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WOULD LET IN THE JAPANESE

"Canada!" he said with enthusiasm. "Why, Canada is such a glorious country, so immensely rich in natural resources, that no mismanagement, governmental or otherwise, could ever spoil it."

These were the words used to a Witness interviewer at the C. P. R. offices this morning by Dr. Maurice Baumfield, special correspondent of the famous Neu Freie Presse, of Vienna, who has spent the last three or four months in exploring Canada. His primary object has been to write special articles for his paper describing the country, and he is making particular inquiries into the question of immigration, upon which he will present a report to the Austria-Hungarian Government on his return.

In my report to the government, he said, I shall strongly recommend this country as a field for the settlement of our immigrants. Do you know that no fewer than 285,000 of our people from Austria and Hungary have gone to the United States I have a feeling that it would b much better for them to come here where there are such splendid prospects for them. The Canadian people whom I have met have told me that the Galicians and Hungarians make excellent farmers and railway men. As an instance of the success which has attended my countrymen in Canada. I may tell you that I met a Galican at Star, 35 miles out from Edmonton, who came to Canada, as he himself told me, eight years ago without so much as ten dollars in his possession. Today he has $6,500 worth of machinery, all paid for, he owns three quarter sections of land, he has a nice house, 80 horses, more than 150 head of cattle, and I do not know how many hundred pigs fowls, and so on. He is a very simple-minded and industrious man. Although this may be an exceptional case, it shows what the Galicans can accomplish here. He told me that he estimated he was worth at least $35 000.

Dr. Baumfield has journeyed from one end of Canada to the other, and has not only investigated the communities close to the main line of the C. P. R. but has driven far out into the remote settlements. He expressed the unhesitating belief that the province which has the greatest future before it is the Province of British Columbia.

It is indeed a marvellous province, he remarked.—Marvellous in beauty and in natural wealth. Not only is it a mining and forest country, but it has excellent agricultural regions yet awaiting development, and particularly if you go farther north towards the Peace river."

The doctor was prodigal in his praise of the scenery of British Columbia. He took about four weeks to go through the Canadian Alps, and he was particularly struck with the wonderful beauty of the Valley of the Ten Peaks, with Burgess Pass, near the Cougar Valley, near where the Caves of Chepos are situated.

"It is in this latter valley," he said, "that you get a really adequate impression of what the glaciers are like. You can look away far into the distance and see, yes, hundreds of miles of glacier. The glacier at Glacier Station is, too, very fine. I will not say it is as fine as the one at Glacier, in Switzerland, but the surroundings are far beyond those in Switzerland for grandeur."

He had much to say about the good quality of the farming land in the prairie provinces, and particularly admired the great irrigation scheme which the C. P. R. is carrying out near Calgary. That scheme, he thinks is destined to make Calgary a great city, and Edmonton, he thinks, will be a city just as great.

I cannot say which city will be the greater, but I am inclined to think it

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FIGHTING HAS BEEN SUSPENDED

Havana, Sept. 5.—Peace is in the air, and on all sides tonight there is hope that matters will be arranged between the government and the insurgents so as avoid further bloodshed. However, there has been no tangible evidence towards definite arrangement of a basis for negotiation. In the meantime fighting has been practically suspended; Delegates informally chosen by a small group of veterans started for camps of Pinto Guerra, Calasbero. General Guezman and others of the insurgent leaders with the purpose of learning what will be acceptable to the actual fighting leaders of the revolution. A similar committee started for Cienfugeos to consult under a flag of truce with the insurgent leaders in Santa Clara province. The Associated Press is informed that the government commanders have been directed to suspend active operations until it can be determined what can be done to end the war. The propositions which the promoters of the peace movement have in mind are generally speaking, a special session of Congress to pass acts of amnesty for the holding of municipal elections within sixty days to be supervised by members of both parties; a new general election law providing for minority representation in all branches of the national and municipal governments.

