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City Council Holds Short Session

PUBLICITY GRANT WILL NOT EXCEED $500

Friday's meeting of the city council was brief, there being little business to transact. Acting Mayor Sutherland presided and Alderman Adams, Duggan Rattenbury and Taylor were present.

A letter was read from the Union of Canadian Municipalities stating that attention to the new railway act now before parliament with a view to procuring all possible advantages where the bill touches municipal interests.

Advice was received from the Ritchie Contracting and Supply Co., that the new sprinkler on order would reach Kelowna in a few days.

Several communications were also read respecting the city's debentures issues.

Alderman Adams stated that the Board of Trade was anxious to know what amount of money the city would grant to them this year for publicity purposes.

Alderman Sutherland said the finance committee had prepared a rough draft of the estimates for the year, but they were not yet in shape to present it to the council. Included was a sum of $500 for the Board of Trade, and it was for the council to decide whether this should be the amount or not.

In discussing the matter it was the general opinion that the council could not go beyond this sum without increasing the tax rate, and it was finally decided that the clerk should notify the Board of Trade that not more than $500 would be available, and that it might be necessary to curtail even this amounts when the estimates were completed.

Alderman Taylor said that something must be done to prevent drivers of automobiles from speeding along the streets. He was of opinion that the council should take effective steps to enforce the provincial regulations before an accident occurred. The clerk was asked to instruct Chief Sutherland to strictly enforce the provincial speed regulation and make no exceptions where they were broken.

The question of the delay in the construction of sidewalks asked for under the Local Improvement Act was brought up, and the city clerk stated that the incompleteness of several of the petitions was the cause of the delay, some not having sufficient signatures attached. It was decided to notify those interested that unless the petitions were completed by the following Friday they would not be entertained this year.

High School Leading the League

The baseball games in the schools league on Saturday last were of the one-sided nature, so far as the game in the city was concerned, when the High School aggregation trounced the Public School by 25 runs to 4.

The game was slow most of the way the players appearing to have lost the snap and ginger of the former exhibitions. Sutherland was in the box for the latter and had an "off day" as the score will testify. While the entire fault of the large score does not speak well for Sutherland, he was not wholly to blame for his support was of the "ragged" variety and many times the loose fielding of the Public School team allowed the opposition to score when in reality easy put outs should have resulted.

Kincaid worked on the mound for the High school and it is chiefly due to his splendid pitching that the High School are at present leading the league. He had splendid control and through constant practice has mastered a couple of splendid curve balls. Besides this his team mates gave him gilt edged support and this is the secret of keeping the score down.

The Ellison-Rutland fixture at Rutland proved to be another easy win for the Ellison team. The winning club appeared on the field in their new uniforms and played pretty snappy ball winning from the Rutland team by 22 to 8.

A meeting of the Kelowna Amateur Swimming Association will be held in the office of the Kelowna Implement Co., on Monday evening, May 4th at 8 o'clock. The arrangements for the coming season will be discussed at this meeting and all members and others interested are asked to attend.

Resume Sunday Boat Service

THIS SUMMER WILL SEE MANY IMPROVEMENTS IN C. P. R. LAKE SERVICE

The gratifying news has been received by the Kelowna Board of Trade from Supt. McKay of the C.P.R., that the Sunday train service from Sicamous and steamer service on the Okanagan Lake will be restored, commencing May 31st next.

Ever since it was announced last January that this service was to be discontinued—at any rate temporarily—the Kelowna Board of Trade have left no stone unturned to have the service restored. Several conferences have taken place between the Board and Supt. McKay with the above mentioned most satisfactory result. Shippers, merchants, and the public generally of the Okanagan thoroughly appreciate the keen interest Supt. McKay has taken in the development of the district since his appointment to his responsible post two years ago, and his efforts in having the Sunday service restored tends to materially increase those cordial relations which have always existed between the Okanagan people and the C.P.R.

Synchronous with the resumption of this service the new passenger steamer "Sicamous" which has been built at Okanagan Landing will be ready for launching. This steamer will greatly facilitate travel to Kelowna and other lake points. The new freight tug "Naramata" has already been launched and will soon be available for hauling the car barges. A determined move is being made to make Kelowna a popular tourist resort. The district lends itself admirably for this purpose and the Kelowna Board of Trade are at present urging the C.P.R. to inaugurate excursions from prairie and other points.

The quarterly meeting of the local lodge of the I.O.G.T., was held on Tuesday, and the following officers were elected for the next three months: Bro. Fuller, L.D; Bro. W. B. Pearson, C.T.; O. Sister McClure, V.C.T.; Bro. Geo. E. Thompson, P.C.T.; Sister Fuller, superintendent of juvenile work; Bro. J. Harris, secretary; Sister Todd assistant secretary; Sister Thomlinson Chaplain; Bro. Pitt, financial secretary; Sister Hodson, treasurer; Bro. Burt, electoral superintendent; Bro. Hodson, marshall; Sister Gebbie, assistant marshall; Bro. Vosper, guard; Bro. A. Welch, sentinel; Sister Fuller, organist. The lodge is in a flourishing condition, there being over 70 members.

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The district convention of the Womens Christian Temperance Union is being held at Summerland today and tomorrow. The Kelowna branch is represented by Mrs. H. H. Millie, who is to give an address on the subject "Proper home attractions to counteract outside attractions," and Mrs. Swerdfager. The Rev. Dr. Spencer, superintendent of social service for western Canada is the convention speaker and will give two addresses, one being on "The women of the world and their work" and "Shall we have a 'Banish the Bar' crusade in B.C.?"

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The Kelowna Chess Club held another long distance telephone match on Saturday evening last with the Armstrong chess club as their opponents. Messrs. R. B. Kerr, Jas. Harvey, C. Harvey, J. L. Macready and Mr. Hunstone represented the local club and each succeeded in beating his opponent The game ended at 3.30 a.m.

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Mr. and Mrs. Oakes and family have gone to Enderby to live, Mr. Oakes having been appointed manager of the brickyard there.

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Mrs. O'Brien, of Benvoulin will be leaving the district in about two weeks and announces a private sale of furniture.

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Mr. Chas. Edwards, left this week for Nechaco.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Martin left this morning for Weyburn, Sask.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Ashbridge left this week for the coast.

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Mr. Thos. Bulman left for Vancouver yesterday.

ANXIOUS TO FIGHT MEXICO

Scene in the New York naval recruiting office, after it became imminent that military operations against General Huerta, the Mexican dictator, would be instituted. Before the station had been open an hour more than forty applicants had appealed and signified their willingness to enlist. Successful candidates are being assigned for training as fast as possible. The recruiting officials said that there was slight chance of the examinations being made easier in order to get more successful applicants, because at the present time, there are sufficient applicants who can pass the examinations to keep the naval force up to fighting strength.

Baseball Club Looks Good To the Fans

The baseball prospects in Kelowna were never brighter than they are today. The new material arrived on Monday and on Tuesday afternoon had their first work out at the local field.

Mr. K. Kelly, who will act as manager of the club this season is a catcher of note, being last year a member of Seattle and Victoria, in the Northwestern League and comes to us well recommended by the coast clubs. He is more than a backstop, he is a man who has studied the ability of players as a business and at a glance can see the weaknesses of the players and when he has found these weaknesses he is capable of giving advice to the player that will in most cases take away the weakness and in place of the defect will be strength.

The other three who came with Manager Kelly are Powless, an outfielder of splendid ability, who has been with Seattle until recently. Kelly, a brother of the manager, also an outfielder and Pierce an infielder who looks like a find.

The players are turning out to practice both morning and afternoon for a time to get into condition, and the course of lectures and training that they are put through should result in much good. The players are placed in first one position and then another, and watched carefully that they may be finally placed in a position where they will be able to do justice to themselves and be of the greatest benefit to the club.

Among the local players who are turning out to practice are Arthur and Ray Patten, Arthur and Fred Henning and Purdy. Mr. Kelly says if the boys will hit, he will be satisfied as they acquit themselves well on the field.

Reports from other cities composing the league circuit are of the brightest and each city is confident that their club will be within sight of the coveted goal at the close of the season.

The "Busy Bees' of the Baptist church are holding an "At Home" on Saturday at the home of Miss M. I. Reekie, Water street. Cakes and ice cream will be served at nominal prices and the proceeds will go towards the church funds.

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Mr. C. Downing and Mr. S. A. Wilcox are the latest purchasers of automobiles, having been supplied with "Ford" cars by the Burbank Motor Co., this week.

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Mr. Cunningham Kelly, who has been staying in the district for the past year has returned to the old country.

Local Dramatic Society Will Present "Patience"

Preparations are now almost completed for the Dramatic Society production of "Patience", one of the most popular and tuneful of Gilbert and Sullivan's operas. An excellent cast has been arranged to fill the leading roles and the chorus is exceptionally fine.

The orchestra under the able leadership of Drury Pryce now have their parts in good shape and will add the necessary snap and ginger to the performance. Than Mr. Edgar McKie, there isn't a better scenic artist in America and his work for "Patience" is up to the usual high standard of excellence. Anticipation runs high in amusement circles in the city, and the public will not be disappointed in the performance of "Patience" next Friday and Saturday, May 8th and 9th, the dates set for this production. To give every one an opportunity to see this popular opera, it will be repeated—positively for the last time—on Tuesday May 12th.

The plan and seat sale for the first two performances is now on at Crawford's store.

The society has decided to take the show to Vernon on Thursday, May 14 and the "Aberdeen" has been chartered for this trip. Anyone wishing to make this special trip with the members of the society can do so for the modest sum of $2.15 return fare.

FIRST PROFESSOR FOR THE UNIVERSITY

The board of governors of the University of British Columbia announce the appointment of Douglas McIntosh B.A.,B.Sc., (Dalhousie) M. A. (Cornell) D. Sc. (McGill), as associate professor of chemistry and acting head of the department.

