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BUILDING OPERATIONS DURING 1908.

The completion of the large Keller block, and the near approach to completion of the new Opera House in the Raymer block, draws one's attention to the extensive building operations that have been going on in the city of Kelowna during this past year. The city contains a number of contractors who have been busy right along, and by the courtesy of these gentlemen we are able to give an estimate of the building, renovating etc., during the year 1908, within the city.

Mr. H. W. Raymer, one of Kelowna's largest contractors, has constructed buildings close on to forty-seven thousand dollars, made up as follows:—

Royal Hotel	$ 6,000
K. L. O. Co., Manager's residence	6,000
R. Morrison, Sr., business block	7,500
H. L. A. Keller, business block	8,500
W. A. Hunter, carpenter work only	2,200
James Bros., frame building	1,500
City, two bridges	2,450
J. Bowes, Sample room	800
Opera House	10,000
Repairs, and small jobs, aggregating	1,600
	$46,550

Next in size comes Mr. Curts, whose forty thousand odd dollars of construction work, swells very considerably the amount of building operations in the city. This amount is made up as follows:

T. W. Stirling's Cottage	$ 2,500
Rowcliffe, Business block	6,500
J. Bailey, P. O. block	2,500
W. B. M. Calder, store	5,500
Dr. Boyce	5,000
R. H. Hall	4,500
Saw-Mill House	700
Curt's residence	1,200
Haug, Enlarging works	600
K. L. O., Office	600
Courier Office	4,200
Hospital, basement	1,500
Lufranco Cottage	700
Small jobs, additions, etc.	4,500
	$40,500

Mr. J. A. Bigger's estimate as follows:

D. W. Sutherland, addition to residence	$ 2,000
D. W. Sutherland, addition to store	800
Capt. Knight, Summer Cottage	500
F. Small, residence	1,200
Capt. Philp, residence	3,000
F. R. E. DeHart, addition, etc.	500
Ladies' Club	1,500
Power House, (City)	2,200
Kelowna Saw Mill, house	850
Odd jobs, additions, etc.	1,400
	$13,950
The new Bank block, nearly completed, built by Mr. Ireland, about	14,000
Other contractors buildings	7,100

Making in all a grand total of $122,100.

A very large amount of building has been going on just outside the city limits, and in the country around, but the figures give a rough estimate of the value of the work within the city, and it was endeavoured to make the estimate as conservative as possible, rather than over state the amounts.

The city has spent twelve thousand one hundred and forty seven dollars in sidewalks, streets and gradings, in addition to building the bridges mentioned in above statement, and has installed a modern water and light system. When completed this system will cost about about forty nine thousand five hundred and eighty one dollars, for most of which debentures are sold. The lighting system is already in operation and giving every satisfaction, and the water system is close upon completion.

CITY COUNCIL NOMINATIONS.

NORTH WARD.

Geo. Rowcliffe: Nominated by Geo. A. Meikle and M. J. Curts.

SOUTH WARD.

Jos. Ball: Nominated by D. Leckie and D. W. Sutherland.

E. R. Bailey: Nominated by E. W. Weddel and Geo. C. Rose.

The above gentlemen are elected by acclamation.

Police Chief Moves Against "Impostors."

The "zeal" of tramp preachers who have visited Vancouver and who every summer go to that city will get them into serious trouble if Police Chief Chamberlain lays hands on them. As the result of letters which came to the chief today, the force will be instructed to keep a watchful eye out for these "no-sect" preachers, who are so numerous as to be hard to classify except as vagrants.

Letters were received from England and Ireland. They warn police officers to be on the lookout for this class of preachers, who are travelling among all nations, self-styling themselves "free church evangelists."

It is charged that they deport young girls from one country to another, stripping them of everything except the clothes they wear, then making white slaves of them. The girls can do nothing for their protection, as their masters keep them attached to them through fear for their lives should they attempt to escape.

It is claimed the tramp preachers are nothing but seducers, and that in Belfast, Ireland and Suffolk, England, sufficient evidence is in hand to show judge and jury that these captivators are guilty of conspiracy, fraud, libel and abuse of young girls.

These spurious mimics of divines are believed to now have in hiding in Vancouver a girl named Alice Pipe, who was enticed away from her home in Suffolk, England. Miss Pipe's description has been furnished the police.

Letters have been received by the relatives of these girles which describe their painful experiences with the tramp preachers. Efforts to locate the girls, however, have failed through the cunning methods adopted by their captors in keeping them in hiding and burying, their identity.

An organized campaign for the elimination of the tramps has been started, and Vancouver authorities will assist. In England and Ireland the underhand work has been carried on most extensively. Preachers of character have taken up the fight, and from indications will wage it persistently until the vagrant class is wiped out and the guilty ones sent to the penitentiary for their crimes.

SPOKANE PRIZES FOR SUMMERLAND

An account appears in the last issue of the Summerland Review, showing that our neighbor down the Lake won honors for Okanagan fruit at the late Spokane exhibition and to whom we extend our congratulations.

It was a small hurriedly picked exhibit that Summerland sent in charge of Messrs. Simpson and Ross, but it won praises from all who saw it.

The following is a list of prizes taken by Summerland.

Best three-tier box, any variety, in any exhibit, open to the world outside United States, first prize, won by Mr. Thos. Dale with Northern Spies.

Paragon apple, first prize, won by Mr. J. J. Mitchell.

Hubbardson Nonsuch, second prize, won by Mr. Jas. Gartrell.

Salmone and Rode Island Greenings, medal and diploma, Mr. McKenzie.

White Winter Pearman, fifth prize and diploma, Mr. Jas. Gartrell.

Yellow Belle Fleur, fifth prize and diploma.

NEW ROTARY SPRAY.

A new Rotary Spray has been invented by Mr. Clement Vacher, of Bear Creek, who has been experimenting since last May on the ranch of Mr. H. Chapelin, Bear Creek, with various forms of nozzles, in perfecting his invention. Fine descriptive circulars are out explaining this new spray in detail.

ASSOCIATED BOARD OF TRADE CONVENTION

Important Matters Discussed - The Question of Freight Rates - The Inspection and Marking of Imported Fruit.

The delegates to the meeting of the Associated Board of Trade from the various boards in the Okanagan met at Armstrong last Thursday and transacted business of a very important nature, materially affecting the welfare of the Okanagan. G. A. Henderson, of Vernon, occupied the chair, and the various resolutions were dealt with thoroughly. The principal question, and one that has been on the minds of farmers and fruit growers for a long time past, was that of freight rates, and important resolutions were dealt with and ordered to be submitted to the B. C. Government and C. P. R. officials at Victoria on the 14th of Feb. next. Numerous letters had been received by the Board from Mr. Llanigan, C. P. R. freight traffic manager at Winnipeg, in which he stated that his Company were extremely anxious to meet the views of the B. C. fruit and produce growers as far as possible, and endeavour to put a stop to the marketing of fruit on the prairies from United States growers, and asking for a full representation at the Victoria meeting.

A resolution was adopted relating to the fruit canning in the Okanagan. Mr. Ritchie, of Peachland, demonstrated that the Ontario canner had an advantage of 25 per cent. over the home manufacturer. The resolution asked for a lower rate on empty cars and on carload lots of the finished product.

A resolution from Kelowna was carried asking the legislature of British Columbia for three members instead of one to represent the Okanagan, and suggesting one for the northern portion from Vernon north; one for Vernon, includ- White Valley and south to Okanagan Centre; and the other for the southern portion of the riding.

The following resolutions were adopted:—

Asking for a daily boat service on Okanagan Lake.

That a lecturer on British Columbia be engaged to tour the United States.

That the Board instruct Mr. Burrill, M.P., to look into the new clause of the Water Bill of Lading that came before the Senate of 1908.

That the express rates on fruit to Kootenay and the boundary points be reduced from their present prohibitive schedule.

That copies of all resolutions be forwarded to Mr. Llanigan and the Deputy Minister of Agriculture at Victoria, as well as to those particularly interested in the resolutions.

That the minimum weight of mixed cars of fruit and vegetables be reduced, as well as on the heavier fruits and stone or perishable fruit.

That the rate to Calgary and Winnipeg be reduced to a fair and reasonable rate, a reduction of 30c per 100 lbs. being asked for.

That a rate be asked for canned fruits to points in B. C. and the prairie provinces when shipped in mixed cars of fruit.

That the secretary still continue asking for the name of Sicamous to be changed to Okanagan Junction, and suggesting that Okanagan Landing be called Port Okanagan, and that the Postal authorities be requested to alter these names.

That H. B. Rogers, of Vernon, be sent as a delegate to the Victoria meeting, and that each affiliated Board be requested to send two or more members, preferably their transportation committees.