Havana, Sept. 5.—The peace proposals are not making any progress. Gen. Menocal is consulting with the local business men and a few politicians but nothing definite has resulted. The executive committee of the moderate National Assembly will meet this evening. This is regarded as an encouraging sign.

A local newspaper this afternoon will publish a document signed by the majority of the Liberal and Independent Senators, members of the house and councilmen of the province of Havana, setting forth their willingness to resign though they were not elected at the time of the disputed election. Such a step is deemed advisable in order to secure peace.

Committees of veterans started today to visit insurgents in the province of Santa Clara, Havana and Pinar del Rio, to learn whether or not they are willing to cease hostilities on the basis of the proposition to hold municipal elections within sixty days and the holding of a special session of Congress to pass a new general amnesty for everybody concerned in the revolution. The same propositions will be submitted to the executive committees of both political parties.

BRYAN WELCOMED HOME

Lincoln, Neb., Sept. 5.—Wm. J. Bryan tonight returned with his wife and daughter Grace, and the home folks welcomed them with every evidence of approval. Lincoln has more Republicans than Democrats, but there was no partizan division. It is doubtful whether the city ever held a larger crowd than today. It was a half holiday here, and every train arrived loaded with not only Nebraska people, but many from nearby states. The city was handsomely decorated, and the non-partisan nature of the reception was emphasized in every way possible.

A SERIES OF REVOLUTIONS.

New Orleans, Sept. 5.—The existence of an alleged Junta, which is said to be collecting funds and supplies for a revolution to be started simultaneously about Nov. 1 in Costa Rica, Honduras, Salvador, Nicaragua and Guatemala was announced here today.

CONCEALED WEAPON KILLS THE LANDLADY

Seattle, Sept. 6.—Afraid that some person might steal his concertina, Julius Marsaudielle, an Italian newly come to this country, ingeniously arranged a revolver in the trunk with the musical instrument in such a manner that opening the trunk would discharge the revolver. Yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Emma Early the proprietress of the Louvre rooming house at 528½ First Avenue, south, was cleaning up his room and in attempting to raise the lid of the trunk she discharged the revolver and was fatally shot, dying a few minutes later. Marsaudielle took great pride in his concertina, and it is said that several times he had made the assertion that the person who went near his trunk would regret it.

It was about 2 o'clock that Mrs. Daly and Mrs. J. P. Prentice, who was a visitor at the house, went up stairs to make the beds. Mrs. Daly entered the room of Julius Marsaudielle, while her friend went into a room across the hall. About fifteen minutes later Mrs. Prentice heard a shot, and ran into the hall, where she met Mrs. Daly, who cried "I'm shot," and dropped to the floor. Mrs Prentice called for help, but by the time Mr. Daly and Mr. Prentice had reached them, Mrs. Daly was dead.

Detective Kennedy took charge of the body and had it removed to Boney-Watson's. In the room where the shooting occurred the officers found an old trunk with the lid partly raised. A 38-calibre Smith & Wesson revolver was firmly set near the top of the trunk, and a string led from the trigger to the lid of the trunk in such a manner that the revolver would be discharged when the lid was raised. Mrs. Daly had apparently raised the lid and discharged the revolver, the bullet entering her body a little above the heart.

At 6 o'clock last evening, Marsaudielle, an Italian laborer, about 30 years old, returned from his work, and was arrested by Detective Kennedy, and lodged in the city jail. No charge was entered against him, the matter being left for the prosecuting attorney's office today. Marsaudielle stated that he was afraid that someone would steal his effects, and that he had fixed the revolver as a protection. He had a means of opening the trunk from the rear, so that the revolver would not be disturbed.

Mrs. Daly is well known around Roslyn, where she lived with her husband, Andrew Daly, for eight years, leaving there four years ago and going to San Francisco. They returned to Seattle about five weeks ago and took over the Louvre rooming house.

She was 61 years of age.

