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HEROIC ACT OF AN OPERA SINGER

Makes Brave Effort to Save Child at Risk of her Own Life

Her Strength Gives out But Both Are Rescued by Boatman

Paris, Oct. 14.—Madame Aino Ackte, of the Paris opera, has accomplished an act of heroism, which entitles her to the notice of the academicians, who distribute annually the Montyon Prix de Vertu. Summering recently in her native Finland, she was walking by the sea in her grounds, near Helsingfors, when she saw her steward's little girl perched on a rock over the seething waves. Madame Ackte cried out to the child to leave the spot, but hardly had she spoken when the little one tumbled into the sea. The cantatrice did not hesitate. Being an excellent swimmer, she went after the child, who was being carried out by the tide, seized her by the hair, and was returning to shore when her strength failed and she swooned. Fortunately boatmen were near and reached Madame Ackte and the child in time to prevent both from being drowned. The interesting heroine of this thrilling adventure was born at Helsingfors in 1876. She entered the Paris Conservatoire in 1894, and three years later obtained the first prize for operatic singing.

GREEK NAVVIES SLAUGHTER WOMAN.

Roseburg, Or., Oct. 14.—Following the dismissal a few days ago of a Greek foreman employed in connection with the Greek construction gang on the Southern Pacific, trouble broke out among the Greeks, who demanded the reinstatement of the discharged man. Foreman Peterstein refused to comply, and an incipient riot broke out.

The Greeks numbered eighty-three but no use of weapons was made until last night, when the rioters opened fire on the northbound overland train. The mob then turned on the foreman, and firing became general. Peterstein retired to his private car, where he found the body of his wife, who had been killed by a bullet.

The killing was believed to have been done by a stray bullet.

WAVE WASHES OVER LINER, KILLING FIVE

New York, Oct. 14.—Five lives are known to have been lost, and thirty people were injured on the Cunard liner Caustican on Wednesday when in mid-ocean, a great tidal wave swept over the ship.

The housings in the steerage portion of the vessel were swept away and those killed or injured were steerage passengers.

Mr. Geo. Blaney, a rancher living on the other side of the bay, saw a panther while driving into Ladysmith yesterday. Mr. Blaney had no gun with him at the time. He immediately returned home for one, but by the time he had again reached the spot where he had seen the panther, the animal was not to be found. The farmers in the district are fearing harm will be done their sheep and are anxiously awaiting the news that the animal, which is a very large one, has been killed.

DENIES QUARREL WITH GOVERNMENT

Victoria, Oct. 14.—(Special)—A special from Ottawa says: A Toronto newspaper yesterday printed a statement to the effect that the cause of Sir William Mulock's resignation of his seat in the cabinet was a disagreement with the government.

Sir William authorizes the press to contradict this statement. He says he has had no disagreement either political or personal with any member of the government, and the reason of his resignation is, as stated at the time his retirement was first announced.

VETOED BY THE KING

For the first time in their existence the Army Council have found the King's will out of accord with their own hopes, and they have recently had to label one of their proposals, "Consent withheld" instead of with the usual "His Majesty approves."

The proposal in question related to granting permission to discharged sergeants and warrant officers to retain their rank and wear their uniform after discharge.

WILL TAKE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST COLLINS

Victoria, Oct. 14.—As soon as the warrant of surrender arrives, Geo. D. Collins will return to the Golden Gate to meet the charge of perjury preferred against him, and he says he has not the slightest fear of the result. The decision of Judge Sewell, in which it was held that desertion must be continued for at least a year before it can become a cause for action in the California courts, he expects to have a strong bearing upon his case. In the action for maintenance brought by Charlotta E. Collins, during which the affidavit denying the marriage was made by Collins, for which act the charge of perjury was brought, desertion was alleged to have continued for but five days.