The most important resolution was:—Whereas the grading and marking of fruit in the United States differs from the marking required by our Inspection and Sale Act, which difference operates to the prejudice of Canadian Shippers; and whereas the Inspection and Sale Act appears to have been very loosely enforced in 1908 on fruit imported from the U. S. into the prairie provinces; and whereas this appears to have been the result of the lack of a sufficient number of competent inspectors familiar with Canadian and particularly B.C. and Pacific coast fruit: be it resolved that all fruit thus imported into Canada should be made to conform with all the requirements of the said Act as to grading and marking; that to ensure such conformity all imported fruit should be rigidly inspected, and for that purpose an adequate staff of competent inspectors should be employed.

That this associated Board of Trade forward copies of this resolution to the Hon. Sidney Fisher, Minister of Agriculture, and to Mr. McNeil, Chief Inspector of the Fruit Department at Ottawa, thus bringing this unsatisfactory state of affairs to their notice; also a copy to the Hon. R. G. Tatlow, Minister of Agriculture at Victoria; to Martin Burrill, M.P., with instructions to press for a better enforcement of the Act; and a copy to Sir Thos. Shaughnessy, president of the C.P.R.

An informal dinner was given to the delegates by the local Board at the Okanagan Hotel.

Those present at the meeting were as follows:—

From Vernon—G. A. Henderson, P. Dickson, H. P. Rogers, J. Vallance, T. G. Wanless, and W. C. Ricardo.

From Kelowna—W. A. Pitcairn, T. Elliott, and P. DuMoulin.

From Peachland—T. Ritchie and W. Logan.

From Armstrong—J. M. Wright, H. B. Morley, P. D. Vanleek, A. E. Sage, F. C. Wolfenden, T. K. Smith, and C. T. Daykin.

TWENTY THREE LIVES LOST IN FIRE.

Twenty three lives were lost in a fire which occurred at the Intermediate Water supply crib, Chicago. Twenty seven were rescued, all of whom were suffering from cuts or immersion.

A description of the accident was given by G. W. Jackson, whose company was constructing the intake tunnel under Lake Michigan, and of which the crib served as a base of operation.

FIRE SPREAD QUICKLY.

The fire started from an explosion of the powder magazine, which immediately set fire to the wooden structure. There were 60 men, 20 of whom were at work in the tunnel under the crib, and the rest sleeping in their bunks.

All who were not killed or injured by the first explosion, rushed out of doors but found no way of escape, as the cold waters of Lake Michigan were on every side, its surface covered with cakes of ice.

"The crib is on fire. For God's sake send help at once or we will be burned alive. The tug,—"

This was the message received at the shore office, and at the last word the telephone wire broke, and those on shore heard no more. The tug started at once for the rescue, and on nearing the scene men were found trying to escape by swimming. Others were seen clinging to cakes of ice for a time, and then disappear.

FOUGHT THEIR RESCUERS.

After the tug reached its goal, the victims of the fire were found, their hair singed off and faces blackened, struggling in the water. Some fought against their rescuers, sinking into unconsciousness on the deck when forced aboard the tug.

"When I neared the crib" said Capt. Johnson, "I saw a number of men, their clothing ablaze, run out of the blazing structure and jump into the lake. Others rapidly twisted ropes about anything they could find and jumped into the water to prevent being drowned. Others used boxes and pieces of timber as life preservers.

"When we got within 50 feet of the crib, I slowed down the engine, and we began throwing out ropes and life preservers to the men in the water. As we bumped against the ruined structure some of the men jumped aboard, but others we so unnerved that we had to climb out and drag them aboard.

A Nicht Wi' Burns.

All the Macs. in town met in Raymer's Hall on Monday night to celebrate the Bobbie Burns Anniversary, and it was a pronounced success. An energetic committee had decorated the large hall very prettily with red, white and blue bunting, evergreens and deer heads and all present were there bent on having a good time, and they did.

The Caledonian concert, always an attraction, was highly appreciated, and several pieces encored.

Early in the evening, weird strains were heard by people who were near the wharf, coming from out of the blackness down the lake, which later proved to be the pipes of J. Cameron, of Naramata, who came up in the "Maud Moore" for the occasion. On his arrival the concert commenced, and the following program rendered in style.

Chairman's address, D. W. Sutherland
Bagpipe Selection, J. Cameron
Song, "Star of Robbie Burns," T. Hill
Duet, "Bonnie Doon," Mrs. Thompson & Mrs. McTavish
Dance, Highland Fling, Miss B. Meldrum
Song, "Auld Scots Sangs," D. Leckie
Reading, "Tam o' Shanter" W. Meldrum
Song, Selected, Mrs. Anderson
Song, Selected, T. Hill
Song, "Mary o' Argyle," Mrs. Thompson
Dialogue, "Ludgings," The Misses Meldrum

After the concert supper was served in the adjoining hall, to which one hundred and fifty guests sat down, Mr. Leckie repeating the grace which came so readily from the lips of Burns himself:—

"Some hae meat but canna eat,
An' same wad eat that want it,
But we hae meat an' we can eat,
Sae let the Laird be thankit."

Toasts were proposed by Mr. Sutherland, the first in honour of His Majesty. A second toast to the immortal "Robbie" was proposed by Mr. Sutherland, and replied to by Messrs. G. C. Rose and R. B. Kerr. Mr. Kerr giving a short sketch of Robbie Burns' life from his birth on the 25th January, 1759, to the day of his death, 22nd July, 1796, showing how this man Robbie, son of poor people, himself unlettered, yet so intensely human in character, has endeared himself to thousands of people, and is the idol of all Scotsmen. The interest shown during Mr. Kerr's speech, showed how dear is this theme to the hearts of all Scots.

A third toast, "The land we live in," was proposed, and replied to by Mr. Leckie.

After supper, preparations were made for dancing in the large hall, and this was kept up with vigour until the wee sma' oors. Mr. A. Gordon delighted everyone with a Sword Dance to the tune of the pipes, during the evening, and music was furnished by Mr. J. Cameron with the pipes, and also Messrs. J. Kincaid & Son.

Eh mon, it whaur a bonnie nicht.

The catering, of which everyone speaks highly, was undertaken by Mr. J. E. Wheeler of the Royal Hotel.

Excursion Steamer Sinks at Sea.

A wireless message was received on Saturday morning, stating that the Republic, a White Star Liner, had been rammed by an unknown steamer off Nantucket shoal. The Republic left New York on Friday afternoon with 872 passengers bound for a winter cruise in the Mediterranean. The passengers however, were all taken off by the liners Atlantic and La Lorraine, who went to the assistance of the Republic.

Livery Stable Burned at Moosomin

A livery stable owned by Sid. Jennings and occupied by A. McGregor was completely destroyed by fire last Saturday with a quantity of feed and several vehicles. The brigade did excellent service in confining the blaze to the building in which it started.

MASQUERADE BALL.

The Masquerade Ball given last Thursday night in Raymer's Hall, was one of the most successful events this winter. Dancing commenced promptly at 9 o'clock, and the hall was as full of Masqueraders in every variety of costume, as it would conveniently hold, and leave plenty of room for dancing. There were between 70 and 80 costumes on the floor, while about 50 spectators were watching the brilliant scene from the platform at the end of the hall.

The night's festivities opened with a waltz and kept up almost without cessation until 4 a.m. The dresses were most artistic, and the effect of the harmonious blending of many colours, was pleasing in the extreme. Dashing cowboys waltzed around the room with grim faced death, whilst fairy-like creatures sailed arm in arm with clowns round and round the room. Troubadors, niggers, merry-widows, spanish maidens, flower girls, formed a continually moving mass of colour, through which the form of the evil Mephistopheles glided with a realistic effect. The dresses of the Mexican lady and gentlemen were very good, and won a great deal of comment, as did also the lady cow-puncher whose costume was very effective. The three Spanish ladies attracted much attention, and between these, the cow-puncher lady and the Mexican lady, it was an extremely difficult task to form an opinion of which was best. The choice of the judges finally fell on the Spanish tambourine girl, who proved to be Miss R. Weddell.

The task of judging the gentlemen's costumes was no less difficult, as the costumes were so varied, and each part carried well. Many thought that the Mexican would carry off the prize, as his costume and make-up, was among the best on the floor. Others again favoured the cowboys, but the unfortunate judges had only their own opinion to rely on, and awarded the prize to Mephisto, as the best representation of a specified character. Mephisto in everyday life is Mr. H. Willis.

The comic dresses were easier to decide, as although there were many funny costumes to be seen, none so completely fooled the spectators as that of Joe Biggs, who, in the disguise of a merry-widow, carried himself with a coyness, hardly excelled by the merry-widow herself, whoever she may be.