STRIKE IS ENDED IN SAN FRANCISCO

San Francisco, Sept. 6.—The carmen's union voted late tonight to go back to work and submit the question of wages and hours to arbitration. This action was taken at a mass meeting of the union. Before becoming effective, however, it must be ratified by the seven affiliated unions. This, it is thought, will be easily obtained and as a result the strike will be declared off.

The action of the carmen tonight was practically forced by their national organization, and is a complete back down from the position taken at a mass meeting several days ago. It was persistently rumored during the day that President W. D. Mahon, of the Amalgamated Association of Street Railroad Employes of America, with which the local union is affiliated, had ordered the men back to work under threats of revoking their charter. This was denied by the leaders, who, however, admitted that they had received a telegram from Mahon, the contents of which they refused to give tonight.

President Calhoun stated tonight that he would take all the car men back and could also use all the men he had imported. The end of the strike followed a day of intense excitement around the car barns, where strike-breaker guards fired several volleys at a mob.

REV. J. G. SHEARER SPEAKS ENTERTAININGLY

Tells of the Difficulties Encountered in House of Parliament When Passing Lord's Day Alliance Bill

The Rev. J. G. Shearer, Secretary of the Lord's Day Alliance, lectured in the Presbyterian Church last evening to what was, unfortunately, a comparatively small audience. The inclement weather had, perhaps, much to do with the small attendance, but those who did avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing Mr. Shearer were much interested. Mr. Shearer is an excellent speaker, and one could not fail to listen with interest to his description of the passage of the Lord's Day Bill through the Dominion house of parliament.

Rev. Mr. Bowen introduced the speaker of the evening, after a few preliminary remarks, in which he expressed his sincere gratitude for the success which had been attained by the Lord's Day Alliance Society and expressing his regret at the very apparent non-observance of the Sabbath by a large number of Ladysmith residents.

The Rev. Mr. Shearer, in rising to address the assemblage, stated that he had always found it advisable, in speaking to an audience, to choose an interesting theme, and stick to that throughout the discourse.

In British Columbia he had found the majority of people mostly interested in the battle for the Lord's Day in Ottawa, and therefore, he would endeavor to show how this battle had been won by the Society setting forth some of the difficulties met and over come by the Society.

First, however, he wished to explain what the act really was. It was the first National observance act ever passed in Canada, and it was something which would greatly advance the whole Dominion amongst the nations of the world. In saying it was the first national act, he meant by that it was the first national act which embraced the whole of Canada. Of course, previous to the passage of this legislation there were provinces which had Sunday laws of their own, but on the other hand there were other provinces which had no Sunday observance. For instance, he had always heard, and it was the general impression in the eastern provinces, that on Vancouver Island no Sunday law existed. Whether this was the case at present or not, as a result of the Lord's Day Act, after the first of March, Vancouver Island, as well as the rest of Canada, would have a Sunday law, and nothing could be more advantageous to the island than this should be the case.

Again referring to the work done at the house of parliament in the passage of this Act, the speaker dwelt on the speech of Premier Laurier, when the matter came up for discussion. The Premier had turned to his French-Canadian followers, amongst whom were many opposed to the passage of the act, and in an eloquent speech, had reminded them that some 200 years ago, in what he conceived to be an evil hour, the great French nation had abolished all Sunday observance acts, and since that day no legal Sunday has been known in France. However, the Premier had added, he had certain information that the French Chamber of deputies were about to pass a Sunday observance act, and he believed that if such was the case, it would be the best act for the whole nation which had been passed for many years. The reason that these steps were being taken in France was owing to the fact that the great masses of the working men had asked to have a Sunday law. For 200 years Sunday had gradually receded from a day of rest and enjoyment, until at the present time in France, it was a working day for the working man, and no day of rest existed.

Mr. Shearer claimed that the speech of Sir Wilfrid Laurier was one of the greatest factors in the passage of the act, "and how much more," added the speaker, "would the speech been effective had the Premier been in a position o state as he would be today, that such a law in France has actually been passed, and today Sunday is observed throughout the length and breadth of France."