Dr. McIntosh was born in New Glasgow, N.S., March 9, 1875; graduated as B.A., from Dalhousie, 1896, with honors in chemistry and physics. He was awarded the 1851 British Exhibition scholarship, which he held from 1896-'99 during which time he studied chemistry, physics and mathematics in Cornell University and received his M. A., from that institution.

NEW BOWLING ALLEY OPENED TODAY

The new bowling alley on Water street opened its doors to the public today. The alley management has offered prizes for the opening day for the best and the worst scores made and there is no doubt that both prizes will be keenly contested for.

Peace Prospects Are In Sight

HUERTA ACCEPTS OFFERS OF MEDIATION

Pan-American diplomacy made its first attempt to solve the Mexican crisis by peaceful negotiations on Saturday last, with the result that the tension of the situation has been considerably relieved, and hopes are beginning to be entertained that the unfortunate affair will pass over without further bloodshed.

The United States Government accepted from Argentine, Chile and Brazil a formal offer to act as intermediaries in the present situation, but reservedly pointed out that an act of aggression by the military forces or hostile demonstrations toward Americans might upset prospects of immediate peace. The Brazilian, Argentine and Chilean envoys transmitted the United States acceptance of their proposal to the Spanish ambassador who immediately sent it by cable to the Spanish legation at Mexico City for presentation to General Huerta.

General Carranza, head of the Constitutionalists, was informed of it through his representatives.

Coincident with the acceptance of this offer of mediation, the administration officials announced that there would be no cessation of preparations by the army and navy for future emergencies, and no order would be issued to the naval forces now at Vera Cruz on the ships at sea changing original plans. No further steps, however, to obtain reparation for the indignities which gave rise to the present situation would be attempted while the effort is being made to bring about a settlement through diplomacy.

Although the offer made by the three South American countries did not reveal their plans, it was learned that they contemplated a broad settlement of the Mexican problem through the elimination of Huerta, upon which the United States has insisted from the beginning. Notification of the offer of mediation was sent, not only to the diplomatic representatives of Argentine, Chile and Brazil in Mexico City, but to General Carranza and the Constitutionalists in Northern Mexico.

Huerta Accepts Offer of Mediation

The President and Secretary Bryan were assured through two diplomats that General Huerta was ready to accept the tender of good offices and was now drafting a formal acceptance.

Pressure from Germany, Great Britain and France, advising Huerta to adopt the first step towards mediation and approving the attitude of the Latin-American countries towards the settlement of the controversy by Pan-American diplomacy, emphasized the world-wide influences which are working to bring about peace.

DEATH OF VICTORIA PIONEER

Some lengthy and highly appreciative notices have been appearing in the coast papers this week touching the death at an advanced age of Catherine Balfour, the beloved wife of Senator Macdonald, one of the earliest pioneers of British Columbia. Victoria was but a fur trading post when in 1852 Mrs. Macdonald arrived there. Her father was Captain James Murray Reid, of London, who brought his family to the far-away post in the sailing vessel "Vancouver," of which he was Captain. She was married a few years later to W. J. Macdonald, then an officer in the service of the Hudson's Bay company, and now the venerable Senator Macdonald, who survives his wife after a long and happy union. Mrs. Macdonald is also survived by three sons and three daughters. Mr. Neil Gregory, of Kelowna, it might be mentioned, is a nephew of the deceased.

Although there are many famous apple orchards in Great Britain, apple growing as a business is not very widely followed. It is possible to get a yield of from $250 to $500 per acre where special money making sorts suited to the soil are grown in England Despite this fact, the country often imports 100,000,000 bushels in a single season. At the present time the supply for the season is exhausted and foreign growers are getting as much as $3.25 per bushel for apples they are sending into Great Britain.

Kelowna Golf Club Is Organized

SIXTY ACRE COURSE AT BANKHEAD BEING LAID OUT

Notwithstanding the inclemency of the weather, a number of enthusiastic golfers attended the meeting last Thursday called to consider the formation of a golf club at Bankhead. Mr. L. E. Taylor conducted the party over the proposed links, which had been previously laid out by an experienced professional. The course is an excellent one and Kelowna is indeed fortunate in having sixty acres of land so near the city available for the purpose.

Beautifully situated, and undulating throughout, with an excellent irrigation system, and several natural bunkers, the ground is admirably adapted for golf. The course has great possibilities and it is hoped that the scheme will meet with the success it deserves.

After a tour of inspection, the party adjourned to the house to discuss the business side of the question. Owing to the fact that the purchase of land suitable for a golf course within reasonable distance of the city had been found to be out of the question, it was decided that the only feasible scheme was to run the club on a proprietary basis. In this was members will have no further liability than an annual subscription. Mr. Taylor explained to the meeting that the Bankhead Orchard Coy., would be prepared to lay out and maintain the course, provide a club house, and undertake all financial responsibilities, on receiving a guarantee of not less than 50 members.

A provisional committee was then elected, composed of the following: Messrs. G. R. Binger, W. E. W. Mitchell, H. Gf Pangman, W. R. Pooley and H. G. M. Wilson, the latter also to act as secretary, for the purpose of enrolling members and inaugurating the club. Mr. Taylor intimated that the course could be ready by the beginning of August, and we understand a start has already been made. This will allow five months play this year.

The subscription for this year was fixed as follows:— Gentlemen $10, Ladies $5.

For the benefit of those who do not already own clubs Mr. Taylor is arranging for a consignment to be shipped from St. Andrews.

It would greatly facilitate the work of the committee if intending members would send in their names to the secretary as early as possible.

It need hardly be mentioned how great an asset a golf course will prove to the city, not only from the point of view of recreation but also as a means of attracting visitors who might otherwise go elsewhere.

Salmon Arm Will Be Cash City

Beginning May 1st all members of the Retail Merchants' Association of Salmon Arm inaugurate a straight cash system of business. "The action" says the announcement "has been taken after careful consideration, both in their own interest and that of their customers. "The curtailing of credit by wholesale houses, and loss through uncollectable accounts have forced them to this decision, they buy to advantage and sell on a cheaper basis."

LACROSSE CLUB TO HOLD DANCE TOMORROW NIGHT

The first annual ball of the Kelowna Lacrosse Club will be held tomorrow evening in the Morrison Hall. The lacrosse boys are looking forward to a good season, but as they are a little handicapped for funds they are holding the ball to raise the wind. Given reasonable support from the public they fell confident that they can, before the season draws to a close bring back the cups lost last season. A schedule of games will be played under the auspices of the Okanagan Valley League and there is little doubt that Kelowna will see some splendid games this summer.

The pastor will be in charge of the services in the Methodist church on Sabbath. The morning theme is the "Preservation of Virtue" after which there will be a reception of members and Sacramental Service. The evening topic is "Practical Religion."

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A large shipment of water meters have just been received by the city and will be immediately installed.

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This special privilege is granted for the purpose of advertising the city and district.

While acknowledging that on broad ground the action of the American Government toward Mexico is justified the "Nation" (London, Eng.) severely criticizes President Wilson for what it terms his giving as a pretext for such action, the refusal by President Huerto to apologize, in act and form, as prescribed, for the brief detention of American bluejackets in Tampico.

"By singling out this incident," says the "Nation", "as an excuse for an action which amounts to war, President Wilson has done more to lower the standard of international morality than all his fine utterances in the past have done to raise it. A statesman who interferes to restore order may argue that at some cost in lives and treasure he is putting an end to intolerable violence and cruelty, but the statesman who sacrifices lives because some ceremonial detail is lacking in the ritual of an apology, is behaving with levity unworthy of a civilized ruler. This deliberate and needless raising of honor is a lapse into barbaric morals which would be more natural in some Prussian colonel in an Alsatian garrison than in a humanitarian president of a civilized republic."

THE ROAD TO HELL

The seriousness of the Mexican war does not seem to have dawned on the great mass of the people. That fatal habit of assuming that the Mexican has the same point of view on the subject of the military power of the United States as the American himself is quite likely to receive a very unpleasant shock during the next few months. No one doubts that in the end the United States can crush Mexico, but there are very grave doubts as to when that end will be. To the average person Mexico seems a little country turned away under the great and overwhelming mass of the United States, But for purposes of defence and offence Mexico is exceedingly well situated. Its defence is simple, because the lines are all interior and narrow down towards Mexico City. There are thousands of square miles of rocky mountainous country on either side of the railways and any attacking force must stick to the railways.

For offensive purposes, it must be remembered that there are no less than 1400 miles of border between the United States and Mexico. On the Mexican side of the border there is nothing but devastation, but on the American side there are enormous areas of more or less settled and rich country which offers a sphere of operations which the late rebels will be almost certain to seize. The Texas Rangers, and the state militia of New Mexico, Arizona and California, will probably have their work cut out guarding this border from raiding bands bent on plunder.

The simplest way of getting money to pay troops is to allow them to take it where they can find it. That has been the Villa and Carranza method and it is not likely that it will change. To the Mexican mind, especially the Mexican rebel mind, these border states offer plunder galore, with not more risk than usual. The Mexicans move fast, are well mounted, and thanks to the United States well armed. They may not be able to shoot very straight at long range but they have had lots of practice lately and according to reports published all over the United States, while they were operating against the Federals were splendid fighters, with lots of dash and pluck. Bands of 250 or 300 at a time can cross the frontier and rendezvous at some places miles in the interior. Whenever attacked they can split up and once more unite. Wherever they go they will leave a terrible trail. They can be beaten dozens of times and killed off one by one, but meanwhile what of the country which they have passed? Any man who was in the South African war and remembers De Wet can realize what such warfare will mean and De Wet was a gentleman and a patriot, not a brigand with murder and rape as his pastime in life.

The terrible part of what may well be a phase of the Mexican war is that the United States itself armed and gave strength to this force. If it was a formidable force upon which the United States trusted for the elimination of a well entrenched and famous fighter is it not more formidable now with a great and rich country open to its raids? A feint attack at one point and a real raid at another and 1400 miles of open frontier to guard will keep a defence force on the alert. If ever retribution for a mistaken policy followed hard on the heels of the mistake it seems as if it were about to do so now. Guarding the border from such raids will probably be the first care of the United States to day. If patrols of 50 men to every mile are placed there is work alone for 70,000 men. That is where the volunteers will be wanted, while the regulars take care of the advance.