"First and foremost," said Mr. Collins yesterday, "I intend as soon as possible after my return to take criminal libel proceedings against M. H. De Young, proprietor of the San Francisco Chronicle, and against the city editor, Mr. Simpson, who have hounded me more than any one else at San Francisco, because of the outrageous articles which they caused to be printed in the San Francisco Chronicle. I will also take civil proceedings against these men to recover damages because of the injury they have done me in printing the libelous articles concerning me in the Chronicle. I will make the fur fly when I return, I assure you. There will be some sensations following my arrival in San Francisco, and those who have been hounding me and stating most outrageous things regarding me because I have been out of the territory of California will then have to answer for their action. Furthermore, there may be some citations for contempt of court as a result of the articles published by the press of San Francisco regarding the proceedings against me while they were still pending. As in British Columbia, it is contempt of court for a newspaper to publish articles tending to prejudice a case pending before the court, and, although the authorities are lax in these matters in San Francisco, I intend to take proceedings to have these newspapers guilty in this instance cited for contempt."

A SIX THOUSAND MILE WALK.

London, Oct. 14.—On August 6th, 1900, Mark All, aged seventy-seven, commenced his self-imposed walking tour of 60,000 miles, to be completed by December 1907. Already the veteran has negotiated 45,407 miles, and again reached his starting point—London.

He has been six times around the British isles, visiting all the principal towns. His travels also include France, Switzerland, Germany, Holland, Belgium, Spain, and Portugal.

While in the neighborhood of Newmarket early last year the aged pedestrian attracted the notice of the King; "Brave old veteran," said his Majesty, giving him a couple of sovereigns, "be sure and communicate with me when you have accomplished your task."

Now that the Russo-Japanese war is over, he intends touring through Russia and Siberia, and is confident that he will complete the 60,000 miles before the end of 1907.

AT THE ABBOTSFORD.

K. K. Peiser, Victoria.
R. Wilson Hamilton.
C. C. Worsford, New Westminster.
D. J. Thomas, New Westminster.

M. J. Henry, the well known nurseryman and seedsman, of Westminster Road, Vancouver, is off with a party of friends for Boundary Bay for ducks, geese and pheasants. Mr. Henry and friends make this trip each year and if they do not enjoy themselves as much as they should the other fifty-one weeks in the year they make up for it in the week's outing.

Now the long evenings have come, get your reading matter at Knight's Book Store.

Appointments may be made at any time for dental work at Dr. Dier's on High street st

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Lena Casorzo, from or after this date.

C. CASORZO.

Ladysmith, B.C., Oct. 10, 1905.

EATON MAY OPEN BRANCH IN VICTORIA

Victoria, Oct. 14—(Special)—It is rumored here in well informed circles that T. H. Eaton & Co., of Toronto intend opening a branch store in Victoria shortly. Confirmation of the report is at present not obtainable, but it is thought quite probable that the project is being considered by the company in question.

Mr. W. L. Hall, whose parents live at Cumberland, is one of the three students who have just successfully passed the examinations at the Columbian Methodist College, New Westminster, and received their bachelor's degree.

TYEE SMELTER WILL BLOW IN ON MONDAY

The Tyee smelter will blow in on Monday next. A large shipment of ore is expected from Mullen, Idaho, within a few days. This is salicious ore and is secured for fluxing purposes.

A carload of Kamloops ore was received this week and more is on the way. Ores in quantity are expected in soon from the north, and with the shipments expected, to add to the Tyee ores, the smelter will, after a few weeks run much more regularly than it has done of late.

BIG CHEQUE IS MISSING

Nelson B. C., Oct 14.—It transpired at the last meeting of the city council that a marked check for $5,000 deposited with the city by Contractors Tiernay and McBeath for the due performance of the contract on the city power plant had disappeared. It was supposed to be in the city safe, to which access could only be had by the city treasurer and the mayor. Treasurer Wasson says that it was removed by Mayor Houston. The council has written to Mayor Houston asking him for its return, but in the meantime have asked the contractors to put out another check for the same amount. There has been no time for a reply from Mayor Houston, who is supposed to be in Goldfields, Nev.