The speaker then went to detail regarding the difficulties encountered before the act finally passed. He stated that in the first place there was a petition signed by 13,000, presented by the Seventh Day Adventists, asking that the bill be not made law; the Jews of Canada had made vigorous protests to the act, had been represented by very able lawyers, and amongst their arguments advanced the claim that there were in the neighborhood of 40,000 Jews in Canada, who were all opposed to the passage of the bill. In answer to this last argument, the speaker and his party had looked up the census, and found that in 1901 there were in all 1,600 Jews in the Dominion. The only reply the Jewish party could make to this fact when confronted with the results of the Society's investigation, was to the effect that most of the Jews had been away from home when the census had been taken. Then, too, the Alliance had met opposition from manufacturing concerns, princes of capital, transportation companies, etc., etc., and the speaker assured the audience that it was a large contract to undertake to successfully meet and defeat the arguments advanced by these factions. In fact, the Jews nearly succeeded in getting a clause which would have exempted them from the law provided it was put in force, and they had convinced the committee of twelve that this should be the case. However, the Alliance officers had gone to work on the remaining 240 members of parliament and had succeeded in getting this clause struck out, consequently the Jews will be as much affected by the new law as anyone.

Regarding the Sunday Excursion clause, not much difficulty had been encountered here, although it had been expected. It seemed, however, that the Sunday excursions had no friends, even among the transportation companies, and hence this clause passed. Regarding the Sunday sports, this had received some opposition. The speaker then went on to explain the real object of the Alliance in putting a stop to Sunday games, etc. He stated that there was a mistaken impression prevailing in some parts that the Alliance wished to interfere with the personal liberty of the people. The object of the Alliance was not to stop little picnic parties from going on excursions by themselves, or to try and make a man sit with folded arms all day Sunday. What the Alliance was after was to get a Sunday for the workingman and others, and then let them decide for themselves how they would spend it. According to the Bill, it would be unlawful for any games to be played to which an admission of any kind was charged, or in which any of the principals were receiving pay for their play. For instance, is a pitcher in a baseball game received pay for his services during the game, the whole team and any of the spectators present would be liable according to the Act. This was done in order that no one could be operating amusements of any kind, in which others were obliged to work, for commercial gain.

In this respect the speaker took much pleasure in referring to the speech of Ralph Smith, M.P., when that gentleman had spoken in Nanaimo the night previous, on this subject. Mr. Smith had advanced arguments which could not be met by any advocates of Sunday games.

Referring to the Sunday newspaper clause, Mr. Shearer stated that the Alliance had expected much opposition on this point, but again such had not been the case. In British Columbia there are about five papers which will be affected by the change, and three in Montreal. It was true that these papers sent in a protest to the house of parliament, but this protest had scarcely been considered. In fact, a clause had been added which the Alliance never had not even asked for to the effect that no Sunday papers from the United States be allowed to circulate, or be brought into the country on a Sunday. Speaking of the Sunday papers, the lecturer stated that he had done much traveling in the United States, and he was of the opinion from his observations, that the Sunday papers, or "Yellow journals" as he designated some of them, were doing more harm than any other influence in the United States.

Coming to the Railway question, the speaker stated that this brought on the biggest fight of all. Many railways were represented by some of the most able lawyers and experts who advanced many and various reasons why this law should not go into effect. However, amongst many other things done by the Alliance, they had proven to the committee, and to the members of parliament, that two of the largest railways in the United States had, of their own accord, within the past two years, done away with the greatest part of their Sunday traffic, claiming that it was better for the men, for the rolling stock, and consequently for the dividends that Sunday be observed as much as possible. The Alliance had also introduced expert advice which had been gathered from all over the Dominion, and the speaker had been employed a year and a half previously in gathering up information and facts to be brought before the committee, which had in the end proved successful, and the Alliance had triumphed. Of course, this had taken weeks and weeks to accomplish, and finally, at the end, it had almost looked as if the whole matter would be laid over until another session, which would have meant no end of toil in order to bring it to the same point of vantage it enjoyed just before passing. However, it had passed, and as a direct result, about 75,000 persons in Canada who have in the past been obliged to work Sundays, would immediately reap the benefits of the bill, and there still remained another 75,000 who would, at some future time, very likely enjoy the fruits of the labor of the Lord's Day Alliance.