Truly it is said that the road to hell is paved with good intentions.—Province.

RURAL EDUCATION

The editors of the Saturday Evening Post, which probably is the most widely read single publication in the world, have this to say of rural school consolidation:

"It ought to be pretty well understood by this time that the one-room rural district schools, beloved by our grandfathers is mostly a scandalous institution. The typical teacher is a girl just out of normal, much under paid, sometimes overworked and sometimes with only half a dozen pupils of assorted ages.

"A Vermont report covering thirty-two such schools shows that in three years there were one hundred and seventeen different teachers, of whom—on an average—more than half served less than two terms.

"A great majority of these schools are poorly built and hardly equipped at all, just a bare little room with a desk, a rostrum, a blackboard and a poisonous cast iron stove. That efficient instruction can be had under such conditions is out of the question.

"And there is less and less excuse for the typical one-room, ungraded rural district school. Our grandfathers could have that or nothing. In their day the nearest town was ten miles or more away and the road all but impassible half the year.

"Now all over the middle west at least, there are few rural districts tkat are not within easy haul of a village graded school; still fewer that might not have a fairly equipped graded school within easy haul by consolidating the districts. Already in some localities a wagon to bring in the country children is as much a part of the educational equipment as the traditional blackboard inself.

"Like some other institutions, the little red school house subsists mainly on prejudice and mere inertia. If educating children is worth all this effort, to give them tolerably efficient teaching is worth just a little more effort."

TENNIS COURTS READY FOR USE

"I beg to advise the members of the Kelowna Tennis Club that the courts are now open for play. The official opening day of the club will be Thursday, May 7th, 1914, on which date Mrs. Boyce and Mrs. Mathison have kindly consented to give tea.

If those who wish to join the club will kindly send in their names to me I will put them up for election at the earliest possible opportunity.

All members please note that subscriptions are now due and that in accordance with the rules of the club they are not allowed to use the courts until the same are paid either to one of the committee or to myself.

I shall be pleased to supply members of the club with tennis balls.

O. S. P. AITKENS.

Newfoundland men in New York will send $15,000 to the relatives of the men drowned in the terrible storm a few weeks ago when the Southern Cross was lost and many men perished on the ice floes while in search of seals. How terribly some of the living have suffered may be judged when one woman, a captain in the Salvation Army, lost six cousins as well as her brother. A cousin was captain of the Southern Cross and her brother was second mate.

Parliament Approaching End of Session

The end of the session of parliament at Ottawa is now in sight. Notice has already been given of morning sittings and when the House starts sitting morning, noon and night a tremendous mass of business can be rapidly cleaned up. The warmer weather also is conducive to despatch of business and shorter speeches. The more optimistic say the House will wind up by May 24, while at the outside it should finish by the first or second week in June. Of course, much depends upon how controversial the Redistribution Bill and the agreement with the Canadian Northern Railway may prove to be, but the present outlook is that neither of these questions will turn out to be of the character that would cause continued and contentious debate.

The redistribution committee has been working quietly and both parties are showing a spirit of give and take that augurs well for the ultimate settlement.

As far as the west is concerned, the parties have already practically agreed on Manitoba, Saskatchewan and British Columbia. Alberta is still in doubt, but the two Alberta members of the redistribution committee are working hard with a view to settling upon a redistribution satisfactory to Liberals and Conservatives alike. In Manitoba there is no dispute. The Liberals admit that the redistribution is fair. In British Columbia, it is understood that the Liberals are objecting to but one seat, that of Nanaimo, though its boundaries have not been disturbed from last redistribution. The Libetals ask, however, that part of Comox should be added to Nanaimo and will probably make a motion to this effect in the House. In Saskatchewan also the Liberals are understood to have but one real objection to the changes that have been proposed. They will likely move an amendment to suggest a change in the new Maple Creek constituency which includes the ranching country of southwestern Saskatchewan They claim that the constituency as now proposed is too unwieldy and will ask that part of it be added to either the new Swift Current seat or Moose Jaw seat. So far in Alberta only two seats have been agreed upon but as intimated above, a satisfactory settlement is expected shortly. An interim report by the redistribution committee will be brought down shortly.

HOME RULE CRISIS IN ULSTER

The political pot in Ulster seems likely to come to a boil over the excitement of some gun-running exploits which have been successfully pulled off during the past week, and the British cabinet is finding itself face to face with a serious situation

A consignment of about forty thousand rifles and half a million rounds of ammunition from Germany is said to have been landed by a mysterious German steamer at isolated points on the coast of Ulster and distributed by means of two hundred automobiles to various headquarters of the Ulster "Volunteers". Those Ulstermen who declare themselves determined to offer armed resistance to the introduction of Home Rule mobilized and guarded the landing places and roads until the distribution of arms was completed. The police were powerless to interfere and all means of communication were temporarily interrupted by the Ulster volunteers during the distribution.

The Irish Nationalist volunteers, a body similar in organization to the Ulster Unionist volunteers, made matters even with their political opponents by successfully landing a large consignment of arms. The weapons, which are said to have been brought from America, were taken ashore at a remote spot on the coast of County Donegal, in the far west of Ulster. The size of the consignment is unknown, but it is believed to have been considerable, although not equalling the 40,000 rifles and 500,000 rounds of ammunition the Unionists received.

Continental United States now has a population of more than 98,000,000, while the country, with its possessions, is peopled by more than 109,000,000 persons, the census bureau announces. Los Angeles has 438,914; San Francisco448,502; Portland, Ore., 260,601; Seattle 313,029; Spokane 136,657; Tacoma 103,418.

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and
DANIEL GALLAGHER, Defendant

Pursuant to an order of the Honourable Mr. Justice Gregory made herein the 2nd day of March, 1914, there will be sold by public auction at the office of Hewetson & Mantle, Ltd., in the City of Kelowna, on Saturday, the 16th day of May, 1914, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the following lands:

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Modernizing Constantinople

Mohammedan Capital Adopts Features of Modern Civilization

No place in Europe is undergoing such changes as Constantinople. The fetters of mediaevalism that once held it so firmly are being loosened, the quaintness of the old regime that had so strong a fascination for the visitor and charmed and held the resident in spite of the injustice, cruelty and suspicion to which he was subjected has passed. The ancient customs are dying out; the old usages are things of the past.

The parish dogs are gone and the streets are being cleaned, the narrow thoroughfares are in many cases being widened, the hamals are giving way to the express carriers and the sedan chairs and the old horse trams are replaced by electric cars. Modernity with all its gifts is creeping in, and however much the sentimental and artistic may deplore the passing of the picturesque, Constantinople will soon lose its Asiatic character and become as European as any other city of the continent.

Its pomp and gorgeousness will be missed most of all. Those who remember the selamlik of five years ago will find this great pageant buried, almost forgotten. Mehmed V, goes to the mosque on Fridays, as Sultans have done for centuries, but he drives in a carriage that is scarcely noticed even by his own subjects as it threads its way through the streets. Contrast this simple spectacle with the marching of troops, the clearing of the thoroughfares by outriders and heralds and the advance of Abdul Hamid in fear and trembling, guarded by thousands of soldiers—contrast these two selamliks and you can have an idea of the change that a few years have brought to the city by the Bosphorous.

It was a great task to widen the streets in accordance with the demands of increasing traffic, and drastic measures were employed by the committee that had the work in charge. In Stamboul conditions were worse, perhaps, than in any other part of Constantinople. The ramshackle, devious streets with now and then a grand mosque, a dingy caravanserai, a crumbling palace or a desolate garden, covered the grandeur and luxury of a past age. Again and again every district had been swept by fire and the houses that were put up over the ruins grew more and more miserable after each conflagration. The Turks simply smoothed the ground and rebuilt. Beneath might be the halls of a mansion of a grand age, disclosed now and then by the subsidence of the earth. It never bothered the man on the surface, but the caverns that were thus formed became the refuge of dervishes, homeless people and malefactors.

When these squatters were disturbed they rose in rebellion and for blocks workmen had to fight their way. But Djemil Pasha, the mayor, persevered. He demolished old eyesores, he built new streets and laid out attractive public parks. To create the largest and most beautiful of these breathing places for the people he transformed the gardens of the famous Topkapou Palace at Seraglio Point into a park with fountains and promenades.

It was easier to make changes in Pera, the European quarter, and here will be noted the greatest improvement. The new Taxim boulevard has been made into a wide, tree lined avenue; some of the side streets have been paved and widened and many of the projecting structures torn down and replaced by fine stone buildings. Several modern office buildings have been erected in Galata, once infested with thugs, who preyed upon sailors and shippers, the narrow dark alleys have been widened enough to let in the sunlight.

To connect Galata with Stamboul a new bridge has been built. This is the most important work the municipality has completed. In its construction about one-fifth of the loan of $5,000,000 which the city raised for public improvement was used. It is well paved and lighted with electricity. While it may lack some of the picturesque character of the old bridge, where "the people of all Europe and Asia passed in an unending procession," it has more stability and is better adapted to the passage of steamers to and from the Golden Horn

Think of a department of public hygiene and sanitation and actually striving hard to keep the streets of Constantinople clean. Yet that is one of the new developments. The house refuse, which was formerly thrown into the streets to the packs of Pariah dogs is now collected by city scavengers. The dogs that once were such an important part of old Stamboul would now seem as much out of place in Constantinople as in any other European city.

It could hardly be truthfully said that the streets are kept clean. Still there is a great improvement over the conditions that existed, and the work will be still better done when more automatic sprinklers and revolving brooms are put into service. Street peddlers and shopkeepers must keep foodstuffs under cover, and oil, milk and other liquids are tested to prevent adulterations. Another sanitary measure soon to be carried out is the draining of the whole city into the swift current of the Bosphorus instead of permitting part of it to flow into the sluggish waters of the Golden Horn.