ACQUITTAL COST $2,500

Vancouver, Oct. 14.—It comes expensive at times to defend a criminal action in the courts of Canada. This morning Lew Gee Wing made an effort to find out how much his acquittal on a charge laid against him in Victoria came to stand him in for $2,500, for thus it was his lawyer's little bill read. There was a short paragraph about attending on client and witnesses and defending him and the charge set down in a lump sum, and that was all. Mr. Bayfield asked for details. Mr. Robertson argued that Gee Wing had already obtained all the information that was necessary—apparently that his bill was $2,500. Mr. Justice Morrison took another view and Gee Wing will be furnished with particulars.

FINDS LETTER IN A CHEESE

A curious find was made by a Dundee grocer the other day when cutting a large American cheese. In a small glass tube were discovered a couple of letters. The first, written by the maker of the cheese at Northfield station, Ontario, on Aug. 2., read as Aug. 2, read as follows:

"Will you kindly let me know where this cheese is cut? It was made in Farmer's Joy, No. 3, by Arthur S. Sievers. There were a few young ladies with me who also want to know the same as I do. If you will write I will send you a picture of the factory and the girls."

The second letter was from the girls asking the person who cut the cheese to communicate with Edessa McBride, Muirsfield, Canada. Edith Sievers, Muckmore st. Ottawa, and Ina McBride, Northfield Station, Ontario.

A Pay Day Bargain—35 cent Book of Ladysmith views for only 20 c. at Knight's Book Store.

100 YEAR OLD MAN AT FUNERAL

In the Procession 'Ninety" Bowie Walks as Briskly as the Best

Claims to Have Been Made a Mason 84 Years Ago

Olympia, Oct. 14.—"Ninety" Bowie, who is believed to be more than 100 years old, was here yesterday to attend the funeral of Grand Secretary Reed, of the Washington Lodge of Masons. Bowie is a Mason and was raised by a Kentucky lodge 84 years ago. This is proved by records.

Bowie's story is that he is a cousin of the famous Col. Bowie and that he was born in Kentucky. A prized possession is a handsome bowie knife of immense size, which he says the Colonel gave to him. He tells of being in the Alamo in 1836 when Santa Ana and his 1,500 Mexicans surrounded and butchered 140 Texans and then killed the six who surrendered. March 6th that year Bowie says he escaped through a water pipe into which he crawled. He served in the Mexican war and is still drawing a pension from the government despite the fact that during the civil war he fought in the confederate army. Bowie drifted to Olympia about twelve years ago and applied for work at the logging camp of the Simpson Logging Company, in Mason county, where he has been employed ever since. He does a man's work every day and is strong and active. He said he was more than ninety years old twelve years ago when he arrived there, and is known throughout the woods as "Ninety" Bowie. During the Spanish war he tried to enlist, but was rejected. He votes the straight democratic ticket every election, and attributes his longevity and health to the fact that he drinks straight Kentucky whiskey. Bowie says he intends to work three years more and then retire on the little money he has saved.

Sol G. Simpson, owner of the camp and one of the best known lumber men in the state has investigated the old man's story and believes it is true. Investigation through Masonic channels also confirm Bowie's Masonic claims. Today in the funeral line Bowie walked as briskly as any of the others. His hair is thick and has not a trace of gray. His slight stoop and a multitude of wrinkles in his parchment-like, shrunken face alone give evidence of his great age. The old man cannot make himself well understood in conversation as during the civil war a bullet tore away part of his mouth and palate.

NELSON A BLAZE OF LIGHT

The Nelson Column in Trafalgar-square is to be decorated and illuminated on an unprecidentally magnificent scale in the celebration of the centenary.

Mr. W. Larkins, "the Lancashire steeplejack," as he is called, although he resides at Bow, has been commissioned to entwine the column with four spiral wreaths of natural laural from the base to the summit. On only two previous occasions, Mr. Larkins stated, have the decorations been carried up to the cornice on which the sculptured figure of Nelson stands. Nearly forty tons of laurel will be used.

From the four corners of the cornice Union Jacks will wave freely in the breeze, and starting from the same elevated point streamers of flags will stretch to nearly the plinth, repeating the great admiral's signal, "England expects——." This vast quantity of material has to be carried and fixed by Mr. Larkins as he progresses upwards to the top of the column.