CHANGE IN RULES

London, Sept. 5.—An important change was made in the Cambridge Harvard university boat race rules which were signed last night by Capt Goldsmith, for Cambridge and Capt. Filley for Harvard, and by referee R. C. Lehmann to the effect that if at any point in the race there should be a serious accident to either boat, not due to the fault of any one individual and materially affecting the result, the Umpire is empowered to re-start the race, the same or some other day after consultation with Goldsmith and Capt. Filley. Similarly the race may be restarted if either boat should be interfered with by a steamer or barge or other obstacle.

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MOUNT MARGHERITA.

Fully two months have elapsed since the Duke of Abruzzi won his freshest laurels as an explorer, but only within a few days has a detailed account of his achievements in Central Africa become available for scrutiny. Hence it is now possible for the first time to dispel several uncertainties which have existed since the success of the Italian was briefly announced by cable.

Geographers will be glad to learn that the height of the loftiest peak in the Ruwenzori range is determined beyond a doubt by barometric measurement, and is no longer a matter of guesswork, however shrewd. This summit, which in honor of the Queen Dowager of Italy, has been named Margherita, rises to an elevation of 18,220 feet, and is, therefore one hundred feet higher than Mt. St. Elias, which the Duke of Abruzzi ascended in 1897. The difficulties of mountain climbing are not, of course, exactly proportionate to height above sea level, but "on the face of the returns" the performance of nine years ago has been surpassed.—New York Tribune.

MEDICAL SCIENCE.

It is interesting at a time when the greatest Medical Association in the world is about to gather in Toronto, to note some of the most recentadvances in the science of medicine, and acknowledge once more the great debt humanity owes to the noblest of professions. Medical research has more than kept pace with the increasing strain and worry of modern conditions, and has made the average life longer than in the quieter, soberer days of our grandfathers. More than statesmen or philanthropists, the doctors must be recognized as the chief benefactors of the race.

Of all diseases that are common, cancer is the most dreadful, and at the moment it is the most interesting to the medical profession. Many have been the alleged cures discovered, wealthy have become the quacks who profess to heal; but among the leading medical scientists who have devoted themselves to its investigation none has been able to report such progress as Dr. Beard. Some of his results were discussed in these columns a few days ago, and the hope held out that his researches had been in part successful. But a day or two later the London cables brought the news that Beard's trypsin had been abandoned by a leading hospital. Should this be credited with important discoveries, even should they not immediately result in a remedy for the disease. Only a year ago another distinguished medical man, Dr. Doyen, of Paris, had to acknowledge failure in his efforts to cure cancer. Doctors were not disappointed in this result, for Doyen based his claim on a theory of the disease that was at variance with established conceptions. He, insisted on regarding it as caused by bacterial and his failure to diagnose and cure was complete.

Against this failure of medical science, or rather the postponed victory, many notable triumphs may be set. Tuberculosis is no longer the scourge it was ten years ago. No new medicine has been discovered that will conquer it, beyond the surgeon's knife it lies, and if year by year its ravages are less, we may thank common sense as much as doctors. Good living, in a hygienic sense of the expression, is the cure for consumption, and it almost ranks as a specific like iron, mercury and quinine. To die of typhoid fever is becoming more and more difficult, thanks to preventive measures. "For every fatal case of typhoid,," declared a great doctor recently, "someone ought to be hanged for criminal carelessness." Diphtheria is another disease whose mortality has been almost removed, thanks to antitoxin A few years ago it was as deadly as a plague.