One of the great improvements that came in with the constitutional era is the policing of the city. The system of rough and ready watchmen is retained, and in addition there is a well organized and efficient police force But the fire department remains the same primitive institution, and in a city where wooden houses predominate and fires are so frequent and destructive an efficient fire department is one of the most imperative needs.

Visitors still find more or less amusement in the grotesque formalities attending every fire alarm. First comes a company of scantily clad men running barefooted through the streets carrying an antiquated hand pump, then in processional array the fire brigade proper, followed by a bugler sounding a weird call, the engine drawn by an old broken down horse, a magnificent official on horseback, and trailing on behind, running as fast as their legs will carry them, a brigade of helpers.

Constantinople has not realized the full possibilities of electricity. Smaller ancient cities of the near east have taken more advantage of that agency for lighting, traffic and other purposes than has the capital. One reason for this tardiness is the fact that Abdul Hamid, with an eye to the dangers of electricity and the possible perils to his personal safety, would never consent to its adoption in Constantinople. There are, however, evidences of an awakening interest in this power as a means of developing the city's resources. A plant will soon be able to furnish a powerful electric service. It is being built at Silifdar on the Bosphorus.

Cars on the underground cable road connecting Pera and Galata are lighted with electricity. Electric cars are running in the main streets of Pera. The service was inaugurated last August, and it is promised that in a short time this form of traction will supplant the primitive horse cars in sections of Galata and Stamboul, and that eventually the line will be extended to the villages on the European shore of the Bosphorus.

At present the use of the telephone is confined to the fire and police stations and the government departments An Anglo-American company, however, is pushing the work on a franchise which it has obtained and will have within a short time a network of wires throughout the city on both sides of the Bosphorus and as far as the Princess Islands.

There is a great dearth of places of amusement, a condition that is an inheritance from the old regime when Abdul Hamid saw in any assemblage a body of conspirators who might bring about his downfall and death. The only change that has come with the present administration in this regard is the opening of skating rinks—one in Pera has become the principal fashionable resort of the city—and the movies, which are springing up by hundreds and having large attendance. Both of these forms of amusement are largely due to American enterprise.

There are, of course entertainments of the cafe chantant order, which are so cosmopolitan that they frequently offer a dozen turns, each of which comes from a different country but of theatres there are only two, and they are noted for third-rate performances, bad atmosphere and poor seating accommodation. It is all the more remarkable that this great city of the near east, the citadel of the Ottoman empire, should be so poorly supplied with playhouses, when it is remembered that many other towns of this part of the world are better off—Smyrna, for instance, has a magnificent theatre that would be a credit even to New York. The people of Constantinople are enthusiastic theatre goers, and it would seem that this regenerated city presents an unusually good opportunity for an enterprising manager.

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Sixty officers and men of the London Rifle Brigade, a territorial regiment, established a world's record by marching from London to Brighton, fifty-two and a half miles, in fourteen hours and twenty-three minutes. The previous best record was that made by the Foreign Legion of France, which marched fifty miles in fifteen and a half hours.

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TOWN AND COUNTRY NOTES

The nursing staff of the Kelowna Hospital will not receive tomorrow, (Friday).

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Rev. Thos. Greene went to Vernon on Monday to attend a meeting of the Rural Deanery.

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Milton Wilson, who has been home on a holiday, left for Vernon on Monday to take charge of the hardware department at Megaw's store there.

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Mr. T. S. Cornell who has been visiting his son-in-law, Mr. Geo. LeCain returned to Melville, Sask., on Monday.

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A successful series of religious meetings at the Baptist Church was brought to a close on Friday evening last. The Rev. C. A. Britten of Penticton gave addresses on different aspects of the Christian life, and the meetings were well attended. Mr. Britten returned to Penticton on Saturday afternoon.

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A quiet wedding took place on Tuesday morning when Tom Locke, who is working on the ranch, of Mr. John Curts at Salmon River, was married to Miss Alice Strutt at the home of Mrs. Wardlow by the Rev. J. C. Switzer. The happy couple are well known in the district, and carry with them the best wishes of their many friends. They left on Tuesday morning's boat for Armstrong.

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Next Tuesday evening Dr. Spencer will give an address at the Methodist church on the subject "Shall there be a Banish the Bar crusade in B. C." Dr. Spencer, who is well known as a temperance worker throughout Canada will be supported by the local ministers and temperance workers. During the evening Miss Duthie will give a solo. A silver collection will be taken at the door.

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A sacred cantata "Festal Song" (Edmund Turner) was rendered by the members of the choir at the Methodist church on Sunday evening last. The three choruses were splendidly sung, and Mr. H. Burley gave a fine rendering of the Bass Solo "Blessed is the man." The Soprano and Tenor Duet was given in splendid interpretation by Miss F. Pearson L.R.A.M. and Mr. F. Pedlar and the Misses R. Hunter and B. Birch and Messrs W. Fuller and R. Alexander took part in a beautiful setting of the words "The Lord is my Shepherd". Mr. Harold Etter presided at the organ and proved himself an able accompanist. In consequence of numerous requests the cantata will be repeated at the evening service next Sunday, May 3rd.

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Trench's drug store have arranged to have S. L. Taube, the well known eye sight specialist of Vancouver, be at their store on Saturday, May 2nd. If you have anything wrong with your eyes make it a point to see Mr. Taube Make all arrangements with Mr. W.R. Trench. 22-3

J. H. Taylor of Gloucester, England arrived in the city on Monday and has taken up his residence at Okanagan Mission.

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Mr. J. J. Warren, President of the Kettle Valley Railroad passed through the city Tuesday morning on his way to the coast.

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Mr. H. Arnold, who has been installing the new Dreamland Bowling Alleys here left yesterday afternoon for Penticton, having completed his work.

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A young Galician, Michael Boraslisika, was killed last week on the Kettle Valley construction works near Summerland. He was buried under a heavy slide of gravel.

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Mr. A. F. Pelton gave a very interesting lantern talk at the Baptist Young People's Society on Monday evening, when he described a trip he took to the West Indies a few years ago. The church was well filled with people who enjoyed the many beautiful pictures as they were thrown upon the screen. The Rev. D. J. Welsh manipulated the lantern and at the close a hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mr. Pelton for the pleasant evening he had given. Another lantern lecture is to be given next Monday when the Rev. A. Dunn will be the speaker.

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The annual meeting of the Methodist Sunday School was held on Thursday last with the pastor, the Rev. J. C. Switzer presiding. The report of work done during the past year was very encouraging, there having been a marked increase in the attendance of scholars, 25 per cent of whom had joined the church. Each class is giving something to missions and there has been quite an improvement in the musical portion of the services recently. The adult Bible class has more than doubled its membership during the past year. The following are the officers for the ensuing year: Superintendent, J. A. Bigger; Assistant superintendent, M. J. Curts; Secretary, Walter Fuller; Treasurer, E. D. Langille. The teachers were reappointed with Mr. Adams as assistant to Mr. J. W. Jones in the young men's class.

HOSPITAL DONATIONS

Mr. G. A. Fisher, secretary of the Kelowna Hospital Society wishes to acknowledge with thanks the following donations during the months of February and March:

Cream, Mrs. Willits; bread and buns weekly, Mrs. Kincaid; lettuce, A Friend cakes and jellies, Hospital Ball; three dozen eggs, Mrs. Blackwood; cream, Mrs. McMillan; three and one-half dozen eggs, Miss Oakley; six pints marmalade, Mrs. Drysdale.

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Oddfellows Celebrate Anniversary

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What was the largest parade of Oddfellows of the Okanagan Valley took place on Sunday morning. The occasion was the 95th anniversary of the Independent Order of Oddfellows, and the members and visiting members of the local lodge, the Orchard City Lodge No. 59, to the number of 90 in all marched from the lodge room on Bernard avenue to Knox Presbyterian church, which was packed with an interested congregation. The members met at the lodge room at half past ten, and headed by the city band marched to the church. The Marshal of the day was Bro. W. B. M. Calder, and other officials included A. Edwards, N.G., H. Brown V.G., L. V. Rogers, P.G., D. B. Smith, secretary, W. Harvey, treasurer and J. H. Glass, D.D.G.M. In addition to the local members some thirty motored down from Vernon, and there was also a strong contingent of Rebeccas, who had the front pews reserved for them.

Nothing had been left undone to make the service attractive. There were two anthems, "Praise the Lord O Jerusalem," in which the solo part was taken by Mrs. J. N. Thompson, and "Turn Thy Face" the soloist in this instance being Miss E. P. Duthie, both anthems being given an excellent rendering by the choir. Mr. J. N. Thompson gave a fine rendering of "The Sailor's Grave," as a cornet solo, and Mr. Drury Pryce's violin solo "Andante" (Mendelssohn) was interpreted in his usual sympathetic manner. The hymns were "Love Divine, all loves excelling" "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "Blest be the tie that Binds." A collection was taken up on behalf of the Kelowna Benevolent Society.