In addition, an elaborate scheme of illumination has been prepared. At night the column will be ablaze with light. A 6,000 candle power searchlight will throw into dazzling prominence the figure of Nelson; eight other powerful searchlights will play about the column itself. Round the plinth, above the mass of wreaths and other floral tributes, large electric letters will read, "Goh and my Country," and "Thank God I have done my duty."

In view of the heavy burden on the limited funds of the Navy league, an appeal is made for subscriptions.

WESTERN FUEL CO. THANKS THE GOVT.

Manager Stockett on Behalf of his Company Acknowledges Service of Mackenzie King

In Bringing to a Conclusion the Recent Strike in the Neighboring City

Ottawa, Oct. 14.—The government is in receipt of a letter from T. R. Stockett, manager of the Western Fuel company's mines at Nanaimo, extending the thanks of his company for the services of Mr. MacKenzie King, deputy minister of labor, in bringing about the settlement of the strike. In his letter Mr. Stockett says the Company recognize that it was mainly due to the tact with which Mr. King conducted the negotiations that the same were successful, and that the trouble which had existed for four months in Nanaimo between the Company and its employees was brought to an end.

The letter observes that had it not been for the timely interference of the government at Ottawa, the strike would probably have lasted several months more.

THEATRE AUDIENCE SINGS GLORY SONG

London, Oct. 14.—"Billed" as a "special attraction for this night only," the Rev. G. E. Thorn, pastor of the Asylum-road Congregational Church, duly made his appearance at the Crown Theatre last Saturday evening in that extravagnt but ever popular farce, "The Swiss Express." Mr. Thorn frankly admitted that his object was advertisement—not of himself, but of his church.

Unfortunately, as not infrequently happens in stage debuts, something went wrong with his "part" Quite a number of lines had been specially written into the play for Mr. Thorns speaking. He did not forget them, as an ordinary amateur might have done, he figuratively threw the "book overboard" altogether, and made a little speech from the footlights which had not the remotest connection with the adventures of Dr. Gondimar Gull.

"I think you know me," he said, and loud cheers, sprinkled with cries of "Yes," came from the gallery.

"People say I make a good thing out of my church," he went on. "The only thing I have made out of it is a headache."

"Give us the 'Glory Song,' sir," shouted a fustianed laborer from the gallery.

Immediately the strong voice of the black-garbed man behind the foot-lights responded. "All my labors and trials are o'er," he commenced.

The baton swung to the chorus, "Glory, glory; then there'll be glory for me—" The pit and gallery started it, the dress circle was dumb for a few minutes, then began to look ashamed at its abstention, and presently plunged whole-heartedly into the song. The orchestra stalls succumbed next, and the boxes could not help themselves; presently the whole theatre was engulfed in the chorus.

Altogether it was, perhaps, the most remarkable "performance" ever seen in a London theatre.

WERE DUPES OF A GERMAN WITCH

Berlin, Oct. 14.—The police of Langensalen have arrested the "wise woman," and her accomplices, who have earned such notoriety as exorcists of evil spirits. She is a certain Iran Dopteb, who was assisted by her husband, her son-in-law, Hahn, and two brothers named Becker. They have committed, it is alleged, extensive frauds, the total extent of which is still unknown, but a sum of 86,000 marks is mentioned. Among the gifts claimed by Iran Dopitb was that of fixing judges with her eye. This process resulted in the acquittal of a person being tried before them. Should the prisoner however be convicted, notwithstanding the "fixing" process, it was because not enough money had been paid her to bribe the spirits hovering in court. One farmer has been discovered who paid her a large sum for telling whereabouts on his land he could find buried treasure. The man dug deep all over his fields and when he complained to the "wise woman" she explained that the surface of the earth had shifted since their bargain had been made.

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EVANGELISTIC SERVICES IN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

In connection with the Evangelistic services which as previously announced are to be held in the local Presbyterian Church next week, the following has been handed in for publication by the Rev. T. A. Rodgers to the Ledger for publication:

The Rev. T. A. Rodgers will, D. V. conduct evangelistic services in the Presbyterian Church, Ladysmith, commencing on Sabbath evening, the 15th October, at 7 o'clock, and every evening during the week except Saturday. Mr. Rodgers has been set apart by Assembly of the Presbyterian Church Canada, to do the work of an Evangelist. He has been laboring for some weeks within the bounds of the Victoria Presbytery. His work in Victoria has been very successful, and the session of the local church here is expecting much blessing from Mr. Rodger's visit. The aim of these services is not to proselytize or build up one denomination at the expense of another, that is not Presbyterian policy, but to rouse the careless and revive good people.