The music was all that could be wished, and was provided by Messrs. J. W. Wilks, J. Kincaid and H. Bowers, whilst the judges were Messrs. G. Benmore, J. Hidson and F. H. Gibbs.

Supper was provided in the small hall, Messrs. McJannet, Marsded, and Hall being the caterers.

When all masks had been removed, about 11 p.m., Mr. Hudson took flash-light photographs, and the results are excellent.

The prizes were:
Miss Weddel, Gold Bracelet
H. Willis, Silver Mounted Pipe
J. Biggs, Gold Cuff Links.

FIRE AT PENTICTON.

On Tuesday evening of last week, two of Penticton's business places were burned with considerable loss. The premises destroyed were those of the Lee Block and the home of Mr. and Mrs. Malcom Campbell.

Red Tape in French Naval Construction.

R. Picard, French minister of marine, admitted that while England builds a battleship in two years, it takes France five years to construct one. One of the chief reasons for this, it is claimed, is that the French Navy is paralyzed by red tape and bureaucracy.

As an example of what passes in the government dockyards at Toulon, an authority states that before a rivet can be driven into a shaft of iron, a written request for authorization must be transmitted to Paris, passing through the hands of of twenty-two intermediaries, until the head of the admiralty is reached, the reply being given in the same roundabout way.

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We were called up on Saturday morning by Mr. F. Wilbur Jones, Secretary of the British and Foreign Bible Society, who was leaving for Vernon. Mr. Jones was interested in a contributed article in the last issue of the Orchard City Record, entitled "Socialism." He states that on a recent occasion, when perusing his vocation in the city of Vancouver, he entered some premises bearing over the doorway, "I.W.W." It was the headquarters of the Independent Workers of the World. There were many nationalities represented in the room, persuing various journals, socialist and otherwise. Mr. Jones states that he was astounded to see in a leading article in one of the Socialist organs, this sentence used, "It is the duty of all good Socialists to put down Christianity, if necessary by force."

It is Mr. Jones' desire on every possible occasion, to warn people of the position desired by the Socialist party, and he warns the residents of Kelowna to take note of the insidious beginnings of this work in their midst, and to decide for themselves if they will countenance it.

An instance has been brought to our notice, which, for colossal cheek is hard to beat. This is nothing else than an advertisement which appears in a recent issue of "Canada," advertising some fruit lands in the Kootenay country. The advertisers, a prominent Winnipeg real estate firm, have the impudence to insert a photograph of J. L. Pridham's orchard. Kelowna, to illustrate their Kootenay lands. It is an unmistakable tribute to the original, but does not speak well for the district advertised, when a firm has to pirate photographs of other districts in order to induce buyers, and reflects anything but credit on the firm itself. Such an unprincipled mode of advertising deserves wide publicity, and if a firm has lands for sale of which it is ashamed to photograph, it had far better not publish a picture at all.

The Orchard City Record is in receipt of a circular letter from Mr. N. F. Peters, Asst. Second Vice-President of the C.P.R. in which it states that that company, with a view to encouraging the development of the cities, towns and villages along its lines in the West and supplying their needs, has established an Industrial Department.

Enquires are constantly being made as to openings in the West for factories, wholesale and retail houses, etc., and it is the aim of the C.P.R. to obtain full particulars from the different settlements as to their requirments and attractions. Mr. Peters also invites communications from manufacturers and intending investors who may require information, which enquires will receive careful attention, and every endeavor made to give reliable information.

The Saturday Sunset about hits the mark when it says "Apparently the causes of Socialism and Temperance are both hampered by the same drawbacks—the illogical, intolerant and extreme views of leaders and press exponents."

National Anthem to be Played More Briskly.

For the future, "God Save the King" is, by the express desire of His Majesty, to be play in quicker time by all military bands than has hitherto been the custom. An order of the Army Council has been issued, instructing military bandmasters that the time is to be 84 crochets to the minute instead of 60. It is understood that the King and the Royal Family objected to the slower time as too dirge like, and the brisker rendering of the music has been tried before the King, and approved by him. The order applies to service bands in all parts of the Empire, including at least 400 military bands, and other bands will probably fall in line with the brisker rendering.

TWO TONS OF SHELL A MINUTE.

The American Navy.

The American Navy, says and American writer in an American Magazine, now leads the world in accuracy and rapidity of shooting; six years ago it was behind the Navy of every first-class Power. Six years ago the standard for firing heavy turret guns---which are now a battleship's sole weapon of consequence in battle---was once in five minutes; the average of hits on the target now in use would not have been once an hour. At present these guns fire an average of one and a half shots a minute; they hit the target once a a minute. Six years ago the standard rate of fire for six-inch guns was less than two shots a minute; as shown by the tests of 1902, less than one shot a minute hit the target. To-day these guns frequently make as many as twelve hits a minute, and the average of the whole Navy is six hits a minute. These are the records at the 1,600-yard range. At the last long range target practice in Massachusetts Bay the battleships of the North Atlantic Fleet, firing at a target from three to five away, averaged nearly 30 per cent. of hits. With a target one-third the size of the ships at Santiago, at distances from two to three times as great, our Fleet made more than fifteen times the percentage of hits.

Translated into terms of war, these changes mean: Six years ago an American battleship would not hit an enemy's vessel at a battle range of three miles or more oftener than twice an hour. To-day every ship of an enemy's fleet steaming into range would be struck by two tons of steel shell every minute by every modern American ship firing at her. Solid metal spatters like mud when these great projectiles strike it; when charged with their high explosives these shells are swept through the ship in fragments of from two hundred pounds in weight down to the finest steel dust. In all human probability no ship in the world could stand such a fire fifteen minutes.

The Yellow Peril.

Speaking at a banquet in London, given by the Royal Colonial Institute to welcome Lord Northcote, his lordship remarked on the necessity of viewing the yellow immigration question from an Australian view point. He declared Australia was increasingly protectionist, and urged the necessity of English emigration.

More Railways for B.C.

Besides rushing main line construction in the north this year, the Grand Trunk Pacific is formulating plans for building branch lines in British Columbia on a scale of magnitude never dreamt of by the public.

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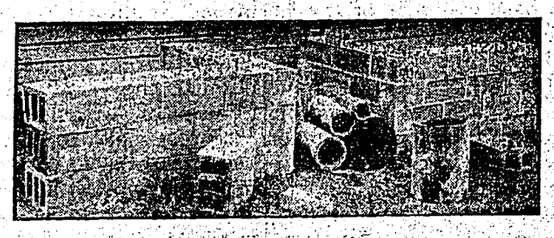

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Treasurer's Cash Statement and Estimates for Completing the Electric Light and Water Works.

TREASURER'S CASH STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS		
Cash on hand, Jan. 1st, 1908		308 35
Sale of Debentures:		
Light and water	36178 08	
Street and bridge	5000 00	
School building	5112 60	
Local Improvement	5949 70	52240 38
Rebates on notes discounted, etc.		23 80
Interest on sinking fund		18 81
Sale of scavenger's wagon		75 00
Sale of bridge piles		71 25
Government school grant		3390 00
Fines		443 75
Licenses, Hotel	600 00	
Special	50 00	
Trade	642 50	
Dog	120 00	1412 50
Taxes		11889 79
Road Taxes		106 00
Light connection fees		105 00
Sale of Sawdust		16 50
Subscriptions for street watering		108 00
Bank of Montreal, 190 sq. feet of cement sidewalk constructed on Bank property		59 00
		70268 13