The preachers for the occasion were Revs. A. Dunn and D. J. Welsh, both of whom are members of the order. In the course of his remarks Mr. Dunn gave some interesting figures in regard to the work of the Oddfellows. He said that if any person would look at the official reports of the Order in the Province of British Columbia they would find that within the last ten years the order had almost doubled itself, the membership standing at the present time at about 7,000. During the existence of Oddfellowship in British Columbia it had dispensed in benefactions the enormous sum of $270,000. In order to show the extent of some of its operations he might mention that some time ago when the floods occurred in Dayton, Ohio, almost $2,000 was sent from here to relieve the necessities of the people who suffered from the disaster. Three thousand dollars had been given for the equipment of the Tranquille Sanitarium, near Kamloops. These facts showed the far reaching character and kind of work Oddfellows were doing in B. C. If they took a wider view, they would find that the Oddfellows exceeded two million souls throughout the world, and that in relief they dispensed six million dollars annually. The lodge fellowship had 55 homes or places of refuge where were maintained widows, orphans and people who were in penury at an annual cost of $700,000. If they looked into the official reports they would see that the order had had in the past a rapid and very strong growth in point of membership and the character of its achievement, and he had no doubt himself at all as an Oddfellow that what had been done in the past was but an earnest of what would be in the days to come. It was not necessary for him to tell them, for they knew it as well as he did, that it was well for them to constantly remind themselves that Oddfellowship did not consist in the regalia, nor in the banners and decoration of its lodge rooms. These had their uses but they were nothing more than the leaves on the tree. Oddfellowship did not consist in the ritual and ceremonials, in the lectures and charges, and in the signs and pass words. These also had their meaning and uses, but they were little more than some of the branches that grew upon the tree of Oddfellowship. The tree of Oddfellowship or any other order might have leaves and branches and trunk; but a tree of any sort must have a root. Their order had four mottoes. One motto was invisible, the other three were visible. The three visible mottoes they wore on the lapels of their coats, the other one they wore in their hearts. Those three visible links were symbols. The greatest motto of Oddfellowship was "Trast in God". Oddfellowship was not a non-religious society. Every meeting of Oddfellowship which they held in their lodges was begun and ended with devout and reverent prayer, and the most honorable place which they held in their lodge was given to the Bible.

Rev D. J. Welsh spoke on "The fruits of Oddfellowship" and dealing with the criticism that was sometimes levelled against such orders because they were secret, said that there were today people who found a great deal of fault with secret societies. He wanted to say emphatically that there never had been a vital principle of truth that had ever affected the growth and development of the world, that had ever been of assistance to the progress and development of human like, that did not originate within closed doors and find its origin in the secrecies of human hearts. Therefore all those objections were of no avail and no value if the mighty principles for which Oddfellowship stood were to be carried on and the future was to be more glorious and bright than the past had been. In the 95 years of Oddfellowship 140 millions of money had been contributed for relief of others, nearly four million individuals had received beneficiary aid and 320,000 families throughout the world had received contributions at the hands of Oddfellows. It was the supreme goal of Oddfellowship, and he believed it was true of three or four other secret societies to ennoble humanity.

At the conclusion of the service the Oddfellows returned to the lodge room in procession, and at a session of the order hearty votes of thanks were passed to the Revs. A. Dunn and D. J. Welsh for their sermons and the choir of Knox Church and others who had taken part in the services for the excellent program that had been provided.

A REMARKABLE RECORD

Vice-President Bury, of the Canadian Pacific, says that from harvest to the close of navigation last season the C.P.R., carried more grain than any other railway, in any part of the world has ever carried in the time, and that, although last season the Canadian west produced 510,000,000 bushels of all kinds, the land has "hardly been scratched". These are the kind of things people are apt to forget when the imagine that there can be any length depression in Canada. Neither our land nor our resources are worn out. We are only just beginning to tap them.— Montreal Herald and Telegraph.

Dr. Bancroft to Visit Kelowna

Well-Known Lecturer on Psychology

On the 11th and 12th of May Kelowna is to receive a visit from one of the most popular of American lecturers. Dr. George Gilbert Bancroft, who has for twenty-five years been a researcher and observer of abnormal, obscure mental and social phenomena.

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On Monday May 11th his subject will be "Hoodoos or riddles of the mind," and the following evening he will speak on "Get-there-ism", the science of business. In the former lecture such subjects as Multiple Personality, Dual Personality, Obsession Telepathy, Presentiments, Spirit Photography, Spirit Mediums, Sleep Walkers, Planchette writers and Hypnotic Sensations, will be dealt with, while in the lecture on "Get-there-ism" he will speak of numerous business managers, corporation heads, collectors, promoters, expert sales people (both male and female) auditors, sales managers and other people. It will thus be seen that there is material to interest an average intelligent audience. The lectures will be given in the Presbyterian church. We understand that Dr. Bancroft has cancelled an important engagement in order to visit the Okanagan Valley.

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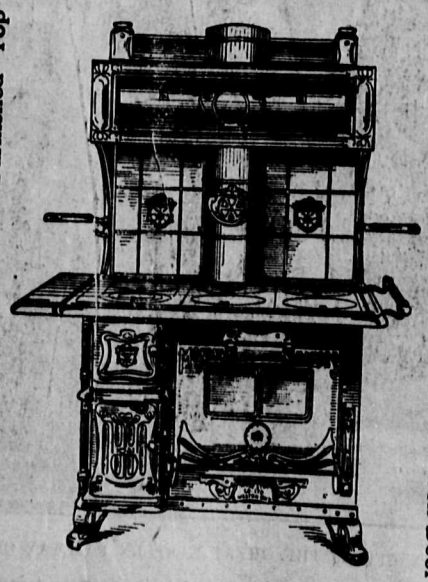

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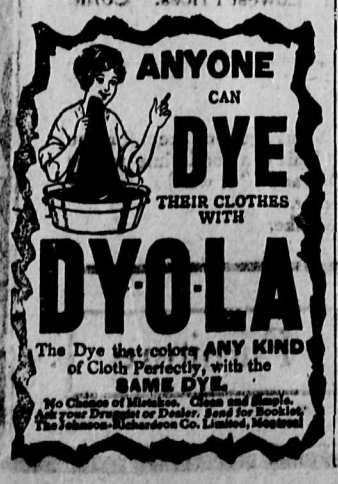

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Amusements

THE COUNT OF MONTE CRISTO

The Opera House management faithfully adhering to its policy of showing the world's greatest productions, the real big things, in motion pictures has secured for exhibition next Wednesday, James O'Neil in his clever interpretation of "The Count of Monte Cristo." This is another Famous Players film and a feature which will compare well with "In the Bishop's Carriage" "Chelsea" and other productions by the same company.

Few stories are better known or more popular than this stirring human tale of Dumas, and perhaps no other fiction character has made such a lasting impression on all the reading races of the world as the leading figure of this great work. The production of this story possesses more than a literary importance aside from the fact that the story, which has been translated in every modern language is now presented in the universal language of pictures. But added to this distinction is the fact that the guiding character of this masterful tale as portrayed by its greatest interpreter, illustrates his strange career through the vivid and faithful agency of the film.

Truly, "The Count of Monte Cristo" with James O'Neil, is a triumph of the motion picture art and the Famous Players take just pride in heralding as a masterpiece of production this "Photo Play De Luxe."

Patrons of the Opera House will do well to remember that this splendid picture can only be seen here on one day, Wednesday, at the regular afternoon and evening performances. Although this is a very expensive production Manager Duncan has decided to show it at the usual prices and he feels confident that the public will show their appreciation of his efforts to give them a real high class picture entertainment, by a liberal patronage on this occasion.

THE KISSING CUP

The Opera House moving picture program will feature the famous English Racing drama next Thursday. There has of late been a considerable demand for British films and Manager Duncan has arranged to get as many of these as are available in the Canadian market. "The Kissing Cup," a racing drama in four parts will give patrons an opportunity to see a British subject produced by a British maker. Produced in England this picture has all the pretty scenic environments to be found in that country, and the plot of the story is so arranged as to be thrilling in parts and entertaining from first to last. It is said that the race scene is quite sensational and that the love story around which is twined the various situations is carried throughout the story.

Electric rat traps are in use in Amsterdam. They are connected by a wire with a supply of electricity. The place where the bait rests is the only part of the trap which is a conductor, and the moment the rat touches this a shock closes his career.

Ancient Incubation

THE ANCIENT EGYPTIANS WERE AHEAD

The announcement is made by a British scientist that he has discovered how the ancient Egyptians incubated chickens to the number of 120,000,000 a year. He has found incubators, which he declares were used in Egypt five thousand years ago.

The secret has been well guarded but it is laid bare at last. They had no oil stoves or gas or electric heated incubators, but they had ovens, which worked much better, even though they required more constant tending. Each oven was calculated to hold seven thousand eggs, and the fuel by which it was heated consisted of chopped straw and dung, but for the last ten days of the hatching, the energy was supplied altogether by the chickens themselves.

It is the commonest error of those operating our modern incubators to use too much heat, especially toward the end of the period, and now we may learn from the old Egyptians how not to do things as well as how to do them. The use of the straw and other light fuel shows that the Egyptians were most careful to avoid too intense heat at any time. We thought that we were the first to use incubators, but we are fifty centuries behind the times.

DISEASES OF TREES

If you eat too much the chances are that you will get fat and flabby. It is the same with trees. If the food they get is too easily digested the fibres of the tree turn spongy and rotten and the sap weakens. When fruit trees turn fat, the fruit is at first richer and riper. It soon becomes insipid, however, A man may keep down his fat with diet, exercise, etc. There is no cure for the fat tree.

Corpulence is not the only disease trees share with us. many plants are subject to anaemia— clover, onions, cucumbers and melons being the chief sufferers. The remedy for this unnatural pallor is, just as in the case of human beings, iron. A dozen large nails driven into the roots of an anaemic tree will, in most cases bring it back to health, as the acid sap eats away the iron and carries iron salts up the trunk.

BIG GOVERNMENT TIMBER SALE

A deal in standing timber in the neighborhood of Fort George has just been carried out by the government sale to Mr. H. N. Sereth, of the Riverside Lumber Company, of Calgary, of 32,000,000 feet of lumber at the following prices: Douglas fir $2.54 per 1000 feet; Spruce $1.07 per 1000 feet; and Cedar $1.06 per 1000 feet. The total value of the timber reaches $37,000, the purchasers to cut this within the next two or three years and leave the ground as nearly as possible in readiness for settlers, with the brush burned off.

In Germany there has been invented a process using compressed air for hardening steel where only certain parts of the metal require hardening.

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As a matter of fact, the surest way to get an abundant growth is to lavish with the pruning knife. The less branches a transplanted plant has, the less work the roots will have to do; and the roots need all the relief possible, because for some weeks after transplanting it is going to be busy enough trying to get a new hold in the earth.