SIR HENRY IRVING PASSES AWAY.

London, Oct. 13.—The English-speaking world has suffered an irreparable loss by the sudden death tonight of Sir Henry Irving who was universally regarded as the most representative English actor of contemporary times. Sir Henry died literally in harness. He was giving a series of farewell performances in the English provinces and this week was playing an engagement at Bradford, appearing in several favorite roles. Thursday he presented "King Rene's Daughter" and "The Bells," and appeared to be in excellent health taking the exhausting part of Matthias in the latter play with all the vigor of youth. Tonight before an enthusiastic audience he portrayed one of his most characteristically intellectual parts, the title of his own stage adaption of Lord Tennyson's "Beckett," with marked success. After the performance Sir Henry returned to his hotel, reaching his rooms at 11.30 o'clock, when it was observed that he was in great pain. Physicians were immediately summoned, but before they could arrive Sir Henry was seized with an acute attack of syncope, and expired within a few minutes, without having uttered a word, in the presence of Bram Stoker, who had been his immediate manager for many years, and a few other intimates.

WELSH SOLDIER WRONGLY CONVICTED

An Innocent Tommy Sentenced to Six Months for Theft From His Comrade

London, Oct. 14.—A military melodrama, in which the South Wales Borderers played the central part, has just ended happily, with the vindication of the honor of the hero who was unlucky enough, though innocent, to be punished for theft from his chum. The victim of this unfortunate miscarriage of justice, William Henry Stubbings, until a few months ago a private in the depot of the South Wales Borderers, was at Brecon on Friday released from prison by order of the Home Secretary. Before Mr. Justice Channell, at Breconshire Assizes, on June 4th last, Stubbings, who was undefended, was convicted of uttering at Brecon post office a forged receipt for £12 and of stealing a Post Office Savings Bank book, the property of Private Russell Kemp, of the same regiment. Stubbings was ordered to undergo six months imprisonment, so that he has served considerably over half his sentence. The evidence was to the effect that Kemp, who possessed an account in the Post Office Savings Bank informed Stubbings on Saturday, May 27, that a note of withdrawal for £12 awaited him at Brecon post office. Kemp declared that no one besides Stubbings knew of the fact. Kemp left his coat, which contained the bankbook behind the door of the sergeant's mess, a short distance from an open window. To this window, it was alleged that Stubbings shortly afterwards came to call for Kemp, who was his companion. Eventually, it was discovered that the coat had been moved and the book taken. The usual receipt or warrant had been signed at the post office and the money paid over. One of the clerks at the post office, Miss Clarice Campion, stated that a soldier called between a quarter past seven and half-past seven p.m.

The soldier had produced the bankbook and signed the warrant. She then handed the book to another clerk, Miss Bell. Miss Campion could not identify Stubbings as the soldier. Miss Bell was positive that he was the man to whom she gave the money, and when closely questioned by accused, she adhered to her statement. It was elicted, however, that she and Miss Campion were shown Stubbings alone at the post-office, and only subsequently was he placed among a group of soldiers to be identified. In his defence Stubbings declared that he was at a local inn called the Bull's Head, on the night in question between half-past six and a quarter to eight. He said it was common talk that Kemp had a banking account. The landlady of the Bull's Head and a workman gave corroborating evidence to Stubbing's statement that he was at the inn during the time mentioned, stoutly protesting his innocence, Stubbings, after his committal, petitioned the Home Secretary. Recently the case was investigated by an official from Scotland Yard, and his release followed.

Stubbings was interviewed by a Press representative. Discussing his experiences in prison, Stubbings said that the governor "was very good to them all." He added: "It was he who told me I could petition against the sentence, and, of course, I did so.