DISBURSEMENTS		
Note paid on Jan. 16, 1908		600 00
Fire Department		155 45
Office: R. Morrison, salary	300 00	
G. H. Dunn, Salary	450 00	
Sundries	356 85	1106 85
Water-works		
One-third payment on Underwtiters' pump	450 00	
Distribution system	13248 38	13698 38
Electric light plant:		
Pole line	9230 48	
Power house and machinery	4395 31	13625 79
Electric light and operating		
Salaries and supplies	308 32	
Fuel for plant	477 00	785 32
Refunds road taxes, etc.		11 30
City solicitor's salary, J. F. Burne		240 00
Police magistes' " " "		250 00
Grants:		
City Band	150 00	
Antituberculous Society	50 00	
Board of Trade	250 00	
Regatta	75 00	525 00
Printing and advertising		602 59
Transferred to sinking fund		1493 29
Interest:		
Debenture coupons	812 50	
Overdrafts, discounts, etc.	345 75	1158 25
Scavenger:		
Quon Won salary	323 75	
D. Mills salary	600 00	
Sundries	207 61	1131 36
Bridges:		
Contract price for building Richter, Pendozi, and Abbott St. bridges over Mill creek	2250 00	
Fills for above bridges	2079 83	4329 83
Police:		
T. Hidson salary	840 00	
Sending prisoners to Kamloops, meals for prisoners, etc.	812 00	1652 00
Streets:		
Land for Harvey ave., W. W. Grummett	600 00	
do., G. Fletcher	180 00	
Work on streets & old side w'ks	4639 62	5419 62
Local Improvements:		
Plank sidewalk on		
DeHart ave. from Ethel to Richter	350 00	
Eli ave. from Ellis to Abbott St.	325 00	
Harvey ave. from Ethel to Richter	350 00	
Ellis st. from Bernard ave. to Block 41 Map 462	260 24	
Glen ave. from Ethel to town line	400 00	
Burne ave. from Richter to Pendozi	234 77	
Lake ave. from Pendozi to Abbott	339 14	
Bernard ave. north from Richter to Pendozi st.	571 55	
Bernard ave. south from Lot 18 blk. 15 to lot 3 blk. 55	340 28	
Water st. from 90 feet north of Lawrence ave. to Eli st.	259 60	
Glenwood ave from Richter to Pendozi st.	232 01	
Richter st. from Harvey to Sutherland ave.	401 82	
Richter st. from Sutherland to Calder ave.	387 50	
Abbott st. from Lawrence ave. to Mill creek	187 73	
Abbott st. from Mill creek to Lake avenue	318 78	
Cement Walks on		
North side of Bernard ave., from Water st. to lot 5 block 15	793 11	
South side of Bernard ave. from Water to Pendozi st.	879 50	
Surveying, establishing grades, etc.	97 00	6728 03
Commission on Collections		
T. Hidson 25 per cent. dog licsn.	17 00	
T. Hidson 25 per cent. road taxes less rebates	24 50	41 50
Street watering		99 40
Legal expense		10 00
School:		
Miss Morrison, salary	420 00	
J. Hislop	340 00	
Miss Wade	300 00	
Miss Hunter	672 00	
Miss Messenger	840 00	
Miss McNaughton	1080 00	
J. R. Brown	765 00	
Neil Gregory	276 00	
Sundries	985 57	5678 57
Land for new school house		4000 00
General Expense		1473 98
Balance in Bank as per pass book	5843 83	
Less outstanding cheques	1383 61	
	4460 22	
Cash on hand as per pass book	991 40	5451 62
		70268 13

Estimates for Completing Light and Water Works.

Canadian Fairbanks Co:		
Balance due on Light Plant	9690 33	
Balance due on Water Works	900 00	10590 33
W. T. Ashbridge		
4 per cent. Commission on Light Plant to Dec. 1st, less $400 paid on account	539 88	
4 per cent. Commission on Water Works construction to Dec. 31st	583 92	1123 80
Hinton Electric Co.		
10 per cent. commission on Pole Line construction		923 04
J. A. Bigger		
Balance due on Power House contract		180 90 12818 07
Estimated cost of completing lighting system		6226 00
Estimated cost of completing water works under construction	1288 00	
Estimated cost of 8 in. mains on Water street, from Bernard to Lawrence	800 00	
Estimated cost of 8 in. main on Abbot street, from Bernard to Lawrence	650 00	
Estimated cost of 10 in. main from corner of Royal Hotel to street	75 00	
Estimated cost of 20 connections to consumers' premises	400 00	3213 00
		22257 07
Proceeds sale of School Building Debentures	5112 60	
Paid J. Bowes for School land	4000 00	
	1112 60	1112 60
		23369 67
Less		
Cash on hand and in bank Dec. 31st	5451 62	
Unpaid Taxes	1415 50	6867 12
		16502 55

Summary.

Cost of Light plant to Dec. 31st, 1908	13625 79	
Cost of Water Works to Dec. 31st, 1908	13698 38	27324 17
Unpaid Light plant accounts	11334 15	
Unpaid Water Works accounts	1483 92	12818 07
Estimated cost of completing light plant	6226 00	
Estimated cost of completing proposed Water Works	3213 00	9439 00
Total cost of proposed Light and Water works		49581 24
Proceeds sale of Light and Water Debentures		36178 08
Amount to be borrowed for Light and Water Works		13403 16
Amount to be borrowed for general works		3099 39
		16502 55

A public meeting will be held in Raymer's Hall on Thursday, Feb. 4th, at 8 p.m., to discuss the above statement and and estimates, also the purchasing of D. Lloyd-Jone's Park.

The above statement and notice is published by order of Mayor DeHart.

G. H. DUNN,
City Clerk.

Provincial News.

Asks For Senate to be Abolished.

Ottawa, Jan. 20. Lancaster will give notice of a resolution proposing that a petition be sent the Imperial Parliament asking that the British North America Act be amended in a manner providing for the abolition of the Senate.

Attorney-General Bowser and B.C. Clubs

One of the most important of the earlier Government measures which will be introduced to the house, will be a special club licensing bill, fathered by Attorney-General Bowser. All now incorporated, and those hereafter seeking incorporation, will under this bill, have to take out annually a government license, and pay a fee of $100.00, before continuing or obtaining the privilege selling liquor. They must also all be subject to inspection, when deemed necessary by the Government.

This proposal to put clubs under strict regulations, is the outcome of numerous complaints received in the Attorney-General's department, regarding questionable clubs, but carries with it no reflection upon the better class of clubs, many of which have been organized a long time, and in which there is no abuse of present privileges.

Morang School Book Contract.

The enquiry into the notorious Morang School Book contract has been postponed to March 10th, when Mr. Haultain will be ready to proceed with the investigation.

Mr. F. W. Morse Resigns From G.T.P.

Mr. Frank W. Morse, general manager of the G.T.P. Railway has resigned his position, and left for a trip to Europe. Mr. C. M. Hays, president of the G.T.P., declined on Saturday to amplify it in any way, beyond stating that he regretted that Mr. Morse was leaving, and that he had performed magnificent work in the construction of railways.

Another Transcontineutal to be Built.

Second Vice-President White, announced last Thursday that the Canadian Pacific Railway will this Spring commence building what will eventually be a second transcontinental line from St. Paul to the Pacific Const. It will run from Weyburn, Sask., to Lethbridge, Alta., 400 miles.

700 Enginees in One Order.

An item of interest to owners of motor boats and others comes before our notice. An article appears in the Cleveland Press, 1st Jan. 1909, in which the W. H. Mullins Co., of Salem, O., is shown to have just closed the largest order on record for engines. This order goes to the Ferro Machine and Foundry Co., of Cleveland, and includes 700 engines to be delivered within the next 60 days.

Messrs. James Bros., of Kelowna, who are agents for these engines are confident of a growing demand for them, as the advent of the gasoline motor has wrought the most extraordinary development in general boating. Where the sail-boat and row-boat were indulged in ten years ago, today will find in every lake and river that is at all navigable, powerboats of all descriptions.

St. John Suffragettes.

St. John, N.B., Jan. 23. A delegation of women yesterday asked that they be given the Franchise in Provincial affairs under the restrictions governing civic elections. Premier Hazen promised consideration.

"R. L." Sits for Halifax.

Hon. R. L. Borden has announced his intention of resigning Carleton county seat and sitting for Halifax. A letter to the Conservatives refers to the warm friendships made during the two terms he represented the county, and thanks them for their support.

Primate of Canada Dead.

Archbishop Sweatman, primate of all Canada, died at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon after being ill a week of pneumonia. The last official function over which Archbishop Sweatman presided was the consecration of Bishop Farthing in Montreal.

Evangelist Russell left for Revelstoke today.

The Aberdeen was held up a mile from Penticton yesterday, by ice.

Kelowna was beaten by Summerland yesterday at hockey, by one point.

Married By the Catholic Priest at Mission, E. Keefe to Skye.

Douglas and Ian Cameron returned to college at Victoria today, after spending their Christmas holidays at their home, Guisachan Ranch.

The Social and Moral Reform association supported by the Royal Templars, are conducting a "banish the bar-room" propaganda throughout the province, circulating petitions for presentation to the approaching session of the legislature. Not to be caught napping the Licensed Hotel Keepers' association is conducting a counter agitation and petitions will be presented by a fighting delegation. The attack is being concentrated entirely on the hotel license.