Therefore, the first thing that should be done with the shrub that is to be moved is to prune all the branches off, and, if at all possible, to remove the top. The closer you prune back to the original woody stem, the more likely will it be that the plant will begin to grow in its new home practically at once.

Another thing: Do not fear to cut the root wherever it is at all injured or looks at all unhealthy. A sick root is just as bad for a plant as a sick branch.

WONDERFUL WOOD

A most wonderful wood is that of the tropical tree called greenheart. The tree belongs to the laurel family and is exported mainly from the island of Trinidad and British Guiana. The wood is so nearly indestructible that no limit to its life is known. It is used chiefly in ship and dock building. The wood is proof against the white ant on land and the teredo in salt water. A United States government report says:

Greenheart has been known to stand in wharves for over thirty years, and logs that have remained under water for a hundred years are in perfectly sound condition.

Greenheart's extraordinary resistance to decay is probably owing to the presence of an alkaloid known as bibirine and also to certain resinous substances known as tyloses. The latter are reddish brown masses of living cells that grow in solid masses within little cavities that they often fill completely. As they grow with the tree they turn black and make the wood of the older trees black.

As in all tropical trees, whose growth is continuous throughout the year, there are no annual growth rings and it is thought the trees do not reach maturity under 250 years. A greenheart tree is from sixty to a hundred feet in height, it is an evergreen without knots and has a broad, open crown. The wood weighs about seventy-five pounds to the cubic foot and resists a crushing force of 12,000 lbs., to the square inch.

ONLY JERSEY CATTLE SEEN IN JERSEY

Jersey is a fertile and beautiful little island, which geographically should belongs to France, but, as part of William the Conqueror's inheritance, it became an English possession at the Norman conquest. As is well known, it is the home of that most attractive breed of cows to which it gives its name. They are a most valuable and valued possession and source of income to the islanders, and the import of any other breed to the island is very strictly forbidden. The Jersey cows are very attractive in appearance. Smaller and daintier than ordinary cows, and of a soft fawn color deepening to dark brown down the legs and on the muzzle, with small heads and big eyes, they are nearly as beautiful as deer. Curiously enough, in Jersey they are not allowed to roam about the fields in numbers, but each cow is tied with a long chain to a firmly fixed stake, frequently quite out of sight of any other cow, and apparently isolated from all companionship. They are very friendly and always extend an eager welcome to visitors.

The north coast of the island is quite magnificent, with its great gray rocks covered in August with patches of brilliant heather and sloping steeply down to a peculiar turquois-colored sea. Looking down or up the precipitous slopes where vegetation of any kind is to be had, one may invariably see a few cows dotted about at wide intervals, and it is always worth while to climb up or down to them, for they seem so genuinely glad of the break in their isolation.

Mother.—There were two apples in the cupboard, Tommy, and now there is only one. How's that?

Tommy (who sees no way out of it) —Well, ma, it was so dark in there that I didn't see the other.

If your eyes are troubling you or your present glasses are not satisfactory make it a point to see Mr. Taube the well known optical specialist who will be at Trench's drug store, on Saturday, May 2nd. Make all appointments with Mr. Trench. 22-3

CORRESPONDENCE

IMPRESSIONS OF A VISITOR FROM THE PRAIRIE

Editor Kelowna Record,

Thirty-one years ago this month I left the county of Wentworth, in the province of Ontario and wended my way to the northwest, what is now the province of Saskatchewan. At that time there was a great stir about this western country. Emigration was looking this way and settlers were flocking in at a rapid rate. I settled in the P. M. Colony in a township much finer than any adjoining or surrounding it. The township was completely settled up in '82 and it was a mere coincidence that I got a homestead in '83. The hopes of the settlers were elated. In a few years they thought they would retire with a fortime and live their remaining years in luxury. Very soon the tune was changed. Disheartened by frost and dry seasons many, as soon as they received their patents flocked out of the country, selling their homesteads for a mere song—some of them less than one dollar per acre. Many of those homesteads are now held at $35 an acre.

The flocking out continued until only two in that fine township, of the pioneers were living on their homesteads. There was a wail went up about the frozen region, nine months winter and three months cold weather! It was throwing money away to buy land in that vicinity! Today farmers, who came in there comparatively poor are wealthy, living in houses, some of them costing from $3,000 to $7,000. I question if there is another township in the province where so much grain is grown. I have contended and I think justly so that for miles around Indian Head is the best agricultural district in the Dominion. Farmers there have made more money in less time than tillers of the soil elsewhere. Companies farming on a large scale proved a failure. Major Belle at Indian Head became a bankrupt tilling the finest soil the sun ever shone on. The settlers afterwards plowing behind oxen are now living in magnificent houses, riding in autos. It is quite usual to grow 80 to 100 bushels of oats to the acre. I believe it is conceded by many that Saskatchewan is, and will be the finest agricultural province in the Dominion. I never regretted coming west and have always sounded the praises of this country. I could not be induced to go back to Ontario to live. I have not disliked the climate, and saw worse storms in Ontario than there. The air is dry, I do not suffer like in a damp atmosphere. It is true it is pretty cold sometimes—when 40 or 50 below zero, you don't suffer with the heat and settlers do not go around with their dusters on.

Having a particular friend in Vancouver I was induced to visit him and I have intended going east but circumstances opened the way to get west instead and now I am glad of it. I have spent the most pleasant winter of my life, enjoying the society of the western people and suffered nothing from the cold. Vancouver is certainly a fine city. I like it more than I can tell. It has made more rapid strides than any other city in the Dominion. When I came west it was unknown and after getting a fair start was completely wiped out with a fire, one solitary building remaining. No doubt in the near future the grain, or most of it from Alberta, Sashatchewan will go that way. Jim Hill the great financier and railway man says that in ten years Vancouver will have one million of a population. If that prophesy pans out the city will have to get a move on. I saw a few there from Saskatchewan and quite a number from the township I came from in Ontario. The taxes on some lots are $200.00 and the mayor and aldermen get $242.00 per year.

I was told that Kelowna was a nice place to live, a good climate, perhaps not quite so mild as Vancouver; a great fruit growing district: could beat the world in apples, both in quality and flavor and in potatoes could leave all other lands in the shade. A great number of those from the prairie that I knew, and hear about, and their contentment indicates they have struck the right spot. In early days when we only had the main line of the C.P. R., our business took us to Indian Head, Sintaluta, Woolseley and Grenfell. I see in Kelowna and district from these places the Morrisons, Thompsons, Harveys, Crawfords, Gaddeses, Glenns, Dalgleishes, Faulkners, Jones, Copelands, McDonalds, Ennis, Campbells, Marshals, Coventrys, Bray's, Potters', Lecaines', Cooper's Flemmings, Taylors and Walkers' and others at Vernon, Enderby and Salmon Arm. No doubt such a recruiting has done much toward the onward movement of your city. I am glad to learn of those I have some knowledge of, as doing well and being a credit where they have taken up their residence. Crawford, of Indian Head and Morrisons of Wolseley are distributing for your needs, and Jones and Copeland are assisting in managing the affairs of your city. Mayor Jones occupies the highest position in the confidence of the electors, and Miss Fleming, of Wolseley stood at the head of the great piano competition. A little girl that come with her mother to the post office in the P. M. Colony in the early days with an ox conveyance is now the wife of the Dominion representative for Vancouver, and accompanied her husband to Ottawa at the recent session of parliament. Settlers walked 35 miles from station to the Colony, it was a luxury to ride in a wagon drawn by oxen. Many went to church in that way and you are riding here in your fine carriages and automobiles and I presume never enjoyed the rich experience of the Saskatchewan pioneers. ...

I find the citizens of Kelowna happy, contented, genial and jovial and I presume this delightful and salubrious climate has a mellowing influence. I have been driven around in buggies and motor cars and shown the sights, and I fear I shall never be able to repay such kindness only by good wishes and nice sayings and will find that much easier and less trouble than really doing something for them. The price of land seems way out of reach, but it only requires experts to work such figures to a financial success. If I were to buy at $900 or $1000 per acre and cultivate it I know I would soon be a bankrupt. You have the mountains all around and they seem quite near and one would conclude there was not much more than a garden patch here, but as you travel, the mountains seem to keep the same distance, and we are told there is an immense tract of land in the valley. The great number of vehicles of all description continually on the road, must come from somewhere. The constant stream of rigs with blood steeds and well dressed ladies and gentlemen would indicate wealth on your side of the mountains. I have seen more ladies riding on horseback and driving on Pendozi street in one day than you would see in some parts farther east in an age, or at least a long time, and good looking ladies too. Had I come here when it was a wilderness it is the last place I would have thought of settling. So many have done well here and a stranger coming into your midst could not help but admire the climate. I was told by one man here that he likes Kelowna better than Victoria or Vancouver One of your most prominent citizens (I have koown him for 30 years) after making his fortune in that frozen region spent a considerable sum in seeking a good place to live and after visiting Vancouver, California and other desirable places of note, has settled in Kelowna as the most suitable place to end his days.

I am delighted with British Columbia, in fact I am infatuated with it, and the fine stamp of men you have here from Indian Head, Sintaluta, Wolseley and Grenfell, speaks volumes for the Okanagan valley.

I will never forget my first trip to the coast. In coming through the mountains with a long train I was thinking of the howl, when the line was built, that the running of the train would never pay the axle grease! British Columbia is by no means an insignificant province. It is noted for fruit, vegetables, minerals, oil, coal and few countries in the world has such an immense quantity of timber. At the present rate of using and no more growing, it is estimated that it will last nearly 250 years.

Impressions have been made on my mind that the sea of time will never be able to efface, but I have already trespassed too far on your valuable space. I have always had a good opinion of Saskatchewan— it has done well by me and I have nothing but good things to say of it, but after visiting in the west I feel that it would be hard to spend another winter in that province.