As to the future, Stubbings was somewhat anxious. "What worried me when I was released was the fact that I could not go back to the Army, and I knew that a convicted person could not do much in the world. Still, I hope to get reinstated soon. I do not mean to let the matter rest with a mere order of release." Stubbings strongly protested against the method of identification employed, asking "What was the use of my being placed among a lot of other men when the post-office girls had been shown me alone previously?"

Captain F. G. Lawrence who was adjutant to the depot at the time of Stubbing's conviction, stated that he was a very promising young soldier.

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BASKETBALL.—

Says the News-Advertiser: The good old game of basketball will be the chief indoor amusement in Vancouver this winter. The game is being discussed in athletic circles, and already many of the clubs have organized. What is the matter with organizing a Provincial Senior league this season and arranging a schedule of matches. Vancouver, Victoria, New Westminster and Nanaimo would undoubtedly enter teams in competition and it would give the game a big boost in winter sports. It is now up to one of the officials of the local club to take the initiative and write the representatives of the various Provincial clubs regarding the matter.

FOOTBALL.—

Here is a description of the way the opening football match was played in Ottawa two weeks ago today. Boucher and Roberts afterwards pleaded guilty to assault in the police court and were let go on suspended sentence:

"That there were no more serious results of these tactics than Montreal particularly suffered was due to the officials, and specially to Sandy Cameron. Mr. Shillington, who is president of the Quebec Rugby Football Union, had appointed two men in whom he had the fullest confidence—Parr, who has played the game both in Ottawa and Montreal, and Cameron, an old Roughrider. Both men who knew the rules, both fair and aboveboard.

"But in the match between teams like those that played Saturday, other besides these estimable qualities are necessary, and in this particular Cameron excelled.

"His very physique and his big voice were of use to him and were effective when the referee's whistle was disregarded.

"It was at this point when Walters brutally kicked Percy Roberts in the abdomen. There was no excuse for the act, the ball was dead at the time, and all those on the touchline near where the assault happened, friends and foes alike, declared that there was absolutely no reason for it.

Walters went off for good, and Roberts was attended to and managed to forget about his hurt, and to continue the game.

"Percy Roberts got into some more trouble then. Killeen, against whom he was playing, went for him with his fists. When he was dragged away, and Roberts was not doing anything, he followed Walters' example, and gave Roberts a vicious kick in the stomach. Roberts, however, can stand a lot.

"Just before his sensational run, however, the last and most unprecedented piece of brutality took place.

"Right near the grandstand, in full view of the spectators, O'Brien hit McAllen with his fist, a thing in itself that would not have been so serious but for the immediate consequences.

"McAllen hit back, and then Boucher jumped in, and hitting McAllen, who is about a third his size, on the back of the neck felled him. Why he mixed up is hard to tell, but he looked as if he felt sorry for it afterward. Then to crown this exquisite piece of brutality, one of the men on the touchline, who had up till then apparently tried to separate the combatants, kicked McAllen in the face as he was lying prone on the ground.

"The white-haired scrimmage boy was carried off the field like a corpse.

"As stated at the beginning of this story, the Ottawa chief of police is going to take some action. There are two Ottawa policemen on St. Patrick's team—Burke and Vaughan—and it would not be surprising if they were forbidden to play in future on account of the disgraceful work done by some of the team and their supporters."

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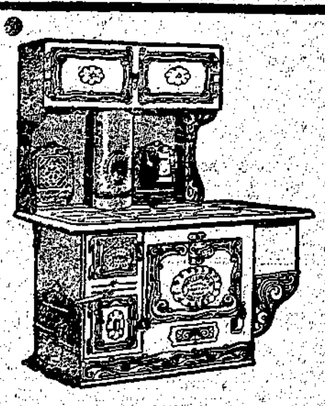

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Quartz—A free miner's certificate is granted upon payment in advance of $7.50 per annum for an individual, and from $50 to $100 per annum for a company, according to capital.

A free miner, having discovered mineral in place, may locate a claim 1,500 x 1,500 feet. The fee for recording a claim is $5.00

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 an acre.