We regret that, owing to a misunderstanding, the treasuaers financial statement of Kelowna Hospital, was published a few hours before being submitted to the directors'

CITY OF KELOWNA

Electric Light Notice

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Dry Valley Dribbles

Yore lokel manijer feels prutty bad this week seein' as 'ow I ave been arsked to rite agin. It kinder takes the shine off 'im. He ses to me yesterday ses 'e "Say Simon he ses ye'd better ave the lend 'o the loan 'o my fountain pen or mebbe ye'ed get stuck for words if ye don't ave a good flow." (Sarkastick eh! not 'alf). I told im I'd stick to me ole goos kwill and it ud remind of me im when I was ritin.

Ed. Bowers 'as been quite ill lately with a touch of Ploorasy but bless ye Ed. don't mind a little thing like that as 'e 'as 'ad it afore and is gettin to be kinder used to it. O' course the male asn't been regler since Ed. was sick but we 'ave decided to overlook it seein he's better and back to work agin. We've caushoned 'im tho' anyway.

The schulemaster ses 'e 'ad a visit last week from three Kelowna gentlemen who wanted to borrow his kilt. As Sandy Gordon ses "Ye canna tak the breeks off a Hielandman", but here was an attempt to take the kilt from a Sassenach. We hear 'owever that the said kilt was a skirt 'o the wifes which the schulemaster fixed up under his weskit in order to look 'is Scotchest at a concert in Kelowna some months back. We expeck this will be denied but we 'ave good authority to back us.

J. D. McKinley informs us that 'e has struck no fresh seam in 'is coal mine as yet and that there's every appearance 'o being lots 'o dirt to be dug out 'o the hole yet afore he makes a sindykit 'o the blamed bizness anyway. He ses if he doesn't stricke black dimonds soon he'll mebbe just pan out another rock feller. But ye never know ye know.

Geo. Stirling went to town larst week to a Soshulist meetin. He didn't get back till Sunday but as 'e forgot to fetch the male and other things for the missus she talks about jinin the Soshulists 'erself sos she can go in with him next time and see wot this Soshulist bizness is anyway. Poor George!

SIMON.

News of the Churches

The various churches will return to their usual hours of worship in future.

PRESBYTERIAN

The annual congregational meeting will take place in Knox Church on Feb. 3nd at 8 o'clock, when various matters of importance will be discussed.

A similar meeting will be held in Bethel Church, Benvoulin, Feb. 5th, at 7.30 o'clock.

BAPTIST

Rev. H. P. Thorpe has tendered his resignation to the Baptist Church here, and has accepted a call to Salmon Arm.

METHODIST

The Evangelistic services ceased on Wednesday, and in future the services will be held as before.

President of Nicaragua Adopts Novel Scheme to Stop Revolts.

The most original scheme of preserving his position has recently been hit upon by President Zalaya of Nicaragua. His plan is very simple. Whenever he leaves the capital he takes with him all the firing mechanism of the guns of his fortress in order to prevent a revolution in the garrison, so it is reported. He is said to have had constructed a large brass-bound chest in which in which all the firing pins and delicate apparatus of each of the big guns surmounting the fortress walls at Carinto, are carried, and only replaced when he is safely back at the capital.

A car of Nicola stove and furnace coal has been received by Mr. Haug this week.

A WRECK ON THE ROAD

What a Collision Means to the Man at the Throttle.

PLIGHT OF THE ENGINEER.

The Chances He Has to Take and His Fate Should He Become Crippled in a Smashup—There Are Some Things Worse Than Physical Pain.

"I just dropped in to tell you that the coroner's jury has exonerated you from all blame for the wreck. They are going to hold the block tower man."

The old engineer turned his pain drawn face toward me. A white capped nurse gently brushed back the wild hairs from his forehead.

"Thank you, miss," he said, "and you, too, sir, for the good news. I knew they couldn't blame it on me, because it was white at Mentor. Poor Denny, he'd tell you so, too, if he was alive. 'All white!' he shouted when we came round the curve, and I gave him the answer, 'All white!' and pulled her wide open. Then we struck the empties on the siding, and—well, you know the rest." He wiped a trembling hand across his eyes as if trying to blot out some horrible vision.

His eyes began to sparkle, and a bit of color flashed into his pale cheeks. "I suppose you fellows think I opened her up and went into those boxes just for fun" A smile flitted over his lips, and then he grew serious. "Say, did it ever come to your mind that an engineer might be as anxious about his own life as he is about the lives of those who are riding behind him? My wife and little one—don't you suppose my life counts for something with them?

"Did you ever stop to think what a collision like that at Mentor means to the engineer? Just try to figure yourself in his place. He rides in four square feet of cab room, surrounded by a mass of levers, rods and the like. Ahead of him is about three miles of boiler pipe, carrying 200 pounds of steam pressure and enough hot water to cook the meat off his bones in a jiffy Clattering at his back is 6,000 gallons of water and 26,000 pounds of coal Under him is 200,000 pounds of engine, and behind there is 600,000 pounds of train. Altogether he is running along ahead of 800,000 pounds of steel, hardwood and brass held to an eighty pound rail by three quarters of an inch of wheel flange.

"Why, when one of those big Russian battleships fired a broadside at the Japanese the whole thing amounted only to 24,000 pounds, so the papers say. And that 24,000 pounds traveling eight miles a minute would strike a Japanese ship eight miles away with an impact only one-tenth of the force we hit the empties at Mentor

"Of course I was the engineer and they depended on me. There is always a lot of fine talk about engineers having the lives of several hundred passengers in their hands. That's all very true, but you don't want to overlook the fact that the engineer's life is right there along with the others We all take chances, the train crew as well as the passengers, only our chances are slimmer. I had one chance in 500 of being killed, or one in twenty-five of getting right where I am now, but a passenger on the train had one chance in about 3,000,000 of being killed and one in 130,000 of being hurt.

"I see that a lot of people were killed and a whole lot more hurt. I don't want to be a grumbler, but it appears to me that you fellows have kinder overlooked the fact that both of my legs are gone. Of course that might not mean much to you, but if you realized, as I do, that for the rest of my life it is going to be my job to hobble out into the middle of some country road and wave a white flag as every train goes by—if you could realize what that means to an engineer—to hear the mocking toot of the whistle as she comes up to the crossing and to see the sympathetic salute of the engineer and fireman as they go flying by I tell you, my boy, there are some things worse than physical pain."

His eyes filled with tears The nurse gently wiped them away and softly stroked back the hair.

"I wouldn't talk any more now," she said

"All right, miss," he replied, putting out his hand to me. "I always obey orders"—B R Winslow in New York Tribune

A Free Translation.

"And you say the idiot of a teacher told you that you had an extravagant fool of a father?"

"That's what he meant."

"But what did he say?"

"He said it was criminal folly to waste money on the education of such a chump as I am."

Nothing Left.

"Have you" asked the judge of a recently convicted man, "anything to offer the court before sentence is passed?"

"No, your honor," replied the prisoner; "my lawyer took my last farthing"—London Tit-Bits.

The Last Word.

Conductor This here transfer expired an hour ago, lady. The Lady (digging in her purse snappishly)—No wonder with not a single ventilator open in the whole car!

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Social and Personal

A. H. Wade, of Penticton, was a Kelowna visitor on Tuesday.

W. S. Lang, of Peachland, was in Kelowna on Tuesday.

Miss Brown, of Peachland, was visiting in Kelowna on Tuesday.

Rev. Mr. McIntyre, of Summerland, was a visitor to Kelowna over Tuesday.

Mrs. Blackwood Sr., returned on Friday from Toronto.

Mrs. T. J. Clark and daughter arrived from the coast last Monday.

Miss Day returned from Toronto on Friday, after undergoing treatment at the hospital there.

Mr. J. E. Wheeler returned from Moosejaw and other eastern points on Monday, and reports cold weather.

Mr. T. I. Dunn, of Vancouver, was in Kelowna for a few days this week visiting his nephews, Messrs. Dunn Bros.

Lizzie Munson was taken ill suddenly last week, and is now in Kelowna Hospital suffering from inflammatory rheumatism.

Mr. J. Bouch returned on Friday with wife and family, who have been visiting points in Ontario during the past four months.

Messrs. Elliott, Pitcairn and DuMoulin returned from Armstrong on Friday, where they had been attending a meeting of the Associated Board of Trade.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Stuart and family, of Benvoulin, returned last Friday from Vancouver, where they have been spending a month with friends. They report very cold weather there.

Mrs. Jas. Rae, of Benvoulin, has been laid aside through falling on the ice last week, injuring her knee-cap. It will probably be several weeks before she is around again.

Mrs. Armstrong, who was so painfully injured at Benvoulin last week, has been brought into town where she is cared for at the home of Mrs. F. M. Buckland. Latest reports say she is progressing favourably.

The adjourned meeting of the W.C.T.U. will be held next Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Curts. A good attendance of members is requested. All Christian workers welcome.