Smallpox has been conquered by sanitation, and its most dreaded results—disfigurement—has been banished by Dr. Finsen's light cure. Appendicitis, which under the name of colic, and obscure terms ending in "itis," has been slaying its thousands for hundreds of years, is now at the mercy of the surgeons. How sure are the results of expert operation in this disease, may be judged from the fact that Sir Frederick Treves, the English surgeon who recently retired, operated on a thousand private cases of appendicitis, and lost not one.

Pneumonia remains a growing menace, but the sleuth hounds of medical research are on its trail, and sooner or later will deprive it of its terrors. Rheumatism probably causes as much suffering as all these diseases put together, although it is a malady that many profess to cure. Nevertheless it persists, mysterious and universal. Medical men generally explain it as the result of bacteria in the system, but a minority maintains that it is produced solely and directly through the operation of well known chemical laws, resulting entirely from improper eating. Dr. Winters, a Cornell lecturer, takes this ground, and insists that a vegetarian and non-alcoholic diet is a sure prevention and a sure cure for rheumatism. He declares positively that so long as a person troubled with rheumatism takes alcohol, it is impossible for him to be cured.

Blood poisoning, which has become much less common since Lord Lister's great discovery was given to the world, finds another foe in formalin. In the treatment of hip disease Dr. Lorenz has shown some marvelous results, although reports differ as to the success of his treatment of the Armour child. Entering thus the domain of surgery we find an art, scarcely 50 years old, already brought to perfection. That future surgeons will be able to do much more than those living today may well be doubted. Into every part of the body the skilled operator now thrusts his healing knife —into the heart and the brain. There remains but one small portion of the brain that may not be invaded, for here the wall between death and life is thinner and finer than any blade.

Before just such a gathering as Toronto is to witness have many important discoveries been announced for the first time. It may be that before the members of the Association depart they will have grasped one more of the secrets of life. The world of medicine awaits with the keenest interest the discussions for which the British Medical Association is famous.—Toronto "Mail and Empire."

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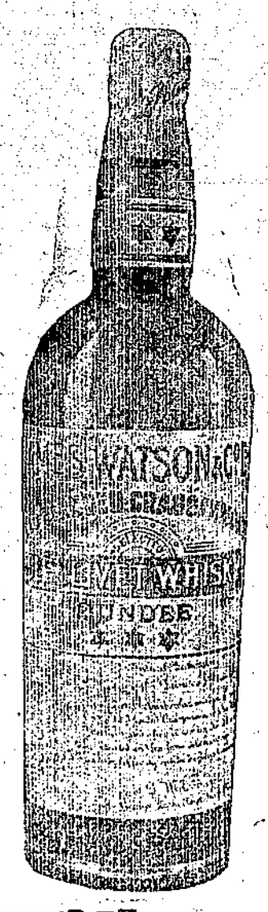

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Entry must be made personally at the local land office for the district in which the land is situate,

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.

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NEWS NOTES FROM NANAIMO

The corner stone of the new St. Paul's church will be laid at three o'clock this afternoon by the Lord Bishop of Columbia, the Right Rev. W. W. Perrin, D. D.

The service will be fully choral with a surpliced choir, and, weather permitting, it will take place outside. Should the rain continue the service will be held in the Institute, the clergy and choir withdrawing for the actual act of laying the stone. A collection will be made for the building fund during the singing of the last hymn.

Description of the Building.

The building, which presents a church like appearance, with high gables, sloping roof, etestings, crosses and finials, together with Gothic buttresses and projecting porch, is most graceful in effect while still reserving dignified repose, so essential to English church architecture, and is from the plans of Mr. W. H. Archer, F.A.I.A., Architect.

A projecting water-table forms a base all round the edifice and gives stability to the whole.