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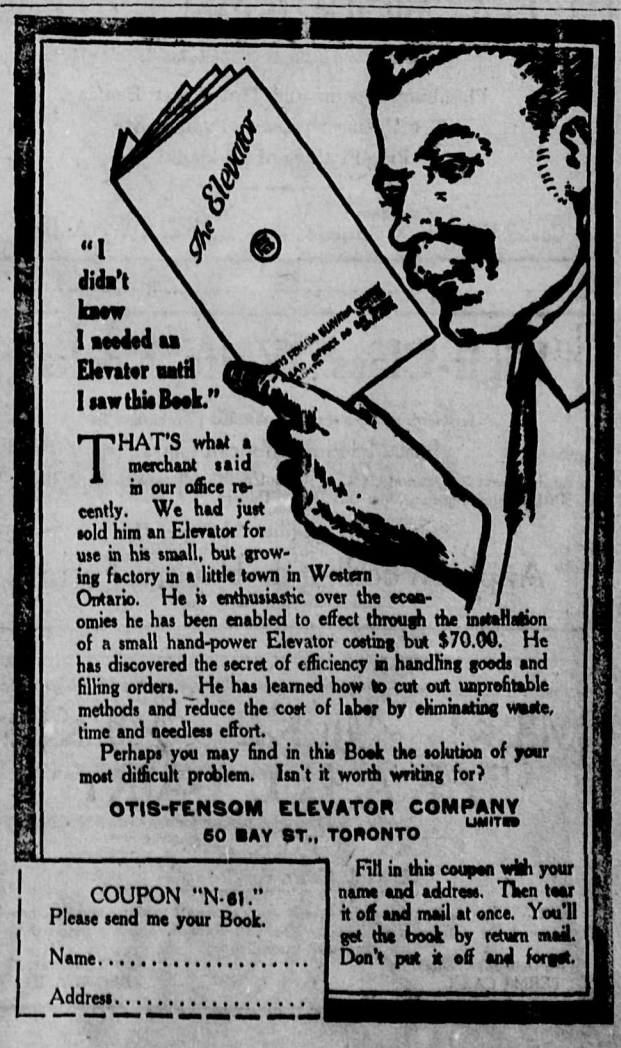

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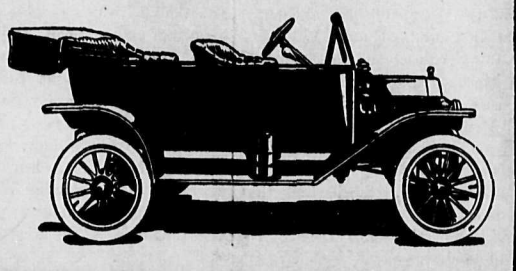

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Canada's Giant Telescope

Canada is going to hunt the heavens with a new telescope which will be the biggest in the world, says a writer in an English journal. It will cost £18,000, and its mirror, of the most perfect glass which the skill of man can produce, will be six feet in diameter.

No one but an optician or an astronomer can realize the difficulties that lie before the makers of such a mirror.

At present the finest, though not the largest, telescope in existence is the Yerkes.

The Yerkes telescope is seventy-four feet long and weighs about seven tons. Figures mean little, but if you take Cleopatra's Needle and add to it the length of a tall man, you will get a fairly accurate idea of the length of this tremendous instrument.

The lens of the Yerkes was made by the late Alvan Clarke. It is forty inches in diameter, and it took the firm four years to reduce the rough casting to its present perfection.

Imagine, then, the difficulties confronting the firm who undertook to produce the seventy-two inch mirror of the new Canadian instrument!

In the first place there is the casting. The very finest flint glass must be made, and several lenses must be cast at the same time. The reason is that, after being moulded, the glass takes eight months slow cooling before it can be examined with safety, and then the tiniest bubble or flaw will be sufficient to render it entirely useless.

Granted that a flawless lens has been safely cast and cooled, that is only the beginning of the real task.

First, the glass is ground down with sand and water so as to get rid of the roughest projections on its surface.

Then it is treated with coarse emery and finer and yet finer grades are used until the last touches are given with rouge.

Even after this there are certain to be a number of tiny corrections needed which will keep the expert busy for weeks or months. So exceedingly fine is the work, so delicate the surface, that a little rubbing with the bare finger will be quite sufficient to deflect the ray of light given off by the tiny star millions of miles away, and so to distort its image.

The largest telescope in the world is the so-called "sidero stab" shown at the Paris Exposition in 1899. It has a lens nine inches wider than that of the Yerkes, but the instrument is not mounted in a dome. The tube itself, which is one hundred and ninety-seven feet long, does not move, but is fixed horizontally in place, always pointing north.

At the object glass end, a great plane mirror, turning as the observer wishes, catches the light and reflects it to the eye-piece nearly two hundred feet away.

When the huge lens was being polished, it was so necessary to avoid heating, that after each two minutes of work, it was necessary to allow half an hour of complete rest in an absolutely even temperature.

THE EXPLOSION OF GUNPOWDER

The explosion of gunpowder is divided into three distinct stages, called the ignition, inflammation and combustion. The ignition is the setting on fire of the first grain, while the inflammation is the spreading of the flame over the surface of the powder from the point of ignition. Combustion is the burning up of each grain. The value of gunpowder is due to the fact that when subjected to sufficient heat it becomes a gas which expands with frightful rapidity. The so-called explosion that takes place when a match is touched to gunpowder is merely a chemical change, during which there is a sudden evolution of gases from the original solid.

New Maps Issued for Pre-emptors

The surveys branch of the department of lands has issued the first maps of a new series of ten pre-emptor's maps, embracing in a comprehensive way the great part of the interior of the province. The publication of these maps, which was commenced by the department of lands in 1911, when four maps were issued, is for the purpose of showing intending settlers the areas surveyed and distinguishing between the lands available for pre-emption and those alienated. The four maps issued in that year covered 12,000 square miles. The great advance made in the work of the survey branch is evidenced by the fact that the ten maps being issued this year will cover over 100,000 square miles. The majority of them will be available to the public by the middle of June.

The two maps which are now complete are those dealing with lands in the vicinity of Fort George and of the South Fork of the Fraser, where on June 1 and 15 an area of 80,000 acres in the reserve on either side of the Fraser River, along the route of the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, will be opened to settlers, the eastern part of McBride on June 1, and the western part of Fort George on June 15. A pamphlet has been issued by the department of lands describing the district.

The pre-emptor's maps in the first year of their publication, as stated covered but 12,000 square miles. The following year 40,000 square miles were covered; last year the area embraced totaled 80,000 and this year the extent of territory embraced in these maps is 100,000 square miles. When the publication of these maps was commenced in 1911, the information available did not warrant anything better than a rough map, intended solely for the convenience of land seekers, and while this has been the prime object kept in view in the annual publication of these useful maps, the increase in knowledge of the geographical features of the country, arising from the extension of surveys in advance of settlement, has enabled a great advance to be made. Today the maps, while filling the purpose for which they were intended, are also good general utility maps.

A new feature appearing for the first time this year is the showing in a distinct color the lands reserved for university purposes, and lands reserved for public auction. All maps of the pre-emptor's series are distributed to the public free of charge, and are sent in quantities for this purpose to the offices of the various government agents throughout the province.

RAILWAY CAMP BURNED OUT

Fire on Saturday destroyed Bruce & McGuire's camp twenty miles west of Revelstoke and rendered 150 men homeless and without supplies. The camp is run by Bruce & McGuire, C.P.R. sub-contractors, in connection with the double tracking operations on the main line to Vancouver. The origin of the fire is not known. The men's quarters and supplies were burned out and supplies had to be obtained from Revelstoke to meet temporary needs. As a result of the fire, the wires were down for some time and telegraphic communications interrupted.

A CLOCK OF GLASS

A clock constructed throughout of glass, is the result of six years' work on the part of a Bavarian glass polisher. The plates and pillars which form the framework are of glass, and are bolted together with glass screws. The dial-plate, hands, shafts, and cog-wheels are of glass and glass wedges and pins are used for fastening the various parts of the running gear together. Like the clock itself, the key by which it is wound is of glass. The construction of the remarkable timepiece was a matter of infinite pains. Some of the parts had to be made as many as forty times before a clock that would go could be produced.

A remarkable exhibition of possibilities of wireless electric communication was recently given at the Eiffel Tower in Paris. A specially sensitized receiver was installed, the instrument being the invention of an Italian, and by its use M. Marzi, a tenor, could be heard singing at Lacken, near Brussels, about 226 miles distant from Paris. The air of the song was heard quite distinctly although the words could not be distinguished. In another experiment with the same receiver the "Marseillaise," played by a gramaphone sixty-two miles distant was clearly heard.

John Boyle, aged 26 was instantly killed in the Centre Star Mine, Rossland, last Friday. He was riding on an electric train underground when his head struck an ore chute.

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THEORY OF A PREHISTORIC WHITE RACE IN AMERICA

In the London Times Mr. Derek Manson puts forward the theory, which is now generally accepted, that many centuries ago there was a race of white men in America, and that a white race inhabited America in prehistoric times is proved by a number of facts which fit in with this theory. There is, for instance, the prophecy of the return of the white god, Quetzalcoatl, which inspired the Mexicans with the belief that it was being fulfilled by the arrival of the Spaniards, and which made the conquest of the country much easier for the invaders. Again, among certain tribes of Indians in America are to be found a number possessed of fair hair and complexions. These fair types of Indians are to be found only on or near the Pacific coast, and the number of Indians thus distinguished from their fellows is too widespread to admit of the suggestion that this intermingling of blood is of recent origin. In the same districts there have been discovered the remains of a forgotten civilization in the form of ancient buildings of majestic proportions and carvings representing types of a distinctly Aryan origin, quite different from the native races of Indians.