Principal Murray, of Peachland, who has been staying at Kelowna Hospital for the past few weeks, returned to Peachland on Wednesday.

Dr. Gaddes returned from Calgary on Wednesday, accompanied by Mr. W. E. Adams.

Mrs. Welsh of Didsbury, Alta., arrived on Wednesday, and is visiting at the home of Mrs. Gaddes.

Mr. Bingham Newland, of Qu'Appelle, is visiting Kelowna, arriving on Wednesday's boat.

BIRTHS.

To Mrs. J. Saucier, on Sunday morning a girl.

At Kelowna Hospital, to the wife of W. A. K. Conolley, of Vancouver, a boy.

Jan. 24th. To the wife of R. A. S. Allen, a son.

Ontario Man Tarred and Feathered

A house on the Scane sideroad, about 5 miles from Owen Sound, was scene of a "Whitecap" outrage last week, when a party of men, wearing masks, dragged a man named Owens from bed and, having administered a copious coat of tar and feathers, the second to which he had been treated within a week, escorted him from the neighborhood to the accompaniment of revolver shots.

Last fall, Owens, who is nearly 60 years old, and who has a wife in Chatham, whom it is alleged he does not support, became very attentive to a 20-year-old girl in Ridgetown, and a few weeks ago he accompanied her to her home on the Scane road, where they took up their residence. The girl's father came here and laid a complaint before a justice of the peace, and as a result the two migrated to Morpeth, a village on Lake Erie, about twelve miles to the south.

At Morpeth the villagers took stoong exception to their presence, and on New Year's night a party took the man out and tarred and feathered him. The couple then returned to the paternal abode and again quartered themselves on the family.

This was a little too much for the neighbors. A "Whitecap" party broke into the house, where they found the man and girl and Owens was again smeared with tar and feathers liberally scattered over him. He was then given solemn warning that worse would befall him if he showed his face their again, and after an interval spent by the victim in removing as much of the tar as possible, he was driven away several of his assailants firing their pistol as an additional deterrent to his reappearance.

Attempted Life of Czar Ferdinand.

An attempt on the life of Czar Ferdinand, of Bulgaria is reported, but although several arrests have been made, details are suppressed.

FISH SUPERSTITIONS.

Queer Old Time Notions, Some of Which Still Survive.

The one fish medicine of which modern science thoroughly approves is cod liver oil, and this, though in far less nauseous form than formerly, is swallowed in tons every year.

In old days a much wider use was made of fish as cures for various evils, and some of these practices have survived to the present day. Some little time ago a boy died of epilepsy in a north Wales parish. The doctor, called in too late, inquired if the deceased had been given any medicine. "Oh, yes," was the answer. "We caught a trout, drowned it in new milk and gave it to the boy."

Eels are supposed to possess all kinds of virtues. In the dark ages of medicine a powder made of eels' liver was considered an absolute specific for deafness and was also employed in cases of ague or fever. A decoction of eels' fat is still used by Dutch peasants as a remedy for falling hair.

But the most valuable part of the eel, according to popular superstition, is its skin. Many an old farmer wears a belt of eelskin as a preventive against rheumatism, and some believe that a garter made of the skin of this snake-like fish worn next to the human skin as a preventive not only against rheumatism, but also against sprains or similar injuries.

Another cure for rheumatism, which finds favor with salt water fishermen, is a red herring. The herring being the most plentiful of all the sea fish, a number of superstitions have attached themselves to it. For luck through the ensuing year one must be sure to eat a herring on New Year's day.

Fishermen believe that each shoal is headed by a king herring, which is more than double as large as any of its followers. They believe that when one of the "kings" comes up in the net it should be thrown overboard; otherwise the next day's fishing will be a failure.

THE HEADSMAN.

He Used the Sword and Not the Ax Prior to 1483.

I am inclined to think that prior to 1483 the sword and not the ax was usually employed as the weapon for judicial decapitation and that a block was dispensed with, the victims receiving their doom "meekly kneeling upon their knees," and in this opinion I am fortified by the concurrence of an eminent clerical historian. This learned writer agreed with me that the ax did not become the "regulation" lethal implement until after the rough and ready "heading" of Lord Hastings on the Tower green, when he was summarily dispatched by order of the protector, Gloucester.

In this instance, according to the chroniclers, the victim's neck was stretched upon a piece of timber then in use for the repair of the adjacent church of St. Peter ad Vincula, probably a "putlog," part of the scaffolding which, we read, "conveniently lay in the way." Contemporary accounts seem to indicate that the executioner straddled over the prone body, and from this position I infer that the decapitation was effected by the tool known as an adz, the cutting edge of which is at a right angle to and not in a plane with the haft.

I may add that the only contemporary reference I have come across of the use or proposed use of an ax and block for inflicting capital punishment prior to this tragedy is in one of the Paston series of letters describing the peril of an unfortunate captive of Jack Cade's rebels (A. D. 1450), a generation before Lord Hastings was so clumsily hacked to death.—London Notes and Queries.

The Hair.

A single hair, which can support a weight of two ounches, is so elastic that it may be stretched to one-third of its entire length and then regain its former size and condition. Dr. Pincus has measured the growth of hair by cutting off circles about one inch in diameter from the heads of healthy men and so comparing the growth of the patches with that of the rest of the hair. He found that the growth rate generally became slower after cutting; that in some cases the hair on the patches grew at the same rate as the rest, but that it never grew any faster.

The ordinary length of the hair on the head ranges between twenty-two inches and about forty-five inches, the latter being considered unusually long.—London Standard.

Beetles.

The Rev. Theodore Wood, a well known English authority on beetles, makes an interesting observation on a little beetle found frequently in the flowers of the primrose, but nowhere else, which is quite a mystery. It is small, brown and flat, and Mr. Wood remarks of it: "How its life is lived nobody knows. Where its eggs are laid, what the grubs feed upon, where the chrysalis be hidden, nobody knows. Nobody knows even why the perfect beetle gets into the primrose blossom."

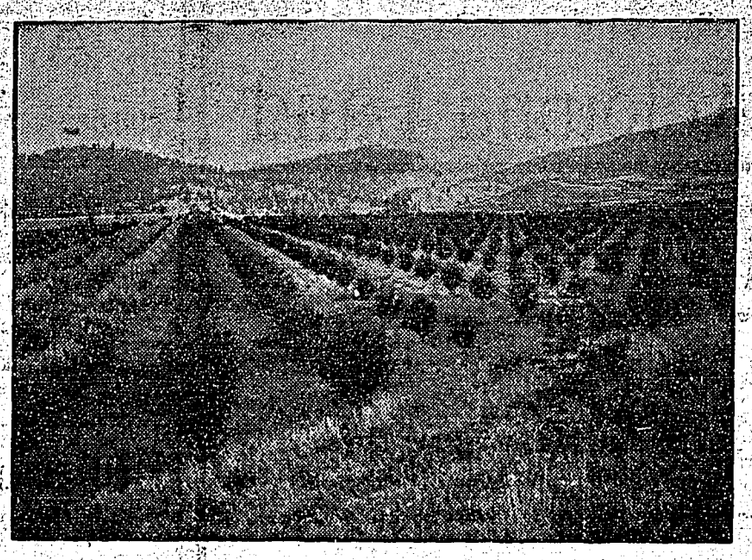
An Easy Way.

"In order to succeed in life," said the experienced person, "you must not be afraid to make enemies."

"Then," answered the tractable youth, "you would probably advise me to put in some time as a baseball umpire."

When the Adamses Move.

Mrs. K., while telling her children about Adam and Eve and the beauties of the garden of Eden, was interrupted by one of the tiny tots saying, "Oh, mamma, when those Adamses move away let us get that place to live in."—Delineator.



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The Colonies and "Ne'er-Do-Weels"

At a number of Essex Petty Sessional Courts on Tuesday, a communication was read from the Home Secretary, intimating that strong representations had been made by various Colonial Governments, against the practices of some benches in the county of dealing with offenders, on condition that they emigrate to the Colonies.

The Home Secretary endorsed the remonstrances against the practice.

Conservative Convention at Victoria.

The great Conservative Convention at Victoria, concluded with resolutions of confidence in Hon. R. L. Borden and Premier McBride. A close run was made between Kamloops and New Westminster for the honor of the next convention, Kamloops being selected.

An interesting resolution, and one that was passed unanimously, was one urging the local government to consider the question of government ownership and operation of telephone lines in rural districts.

Another resolution which was heartily supported, and which receives the endorsement of every right thinking citizen, is "That the members of this convention again put themselves on record as advocating that Canada shall be preserved as a white man's country, and that it heartily approves of the course which has been consistently followed by the local government in respect to Asiatic immigration, and as heartily condemns the policy of the Dominion Government in this connecrion.