The Gothic doors with their massive foliated iron hinges upon diagonal patterns, as well as the Gothic windows filled with English diamond pattern cathedral glass, are in strict keeping with the style of the building.

The church has two entrances, the principal one is on Church street, through a handsome porch with double doors and approached by a spacious flight of steps with coped sides. The Rectory's vestry opens on the Rectory side of the church where the choir and vestry enter.

Upon entering the church, the interior has a lofty ceiling divided by open timbered, chamfered trusses into panelled bays, giving an elongated perspective. Leaded cathedral glass windows pierce the front gables.

The chancel has a large and graceful arch with double chamfer mould and a roof somewhat lower than the nave, to insure acoustics with open trusses and panelling in natural woods. A large chantel window in three panels, heavily mullioned and cusped, will be filled with cathedral glass.

The sanctuary and chancel, approached by three steps, are very large, measuring 31x20 feet, with organ chamber at one side and entrance from clergy vestry on the other.

The sanctuary is apsidal with octagonal panelled roof and has two side windows in addition to the large chancel window.

The walls of the building are in cement plaster, a painted dado surrounds the church, chance, chancel and sanctuary; all the wood work resembles old oak and the interior doors are covered with green baize with brass nail panels.

The church is lighted by clusters of electric iridescent flowers, which with the small and crossing lights give a soft brilliance to every part of the church, they are so arranged as not to cross the line of vision. The chancel, sanctuary and nave are similarly lighted.

Electric bells, (return call) communicate between the vestries and front porch.

The heating apparatus, organ motor and fuel are located in the basement, with separate entrance, and the floors of the church are all insulated against damp.

A massive square tower is placed at the northeast corner of the church front, facing on Church street with Gothic entrance having a radiated hood, above which is located elongated Louvered belfry opening, the whole surmounted by open battlements, from which rises a graceful octagonal coronated spire with small Dormers on four sides terminating with a wrought iron cross 105 feet from the sidewalk.

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Mr. Parker Williams, M. P. P., for Newcastle in the local Legislature addressed a large Socialistic gathering in the Grand Theatre on Cordova Street Vancouver on Sunday evening Mr. Williams dealt at length with his record in the Legislature, and pointed to the labor legislation he and Mr. Hawthornthwaite had succeeded in passing in spite of bitter opposition. He said that of the two political parties, he would rather have the Conservatives than the Liberals, because he liked better the foe that came out and killed their labor measures with a club than the one that tried to strangle them by abortion. A number of humorous strokes made in Mr. William's Welsh brogue were highly relished by the audience, who laughed and applauded loudly. In answer to some questions at the close of his lecture, Mr. Williams expressed himself as opposed to the Hindu immigration, and in favor of an all-round tax against Asiatics.

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Canadian Honored.

Whitby, Ont., Dept. 5.—Citizens of Whitby last night honored Hamar Greenwood, the Canadian member of the English parliament who is a native of this place.

Methoists Have A Surplus.

Toronto, Sept. 5.—The annual meeting of the superannuation board of the Methodist church was held yesterday. The annual statement showed that all claims had been met, and that a surplus of $4,750 remained on hand, the first time the board has been in such a happy position for twelve years.

Destroyed by Fire.

Bowmanville, Sept. 5.—Buildings on King Street east, formerly occupied by Durham Rubber Company for manufacturing purposes before removing to the new buildings was totally destroyed by fire this morning with its contents. The buildings were used for storage purposes and compounding room. The loss is estimated at $35,000, mostly covered by insurance.

Preston's Successor.

Montreal, Sept. 5—Star's London cable: Hon. Frank Oliver, Minister of the Interior interviewed today says that he has gone thoroughly into emigration matters. The name of Preston's successor in London will not be published until Mr. Oliver has conferred with his colleagues at Ottawa.

Two names are mentioned in official circles namely, Bruce Walker, now Canadian agent in Glasgow, and Ralph Smith, M. P. for Nanaimo.