Mr. Mason's theory is that thousands of years ago a foreign race migrated across the Pacific Ocean to America, where they founded civilizations that had crumbled into dust ages before Columbus reached its shores. Fair haired and bearded, they must have been Europeans. It is believed that this migration was gradual and by way of the islands of the Pacific. The inhabitants of Polynesia are of Aryan origin, a fact which seems to support the theory of a European migration. Moving from island to island, this seafaring white people finally reached America, landing in Peru and neighboring regions. As the coasts of Peru dried up the were driven northwards to Central America and Yucatan, where their civilization survived for four thousand years. Then the race perished off the face of America, leaving traces of its civilization in vague traditions, in ruined buildings, and pale-faced Indians. This is all that remains to attest the existence of a hardy and enterprising people who ages ago crossed the Pacific and built up empires and civilizations the memory of which has long since perished with their transcient glories.

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Recent discoveries in many fields have, however, made the scientist more cautious and tolerant in his attitude towards phenomena disagreeing with his ideas. The divining rod has thus been taken out of the scrapheap to which it has long been consigned, and made the subject of many official tests to solve its mystery.

The solution of the problem seems however, to be near at hand, experiments recently made by E. K. Muller, of Zurich, showing that the marvellous movements are mainly electrical and magnetic, though only those endowed with a special sensitiveness will respond to them.

Mr. Jaggi-Perrard, one of the masters of the divining rod, placed himself at Muller's disposal. The first experiment consisted in keeping a brass pendulum or a divining rod of whalebone over a copper plate charged with electricity. The pendulum would then move back and forth violently under the action of a negative charge and be silenced by a positive charge, and the divining rod was, according to the sign of the charge, deflected in an upward or downward direction.

Another experiment was made in order further to examine the subject's sensitiveness to electric charges of opposite signs. A set of glass cups belonging to a galvanic battery was placed before Mr. Jaggi, who, though ignorant of the nature of those cups, found his divining rod to deflect alternately upwards and downwards on passing over them.

Incidentally, these experiments show that the human organism, in special excitement, will exhibit sensitiveness and faculties as yet unsuspected.

The French Academy of Scientists has also been investigating the rod of mystery, appointing a commission to experiment with members of the association of so-called sorcerers and diviners. In the report of the proceedings given by Professor D'Arsonval, well-known through his work with electrical currents, it was stated that streams of water could be located at a depth of from fifteen to fifty-seven feet with great accuracy.

DANGERS IN LAUGHING

Few people know what dangers lurk in excessive laughter. When we laugh our regular breathing is changed, coming in quick, short respirations, because the throat muscles are contracted. It is for this reason that, when laughing very heartily at some good joke, we have often to gasp for breath. At times we are obliged to hold our sides on account of the pain a hearty laugh causes us, owing to the partial suffocation of the lungs through the cutting off of their proper air supply.

Every muscle in the body becomes contracted during a continued fit of laughter. Of the blood vessels in the face become congested causing it to turn red and even purple. Should this congestion continue for any length of time, apoplexy, resulting in death might well occur. It is better in these circumstances to laugh until we cry, for the shedding of tears relieves the congestion of the brain. Tears caused by grief do good in the same way, and that is how, after a great sorrow, many people have been saved from brain congestion and madness by the timely shedding of a few tears.

More than two hundred and twenty conventions, at which more than 500,000 accredited delegates are expected to assemble, will meet at San Francisco during the Panama-Pacific Exposition in 1915. Among these are 21 agricultural societies; 20 business; 22 educational; 35 fraternal, 7 genealogical; 23 Greek letter fraternities; 15 governmental and civic societies, 5 historical and literary; 15 industrial, 9 labor; 13 professional; 8 religious; 19 scientific and 7 social service.

An around the world race by motor driven air-craft, will start from the grounds of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition at San Francisco in May, 1915. As already announced, prizes of $300,000 have been assured for this series of events. A major prize of $150,000 will be awarded for the complete circuit of the globe, with supplemental prizes to aviators first completing various sections of the course. It is expected that the aggregate of supplemental prizes will reach or exceed $500,000.

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FOR SALE.—Second hand buggy, $20, or would trade for chickens. Apply E. England., Kelowna. 23-6

FOR SALE.—Seven pigs, just weaned. Apply G. Whitaker, R. R. 1. Ellison district, Kelowna. x

FOR SALE. — Four roomed cottage, close in. Water and light, lot 50 x 150, $1400. $500 cash, balance as rent. Box "K" Record. 23p

FOR SALE.—Iron wire suitable for cement work. Apply Okanagan Telephone Co. 22-24

SEED POTATOES FOR SALE.—Mortgage Lifters. Good clean seed. A. W. Cooke, Benvoulin, P.O. Box 663 22-3

FOR SALE.—Fresh milch cow, also duck eggs for setting, 10 for $1.00. Phone 2204. J. Cather. 22tf.

FOR SALE.—321 acres, part of lots 21 and 22, township 23. As Mr. Adams, manager of the Central Okanagan Co., has informed the undersigned on April 6th last that his company did not wish to purchase any land other than reservoir site and right of way for ditches we will sell lots to suit purchasers. J. E. Bower, Kelowna, B.C. 22.3p

FOR SALE Two lots, corner Richter street and Clement avenue, each 40 x 140. Apply Ira Law, Kelowna. 20-3

FOR SALE. — 20 Barred Plymouth Rock hens and Rooster. Good laying strain. A. Ashworth, Bay ave. 28-3p

TEAM FOR SALE.—Weight 2950. Also wagon, harness, sleighs, wood rack, two new horse blankets, etc., $650. Apply Mission Ranch. 17tf.

FOR SALE VERY CHEAP.— House and lot, $1250, close in. Apply Box 149 Kelowna. 19tf.

FOR RENT.—Potato planter. W. P. Meredith, City Transfer. 19tf.

FOR SALE.—Black Minorca eggs for hatching, $2.00 per setting. Prize winners at fall and winter fairs. Apply H. D. Riggs. 19tf.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—Light democrat, also quantity two-inch plank, and plasterer's trestles. W. P. Meredith, City Transfer. 19tf.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—New modern Bungalow, corner Glenn Ave, and Ethel St. Apply P.O. Box 219 20-3

FOR SALE.—4 h.p. Fairbanks gasoline engine and centrifugal pump, in splendid condition. Apply S. C. Cosens. ... 21-3p

FOR SALE.— Arsenate of Lead, 1, 5, and 25 pound sizes. Kelowna Growers Exchange. 23tf

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WANTED.—for annual militia training with the 30th regiment, B. C. Horse commmencing May 18th and ending May 29th. One cook $3.00 per day. One second cook $2.50 per day. Two grooms, $2.50 per day and board. Troopers with horses $2.00 per day and board. Apply to Capt. Temple at Messrs. Burne & Temples' office 19-1

BOY 18.—Wants work, any kind. Experience with stock, ranching and office work. Apply "Crest" East Kelowna. x

TEAM WANTED.—Would trade two good lots in Woodlawn with shack barn and chicken house, taking good work team in part payment. W. P Meredith, City Transfer. 19tf.

WANTED.—Position on fruit ranch by married man. Experienced. Box 39 Okanagan Mission. 20-3p

WANTED.—Applications for position of second bookkeeper and stenographer. Apply Kelowna Growers Exchange 23

TO RENT

TO RENT.—frame tent 14 x 16 on lake shore, foot of Cadder avenue, also furnished front room, opposite post office from May to September. Apply Box 374, Kelowna. 23tf.

FOR RENT—Large front room, well situated, close in. Apply Box "S", Record. 23

TO RENT.—Ten acres in the city, under cultivation, three acres orchard at a rental or on shares. Apply H. G. Dee, Kelowna Machine Shops 17tf.

TO RENT.— Seven room house on Wilson avenue. Rent $18.50 per mo. Apply W. H. Fleming, Kelowna. 14tf

TO LET. House in Glenmore. Six rooms, kitchen and bathroom. Apply W. H. H. McDougal, P.O. Box 214 22-3p.

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23-4p. F. G. GILLARD.

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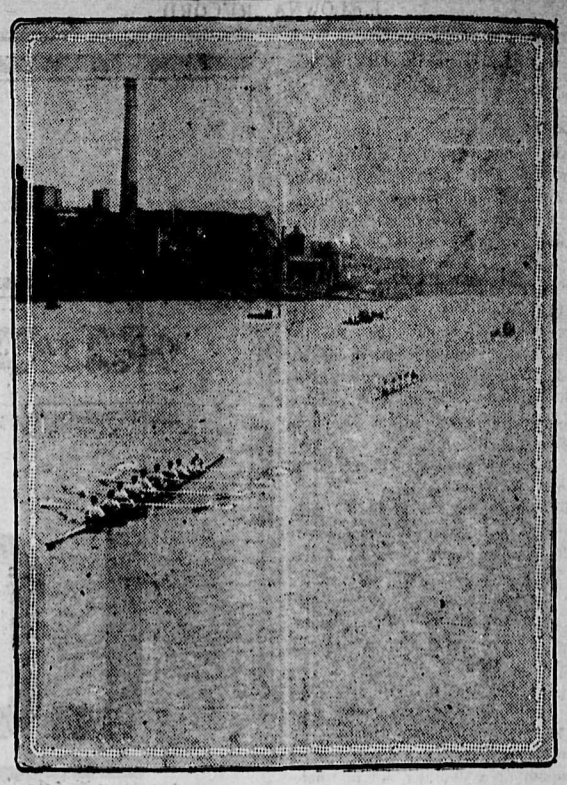

The expected happened in the Oxford-Cambridge race when Cambridge won the seventy-first annual row after having lead all the way over the course. Cambridge was long the favorite in betting circles and the result was not a general surprise. Oxford was outpaced and outclassed and was four and one-half lengths behind at the finish. The race was marred by a serious accident at Hammersmith. A temporary grandstand had been erected on a floating barge which was crowded with spectators. Just as Cambridge crossed the finishing line and the applause was at its height, the planks on the grandstand gave way and precipitated 156 people to the bottom of the barge. Fourteen were seriously injured.

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