Another resolution commended the action of the local government in its effort to to assert the rights of the province with respect to the efficient control of the fisheries.

Chess and Checker Clnb.

A meeting of the Kelowna Chess and Checker Club was held at the Literary Institute on Friday, the 26 inst at 8 p.m., Mr. D. Leckie in the chair. The followi g officers were elected.

President, D. Leckie; Vice-President, F. M. Buckland; Sec. Treasurer, N. Ellison; Executive officer, A. G. Mathie. The subscription was placed at 50c. It was decided to hold the club meeting on Monday and Thursday nights at the Institute. Handicap tournments will be held, and if possible matches be arranged with other clubs. All persons desirous of joining the club are requested to communicate with the secretary.

Queen Alexandria Ill.

It is reported that Queen Alexandria is seriously ill, and has been confined to her room for the past fortnight, and to her bed for the past week. It is said to be a case of severe influenza, and two physicians are in constant attendance.

The real nature of the case has been kept secret, but her suffering is said to be extreme. This illness is reported to be the worst the Queen has suffered in recent years, as ordinarily her health has been excellent.

ANNUAL MEETING OF HOSPITAL SOCIETY.

The Annual General Meeting of the Kelowna Hospital Society took place last Friday in Raymer's Hall, when the treasurer's balance sheet was passed, and report read.

Elections of officers for the ensuing year took place, resulting the election of Mr. T. W. Stirling again as president, Mr. Lawson as vice-president in the place of Mr. Cox who resigned, Mr. Weddell, treasurer, and Mr. Gorrie, secretary.

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Town and Country

A team of hockey players left on Wednesday to play Summerlad.

Some very good photographs of the Masquerade Ball are to be had at Hudson's Studio.

The petition to the Government to widen the swamp road is still lying in Hewetson & Mantle's office, for signatures.

The notice over the bridge on Pendozi street forbidding vehicles to cross faster than a walk, has now been removed by order of Mayor DeHart.

Remember the night of the 18th Feb. That is when the Kelowna Operatic Society will present "Pirates of Penzance" (Gilbert and Sullivan) in Raymer's Hall.

News was brought into town on Tuesday night that Captain Riddley had been thrown out of his democrat while driving home, breaking his knee-cap in two places.

Mr. S. Marshall of Westbank completed a real estate deal last week, disposing of some property to a new comer from the east.

It was found necessary to amputate both feet of S. Lister, the young man who was lost in Bear Creek country a week ago. This was done last Tuesday at Kelowna Hospital, where he is lying at present.

On account of the extraordinary success of the Masquerade Ball last week, a similar ball will be given directly after Easter. Announcements will be made later.

The members of the Ladies' Hospital Aid Society are asked to keep in mind the Social Tea to be held in Raymer's Small Hall on Saturday, Feb. 6th, when the talent money earned for the Hospital, will be handed in. Mr. W. M. Crawford has kindly donated a prize for the lady who earns the most money this way. Everybody invited. Tea and cake 25c.

A hockey match was played in the skating rink last Tuesday, between the Linemen and Cigarmakers, resulting in 3–2 in favour of the Linemen. Steve Irwin's No. 10s, developed by long practise in scaling telephone poles, stood him in good stead as goalkeeper, and defied many attempts of the "cigars" to put the puck in.

The Rowcliffe block has been undergoing a change lately. Contractor Middleton has been busy putting up a dividing partition in the large warehouse and is preparing it for occupation by Johnston & Bowers as pool room. Electric light is installed, and when completed it promises to be a great attraction to pool and billiard enthusiasts.

No More Lowney's Candies For Prohibitionists.

The revenue police of Montreal have made a seizure on the premises of the Lowney company of a quantity of brandy, and chocolate drops loaded with the same intoxicant. As a result of the seizure warrants have been served upon about thirty dealers, charging them with selling liquor without a license. Each chocolate contained about half a teaspoonful of brady, and the drops ran about twent-five to the pound.

Great Blast Set Off at Prince Rupert.

A huge puff of smoke, through which shot stumps and massive rocks that were carried for hundreds of yards into the harbour; a trembling of the earth similar to a slight shock of earthquake, with a dull muffled roar, and 20,000 yards of rock in the bluff south of the wharf was either hurled into water, or broken up so fine by the force of the explosion that steam shovels will be able to handle it without the slightest difficulty. The scene was witnessed by the residents of Prince Rupert from the surrounding hilltops, and as the shot is the most successful one put off so far, the contractors are jubilant.

For some weeks gangs of men have been drilling coyote tunnels under this bluff from the water's edge and on grade level.

Three of these tunnels which averaged 75 feet in length, and are located 100 feet apart were then cross-sectioned at the end and half-way by tunnels 30 feet in length, forming huge pockets into which was packed twelve tons, or the contents of a thousand 25-pound cans of black powder.

The magazines were connected by wires with a galvanic battery on the wharf, from where the shots were fired after the tunnels had been filled up with loose rock and hermetically sealed to prvent them from blowing out.

Carrie Nation on the Warpath.

Mrs. Carrie Nation, the Amazon of prohibition, has carried her vigorous personality and her vigorous tactics across the ocean to Bonnie Scotland. On her arrival at Glasgow this gentle saloon-smasher of the States announced: "If you want to wake people up, you must shock them."

It is likely that the canny Scots do not consider that they need arousing, at least in the tender manner usually adopted by the irresponsible Carrie; and although a large crowd met her at the station on her arrival, they very inconsiderately escorted her to a licensed hotel, which she immediately left in great disgust when she became cognizant of the dreadful fact.

After Glasgow, she paid a visit to the fair city of Edinburgh, but was ejected from from many of the public-houses. At one she pointed to a customer and exclaimed. "Look at that face!" which was distinctly personal, not to say impolite. But Mrs. Carrie Nation has her own pecular ideas on these matters.

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Cigarette Smoking in China.

The United States Consul at Nanking, in a report on cigarette smoking in China says:

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"The introduction of this habit among the Chinese dates back only a few years, and its universal spread throughout the empire has been astonishingly rapid. The manufacturers say that their production is up to the standard and entirely free from opium. The cigarette has superseded the cumbersome water pipes heretofore so common among the Chinese, and is even used by opium smokers, who find an added pleasure in smoking of a cigarette after inhaling the opium fumes.

"The unlimited advertising of the merits of the various brands, through the medium of flaring posters pasted on the doors and walls of sacred temples, mission churches, city gates and walls and other conspicuous places, attracts the Chinese to the point of experimental indulgence. for the poorest coolie can find the five cash (one-fourth cent) necessary to purchase a cigarette. The company practically enjoying a monoply of the cigarette trade in China has been compelled to increase its plant to keep up with the increased demand."

New Vice-President of G.T.P.

E. J. Chamberlain has been appointed vice-President and general manager of the G.T.P. since the resignation of F. W. Morse. Mr. Chamberlain was formerly general manager of the Canada Atlantic railway system, but since the absorption of the Canada Atlantic by the Grand Trunk, has been engaged in railway construction work.

Earthquake in Asiatic Regions.

The seismographs of England and the continent recorded a severe earthquake shock early Saturday morning. The intensity indicated by the needles, was nearly as great as that recorded at the time of the Messina disaster last month.

The distance from the point of record is estimated to be from 2000 to 3000 miles eastward, which would place the disturbance in the Caspain region, or beyond in Asiatic Russia.

Old Country News

Mad Mullah Again on Warpath.

A Reuter's dispatch from Aden on the 2nd inst., says: "The Mullah has again attacked the friendly tribes, and the situation is becoming critical."

The many attempts to capture the Mad Mullah of Somaliland will be still recollected. From 1900 to 1905 campaigns were carried on against him, and he has been defeated on several occasions with heavy losses, only to reappear however, with larger forces each time.

Disloyalty Denounced in India.

At a meeting in Lahore, Dec. 31, of the Punjab Chief's Association, a new organization of landed aristocracy of ancient lineage, created to resist the revolutionary influences of demagogues, a resolution was passed earnestly urging the Government to employ the sternest measures to extirpate from the soil the germs of disloyalty and anarchism.

Old Age Pensions.

The Old Age Pension Scheme recently instituted by the British Government, is not an unmixed blessing. Some of the private people, and in at least one case, a public body, have discontinued pensions to old folk, on the ground that they can take advantage of the Government Act.

Pensioners of the Royal Patriotic Fund, received a circular note early last December, addressed by the Royal Corporation to widows over seventy years, directing them to apply for pensions under the Old Age Pensions Act.