Arthabaskaville, Que., Sept 5—The funeral of the late Henri Laurier, half-brother of Sir Wilfred Laurier took place here this morning and was very largely attended, among those present being nearly all the members of the provincial government, several members of the federal house and House of Commons and professional men of all classes. The pall bearers were: Hon. Senator Choquette; Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Postmaster General; R. Boudreault, private secretary to Sir Wilfred Laurier, and others.

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Many of the local clerks are today wearing a woe-begone expression. The half-holiday system ended last Thursday, and today the stores kept open all day.

Mr. J. Richards, who was last week taken suddenly ill, is reported today as somewhat better, although very weak, and it will likely be a considerable time before he will be enabled to leave the house.

Mr. R. Harrup returned on the noon train from a shooting trip to Westholm. While previous hunters have reported the bushes too dry for hunting, Mr. Harrup's complaint is that they are too wet at present.

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Mr. McDonald, who has charge of the work on the new wharf, states that the structure will be practically completed and ready for use by the end of next week. The main portion of the wharf is already completed, and the approach is now being worked upon.

More than seventy-people left Ladysmith for Nanaimo today, the majority of them going to be in attendance at the funeral of the late Martin Woodburn, which took place at two o'clock this afternoon. They will return on a special train at 6 o'clock.

On Wednesday evening next, Sept. 12th, the Juvenile Bostonians are billed to entertain the Ladysmith public in the local Opera House, while on the following evening Miss Nannie Strachan and Gavin Spence, illustrated song and story entertainers, will appear. Both attractions should prove good, and will doubtlessly be well patronized.

NEW ORE EXHIBITS AT THE SPOKANE FAIR

Word comes that a good mining exhibit will be seen at the Spokane Interstate fair this year, which opens Sept. 24. Robt. H. Cosgrove, manager of the fair, has preserved all the exhibits which have been gathered during the last two or three years, and this in itself makes a good display of the mineral resources of the Pacific Northwest. Besides these, however, many camps are sending in new specimens which will freshen up the displays and show the latest developments of their mines and the new discoveries.

George William Cornish, Greenwood, B.C., is preparing entire new exhibits of the big mines of the Boundary country, which will be shipped to the fair this year. The Boundary in the past has had some of the best ore ever seen at Spokane.

Many new exhibits will be made by the mines of the Coeur d'Alenes. This district has been forging ahead with great rapidity during the past year, and the mining men believe that while in the past they have had representative showings of their properties at the Spokane fairs, it is quite necessary that these be added to in order to properly represent the mines of this now famous section. It is the desire of the management of the fair that all the districts in the Pacific Northwest follow the example of the Coeur d'Alenes and the Boundary, and strengthen their displays at the fair, which last two weeks this year, instead of one, and will be a greater benefit to all miners who exhibit. Several new camps and discoveries will make a showing for the first time.

PRINCELY DONATION.

Victoria, B. C. Sept. 5,—Dr. Fagan, Secretary of the provincial board of health announces that His Honor Lieut. Governor Dunsmuir has promised a donation of $10,000 towards the establishment of a tuberculosis hospital as soon as the societies now at work raising money for this purpose have secured $50,000.

SEPARATION OF CHURCH AND STATE

Paris, Sept. 5.—The French bishops and archbishops met twice today. It is understood that a definite decision regarding the attitude which the French church and state separation law has not yet been reached. There is considerable division of opinion among the prelates.

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"And now I will tell you what is the greatest problem you have to face in this country. It is the labor problem. The need of labor here is universal. Everywhere people are saying we would do this or we would do that if we could get the men, but we cannot get them. I think the solution lies in not restricting your country to Europeans and American immigration. You should let in the Japanese. The labor people need have no fear that they would lower the standard of wages, for they are not like the Chinese, who do work at any price. They make excellent laborers, and they would to a great extent set free the people of European origin for a better class of work, and assist immensely in the development of this splendid country.

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