.

We are making a very special offer, which it will pay you to investigate.

Small Premises Sufficient For Poultry Raising.

Of course, if we have lots of room, so much the better, but many a man and woman are carrying on a successful and profitable poultry business in a small city or town lot. Anyone with a fair sized stable or shed and a small yard can raise poultry profitably.

But to make money quickly, you must get away from the old idea of trying to do business with setting hens as hatchers. You must get a Chatham Incubator and Brooder.

To enable everybody to get a fair start in the right way in the poultry business, we make a very special offer which it is worth your while to investigate.

We can supply you quickly from our distributing warehouses at Calgary, Brandon, Regina, Halifax, Chatham. Factories at CHATHAM, ONT., and DETROIT, MICH.

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Many women are to-day making an independent living and putting by money every month raising poultry with a Chatham Incubator.

Any woman with a little leisure time at her disposal can, without any previous experience or without a cent of cash, begin the poultry business and make money right from the start.

Perhaps you have a friend who is doing so. If not, we can give you the name of many who started with much misgiving, only to be surprised by the ease and profit with which the chicks came to them.

Of course, success depends on getting a right start. It must begin right. You need never make any considerable number as a poultry raiser with hens as hatchers. You must have a good Incubator and Brooder, but of a means to the ordinary success an investment which, perhaps you are not prepared to make just now, and this is just where our special offer comes in.

If you are in earnest, we will sell you an up to the poultry business without a cent of cash down. If we were not sure that the Chatham Incubator and Brooder is the best and that with it you can make a handsome amount of money for your part you are sure to make money, we would not make the special offer below.

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THE CHATHAM INCUBATOR—Its success has encouraged many to make more money than they ever thought possible out of chicks.

Every Farmer Should Raise Poultry

Almost every farmer "keeps hens," but, while he knows that there is a certain amount of profit in the business, even when letting it take care of itself, few farmers are aware of how much they are losing every year by not getting into the poultry business in such a way as to make real money out of it.

The setting hen as a hatcher will never be a commercial success. Her business is to lay eggs and she should be kept at it. The only way to raise chicks for profit is to begin right by installing a Chatham Incubator and Brooder. With such a machine you can begin hatching on a large scale at any time.

You can only get one crop off your fields in a year, but with a Chatham Incubator and Brooder and ordinary attention, you can raise chickens from early Spring until Winter and have a crop every month. Think of it!

Quite a few farmers have discovered that there is money in the poultry business and have found this branch of farming so profitable that they have installed several Chatham Incubators and Brooders after trying the first.

Perhaps you think that it requires a great deal of time or a great deal of technical knowledge to raise chickens with a Chatham Incubator and Brooder. If so, you are greatly mistaken. Your wife or daughter can attend to the machine and look after the chickens without interfering with their regular household duties.

The market is always good and prices are never low. The demand is always in excess of the supply and at certain times of the year you can practically get any price you care to ask for your broilers. With a Chatham Incubator and Brooder you can start hatching at the right time to bring the chickens to marketable broilers when the supply is very low and the prices accordingly high. This you could never do with hens as hatchers.

We know that there is money in the poultry business for every farmer who will go about it right. All you have to do is to get a Chatham Incubator and Brooder and start it. But perhaps you are not prepared just now to spend the money. This is why we make the special offer.

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NEWS BY TELEGRPH

Fatal Picnic Accident

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Favors Giving Salaries.

Toronto, May 25.—A. J. Ralston, Managing Director of the National Life Insurance Commission today said that his Company never lost on any investment. Regarding the question of commissioner Ralston, he said he believed it possible and desirable to conduct business, giving saleries instead of commission. It would, he said help to stamp out the rebate system.

The Future Queen.

Madrid, May 25.—The royal train bearing King Alfonse and his future bride, princess Ena of Battenburg, arrived this evening at the Pardo station. The Princess was escorted to the Palace with imposing ceremony.

Cornell Defeats Harvard

Boston, May 25.—In a magnificent race which was contested stubbornly throughout, Cornell varsity eight oared crew defeated Harvard varsity eight on the Charles River today by three lengths. The event was a splendid exhibition by two carefully trained and finely balanced sets of oarsmen, especially in view of some adverse conditions due to a wind, against the tide, and a bad swell left by pleasure boats which the police had failed to clear from the course. Cornell's official time was 10 min. 3-5 seconds, while Harvard's was 10 min and 52 sec-

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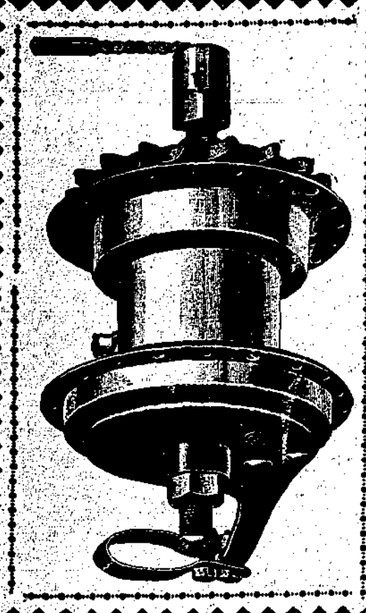

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Local Items

Mrs. H. Thornley arrived on the noon train from Victoria to-day.

Miss Ingham returned from Nanaimo this morning.

Mrs. Jas. Provan, is spending a week in Vancouver visiting friends.

The raffle of a gramophone at the Queens Hotel, tonight at 9 o'clock.

Mr. Halliday, of the Ladysmith Lumber Company, is making a brief visit to Victoria today, expecting to return on tomorrow's train.

Mr. J. W. Coburn, of Nanaimo, was in the city this morning on business.

Mr. O. Lewis, of San Francisco, will lecture here on Thursday evening, May 31st. P. Williams, M. P. P., and Mr. Hawthornthwaite, M.P. P., will be asked to attend.

Mr. T. Winsby, who has been employed in the local bank here, left this morning for Vancouver, where he will be employed in the East End branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

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SYNOPSIS

ACT I.—Richmond Villa.
ACT II.—The Lawn at Richmond Villa.
ACT III.—Same as Act I.

Mr. H. Kay returned at noon today from Victoria, where he has been enjoying the celebration in that city.

Lillie Carter, the little girl who has been staying with the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Bowen, left this morning on her way to Dawson City, from which place she will journey to the home of her mother, between that city and Forty-nine. She expects to return to Ladysmith before next Christman.

TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up till 5 p.m., on Monday, 28th May, 1906, for clearing a portion of Third Avenue, opposite the public school. Particulars can be had from the Road Foreman.

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(Signed) WONG CHING KEE.
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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.

JANE McMILLAN,
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