No imitation was given that it was intended to stop or reduce the allowance, but this was found to be only too true on New Year's Day at Queenstown, when widows who were entitled to Government pensions found that their allowance had been lessened by the amount, 5 s. in most cases, which they would receive from the State. Most of these pensioners of the Patriotic Fund were paid quarterly in advance £3, 18s, but to their dismay the order for the current quarter was only for 13 s.

Suffragettes Bury Their Franchise Bill.

At a meeting in Trafalgar Square on 2nd Jan., the Suffragettes with mock ceremonial, "buried" the Women's Franchise Bill, which at the prorogation of Parliament automatically became extinct.

Rather a candid confessian, and one that caused considerable amusement was made by Miss Muriel Matters, heroine of the "grille" incident in the House of Commons. It was advanced against the women's suffrage movement, that women ought to get married and stay at home. "Let me give you the tip my friends," said Miss Matters, "we cant all do that, because if we were to try to get married tomorrow there are not enough men to go round."

The dead Bill was contained in a miniature coffin, wrapped in white cloth, bearing in black letters, "Killed by the Government." The hearse was a light four wheeled waggon, drawn by a decrepit horse.

Several impassioned addresses were given by some of the women, who are more militant than ever, and Mrs. Despard proposed, "That this meeting condemns the Government for not carrying Mr. Stranger's Bill into law, and calls upon the Government to put women's suffrage into the King's Speech and carry a Women's Enfranchisement Bill next session."

Gas Explosion in London.

Last week an explosion of gas occurred beneath a pathway in Grange Road, Bermondsey, London, which resulted in the death of a boy and injuries to three other lads and a women. The explosion was presumably caused by the frost acting upon the gas mains. The boy's head was almost completely severed from the body. Two more explosions occurred later, the third report being followed by the bursting of flames from holes made in the pathway. Considerable damage was dones to property in the vicinity, railings being blown down and the windows of a public-house shattered.

Unemployed Riot at Sheffield.

A riotous scene was witnessed in Sheffield in the small hours of Wednesday morning of last week. Intimation had been given that a number of the unemployed would be required at the Corporation labour depot for snow-clearing purposes. About midnight a big crowd attended, and a number of men not engaged, who were dissappointed, then became demonstrative.

The yard gates were smashed, and a crowd entered the depot. A number of police were fortunately in attendance, and others arriving promptly cleared the yards. For a while the men hung threateningly about the premises, but ultimately dispersed.

Highwaymen in London.

A sensational attempt at highway robbery occured on the 23rd inst., in which five people were killed, and over twenty are in hospitals at Walthamstow.

The attempt was made bo two Italians, discharged employees of a rubber factory, and when run down and surrounded by a posse, they committed suicide.

To revenge themselves on their late employers, the two men lay in wait near the factory, and seized a bag of money containing the week's pay, bolting away through the streets. The police pursued in a motor car, and as they approached, the robbers opened fire with automatic pistols, hitting a number of men and boye who were on the street.

Keeping ahead of the police, the fugitives boarded a trolley car, and forced the driver to throw on full speed until they reached Tottenham Marsh, where they jumped from the car and made a last stand in the marshes.

Here they were quickly surrounded by the police and several hundred labourers who had gathered, and finding their position hopeless, they turned their weapons upon themselves.

"Joe" Chamberalin to run Again.

Joseph Chamberlain has announced that he will again offer himself as a candidate for West Birmingham at the next general election.

Two Hundred Thousand Homeless.

The problem of caring for the 200,000 persons made homeless by the earthquake in Sicily and Calabria, is confronting the Italian Government. It is estimated that it is costing $100,000 a day at present, to meet the simplest necessities, which neither international charity nor the State can long bear.

Britishers Applauded "Teddy's" Utterances.

President Roosevelt's reference to British rule in India made in his address at Washington on the 18th inst, is welcomed greatly by the imperialist newspapers.

The Daily Mail calls it the friendliest utterance that has fallen from an American president, regarding English affairs, and that it will do good to India and to England, but most of all to America. On a matter involving investigation such as the gigantic issues, says the Mail, Great Britain can never be indifferent to American opinion.

Reflecting Englishmen have watched with anxiety the progress of the American campaign against British rule in India.

The Standard thanks President Roosevelt for his generous panegyric, which the paper is not too modest to say is deserved.

Frustrated Attempt to Assassanate Sultan.

Word comes from Constantinople of another attempt to assassanate the Sultan, and the attempt was only frustrated by a letter to one of the conspirators falling into the hands of the Young Turks. Thirty thousand reactionaries were involved whose scheme was to overthrow the Sultan, thereby dissolving the parliament, and annul the constitution.

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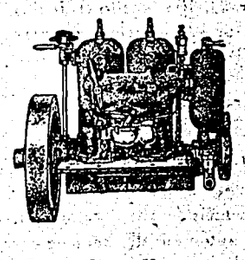

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SERVANTS' SIGN LANGUAGE.

Peculiarities of Employers and Tourists Noted by Marks.

Servants and hotel porters in many cities of Europe have a sign language as complete as that of the American tramp.

"It is not generally known," said a courier, "that servants are in the habit of giving useful tips to their successors and to the man who delivers the groceries and meat by marks on the back entrance. In most of the big Paris flats and apartments, such as Americans like to take for the season the back door is literally covered with barely perceptible signs which nobody but the initiated can understand.

"A freshly engaged domestic knows exactly what to expect, whether his masters are easy or hard to please, whether it is 'monsieur' or 'madame' who is hard to get along with. Other signs tell whether the food is good or bad, whether the work is difficult or not, etc.

"The boy from the grocer's or the baker's or the butcher's will also be informed whether he can expect a big tip or not

"The system is even more developed among hotel servants. A family arriving from Italy, after having refused to give what some Italian porter considered a sufficient tip, will have the fact advertised in every hotel he visits in Switzerland or France. A little mark on the trunk is all that is needed."—Philadelphia Ledger.

AMERICAN FRENCH.

The Struggles of a New Yorker in a Paris Restaurant.

He gazed complacently at the gay labels on his trunks. "Funny how you hear in Paris"—so he continued his reminiscences of travel—"our thin American accent struggling with the sonorous French tongue. You hear queer mistakes, too—no end of 'em. The queerest I came across was made by a New York man.

"This tourist at the Chatham wanted to say, 'I am hungry.' He should have said, 'J'ai faim.' Then the waiter would have brought him a meal at once. What he did say was:

"'Je suis fameux, garcon.' He said there, 'I'm famous, waiter.' And the waiter, impressed, bowed and smiled 'Congratulations, sir.'

"No food came. He must have made an error, so he tried again:

"'Garcon, j'ai une femme.' That meant he had a wife. The waiter said he was sure she was a winner.

"Rather red now, he took a third dive:

"'Je suis femme.' This time the New Yorker said he was a woman.

"'And madam dresses in this way for comfort's sake?' the waiter inquired, with a gallant smile.

"Chuck It, Duke!"

While the Duke of Connaught was in Cairo he went for a stroll one morning, and on his way back to his quarters he came face to face with an old Englishman wearing the ribbon of the Indian mutiny on his breast. The duke stopped and spoke to the man about his military service for some little time. Presently the man said, not knowing, of course, to whom he was speaking, "Are you in the army yourself, then, sir?" The duke smiled and admitted that he was. "Getting on all right?" was the next question. The duke smiled again and said that he had not very much to grumble at, on the whole, though perhaps he was not doing quite so well as he could wish "No, and you never will, my boy," was the surprising retort of the veteran "What you want in the army today is either brains or a tremendous amount of influence behind you You may take my tip, old chap, and chuck it!"—London T. P. O.

Fencing With Umbrellas.

Recently a French publication printed a picture of some American girls fencing with umbrellas and stated that they were trying to acquire thus the necessary skill and assurance to parry, with a simple gesture, an attack of Apaches.

It also stated that this sport was not born in America; that for several years in France a noted fencing mistress, Mme. Guillemot, at the same time that she taught fencing with the sword for hygienic reasons and for personal defense, also taught her pupils to "play" with the umbrella.

The article finishes by saying that it is certainly "piquant" that this modern application of an ancient sport was taught by a Parisienne long before America claimed the original idea.

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The great charm of scenery and the country life is the moral feeling that seems to pervade it. This has prevailed through all English literature from Chaucer to Wordsworth and down to our own times. It has cast its spell over almost all of our Canadian poets, who have wooed nature in her most secret haunts and studied her minutest caprices.—Montreal Witness.

Sized Him Up.

Briggs—I have made a will leaving my brain to the hospital and just got an acknowledgment from the authorities. Griggs—Were they pleased? Briggs—They wrote that every little helps.

Ebb Tide.

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