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W. W. CORY,
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Comprising nearly eight hundred pages the Statistical Year Book of Canada for 1904 is czammed with an amazing amount of information bearing on the vast resources and progress of the Dominion.

The rate of progress may be gathered from the fact that, while the average number of acres taken up annually by settlers during the period 1891-2 was 638,052, the acreage was about seven times that average last year. Nearly thirten million acres were taken up last year, and the number of farms of 160 acres each allotted in the year was 79,435. There are now 655,239 such farms, and the number of acres occupied by settlers is nearly 105 millions.

An English paper says: Canada, being pre-eminently a wheat-growing country, it is generally forgotten that other very large crops are produced. For instance, last year over 11¼ million pounds of tobacco were produced, and also 55¼ million bushels of potatoes, and over a million pounds of hops. Over 18½ million bushels of apples were produced, more than half a million bushels of peaches, and the same quantity of pears and plums. The output of grapes exceeded 24¾ million lb.

Over 24 million lb of butter were exported last year, mostly to Great Britain, and 234 million lb. of cheese nearly all of the latter going to England. The export of butter from the United States is less than half that from Canada, and the export of cheese only a tenth.

The coal areas of the Dominion are estimated at 97,200 square miles, not including areas known, but as yet undeveloped, in the far north. In Nova Scotia alone it is estimated that there are 7,000 million tons. The total value of the fisheries in 1903 was over £4,000,000.

Over twenty-three and a half million passengers and forty million tons of goods were carried on the Canadian steam railroads last year. Letters posted numbered 259 millions and postcards 27 millions. There are 117 daily newspapers in the Dominion.

Public Notice

Attention is called to the fact that the

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Best tobacco, fruit and candies at Carter's, First Avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pierce, of the Croftonton, are guests at the Abbotsford

On Tuesday, Oct. 31st, the ladies of the Presbyterian church will hold a Hallow'een social in the church building.

Mr. and Mrs. Hearne, of Duncans, ton Hotel are guests at the Abbotsford.

Misses Ramsay and Coburn went up to Nanaimo at noon today.

Amongst the passengers to Nanaimo on the twelve o'clock train were Mrs. W. Thompson, Mrs. J. Adam and Mrs. W. A. Fletcher.

Mr. A. F. Owen, the well known piano tuner, has so far recovered from his late accident that he is now ready to attend to any business in his line, and will promptly answer any orders left at the Abbotsford Hotel.

In the city hall last evening before Justices Matheson and Allan A. L. Haskins was charged by the Poundkeeper with obstructing that officer in the discharge of his duties on Oct. 10. The defendant asked for an adjournment for a week, stating that he had been unable to obtain the services of counsel, as he was only served with the summons on the previous evening. The counsel for the prosecution, Mr. Russell Simpson, having no objections the court was adjourned until Friday evening next, at seven o'clock.

On Wednesday next the Firemens' masquerade ball will come off in the opera house, and for the past week those who purpose attending the affair have been confronted with the problem as to what they shall wear to look nice and be original at the same time. It is a pretty difficult matter to be original these days, but it is whispered that certain bright young men have conjured up something "quite new," and that there will be a good contest for prizes for best represented characters

CHURCH NOTICES

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. R. Boyle, pastor.
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Sabbath School—2.30 p.m.
Evening Service—7 p.m.
Bible study class, Wednesday evening at 7.30.
The Rev. T. Rodgers will preach at the morning service.

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Evening service and sermon—7 p.m.
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MARRIAGE AND DIVORCE.

In an article on "Marriage and Divorce," contributed by Norma W. Jones, to the North American Review, emphasis is laid on the cruelty and injustice that are perpetrated in many instances when the question of the permissibility of divorce is determined by reference to the mere letter of the law. The Scriptural text upon which most stress is usually laid when this subject is under discussion is this: "What therefore, God hath joined together, let no man put asunder." Mrs. Jones asks what means have the law?" we of knowing whom God really joins together. Many marriages are the result of unworthy motives, and are entered into for the sake of money or title or position. The marriage riage service was formulated by man but who can tell whether or not any particular union of man and woman through marriage has the special sanction of God? It is often found that a terrible mistake has been made; and if in such a case the church, with the sanction of the civil court, solemnly dissolved the bond, would not the pair in such circumstances be as much put asunder by God as they were joined by him? Mrs. Jones says:

"We believe that married life is the true state for both men and women, that no one can reach his, or her, highest development who goes through this world alone or unmatched, neither can there be any true happiness in those relations between the sexes which have not the approval of society and will not allow the conscience to be at peace with God and man. So long, however, as human nature is so frail, temperaments so different, early training and circumstances so utterly diverse, it is well-nigh impossible for some couples to get along peaceably in this closest of all relationships. Their days and nights are filled with bickerings and discussions till life is a burden to each. Why should they be held together by either civil or di-

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COAL MINES REGULATION ACT

Notice of Examination.

Notice is hereby given that examinations will be held for 1st, 2nd and 3rd class certificates of competency under the provisions of the "Coal Mines Regulation Act," on the 14th, 15th and 16th days of November, 1905, commencing at the hour of 9.30 o'clock in the forenoon.

The examinations will be held at Fernie, Nanaimo and Cumberland. The subjects will be as follows:

1st Class Candidates	2nd class candidates	3rd class candidates
Mining act and Special Rules Mine Gases Ventilation General Work Mining Machinery Surveying.	Mining act and Special Rules Mine Gases Ventilation General Work	Mining act and Special Rules Mine Gases and General Work

Applications must be made to the undersigned, accompanied by the statutory fee, as follows:

By an applicant for First and Second Class Examination $10.00

By an applicant for Third Class Examination 5.00

The applications must be accompanied by testimonials or certified copies thereof, (a) If a candidate for First Class, that he is a British subject and has had at least five years' experience in or about the practical working of a coal mine, and is at least 25 years of age.

(b.) If a candidate for Second Class, that he has had at least five years' experience in or about the practical working of a coal mine.

(c) If a candidate for Third Class, that he has had at least three years' experience in or about the practical working of a coal mine.

By order of the Board,

FRANCIS H. SHEPHERD
Secretary.

Nanaimo, B. C., September 30th, 1905.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned will apply at the next regular sitting of the Licensing Board for the transfer of the retail liquor license held by him for the Portland Hotel, located on lot 5, block 2, 1st Avenue, City of Ladysmith, to John Gogo. ANGELO TATE.

Russell Simpson, Solicitor for applicant.

Ladysmith, B. C., October 4, 1905.

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I hereby give notice that on Monday, the 6th day of November, A.D., 1905, at the hour of 11 o'clock a. m., at the Court House, Nanaimo, I shall offer for sale by public auction the Mineral Claims in the list hereinafter set out, of which Crown Grants have been issued, for all unpaid taxes accrued due and payable on the 30th day of June, 1905, and for the expenses of advertising this notice.

If the taxes and expenses of advertising, as set out in said list, are not paid to me on or before the day of sale, the claims may be sold to the highest bidder and a conveyance executed to the purchaser of all rights and interest in said claims legally allienated by the Crown by the Crown Grants thereof.

In the event of there being no purchaser or if the price offered shall not be sufficient to pay the taxes and expenses, the land shall absolutely revert to the Province and Crown Grants thereof shall be deemed void.

LIST ABOVE MENTIONED.

Name of Person	Name of Claim	Description of Claim	Total Taxes Unpaid	Expenses and Costs	Total amount Due
Forbes Annie E.	Stoneway	Lot 72 Texada Is.	12 25	2 "	14 25
Forbes, James	Lucky Jack	Lot 79 Texada Is.	12 50	2 "	14 50
Forbes, Robert	Vanderbill	Lot 76 Texada Is.	13 50	2 "	15 50
	Milner	Lot 77 Texada Is.	10 50	2 "	12 50
	B. C.	Lot 71 Texada Is.	10 25	2 "	12 25
	Minneapolis	Lot 78 Texada Is.	9 75	2 "	11 75
	Nelson	Lot 73 Texada Is.	12 75	2 "	14 75
	Paystreak	Lot 75 Texada Is.	13 75	2 "	15 75

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