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Page four awaits your presence and solicits your undivided attention while you peruse and plan as to your printing and newspaper reading.

The Miehle Press.

With this number of the "Call" we commence the use of our new Miehle Press, a cut of which may be seen on page four.

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MERTON SMITH.

Mr. Smith, president of the Terminal City Press, Ltd., is not only highly educated, but possessed of a mind of extraordinary vigor and quickness. He is profoundly interested in every question that affects our city, country and empire, although decidedly cosmopolitan in his habit of thought and sympathies. He is a strong factor in the Terminal City Press, Ltd., an efficient president, and a man whose influence always counts on the right side of public questions. His personality is striking and assuring, a big man in body and mind.

Eleven years in city, residence, Collingwood Heights, South Vancouver; ten years pastor of Knox Congregational Church—resigned last December; born in Glasgow, Scotland; twenty years in United States before coming to Canada; director in Lillooet and Cariboo Land Co.; director in Albion Trust Co., Ltd.

GEO. A. ODLUM

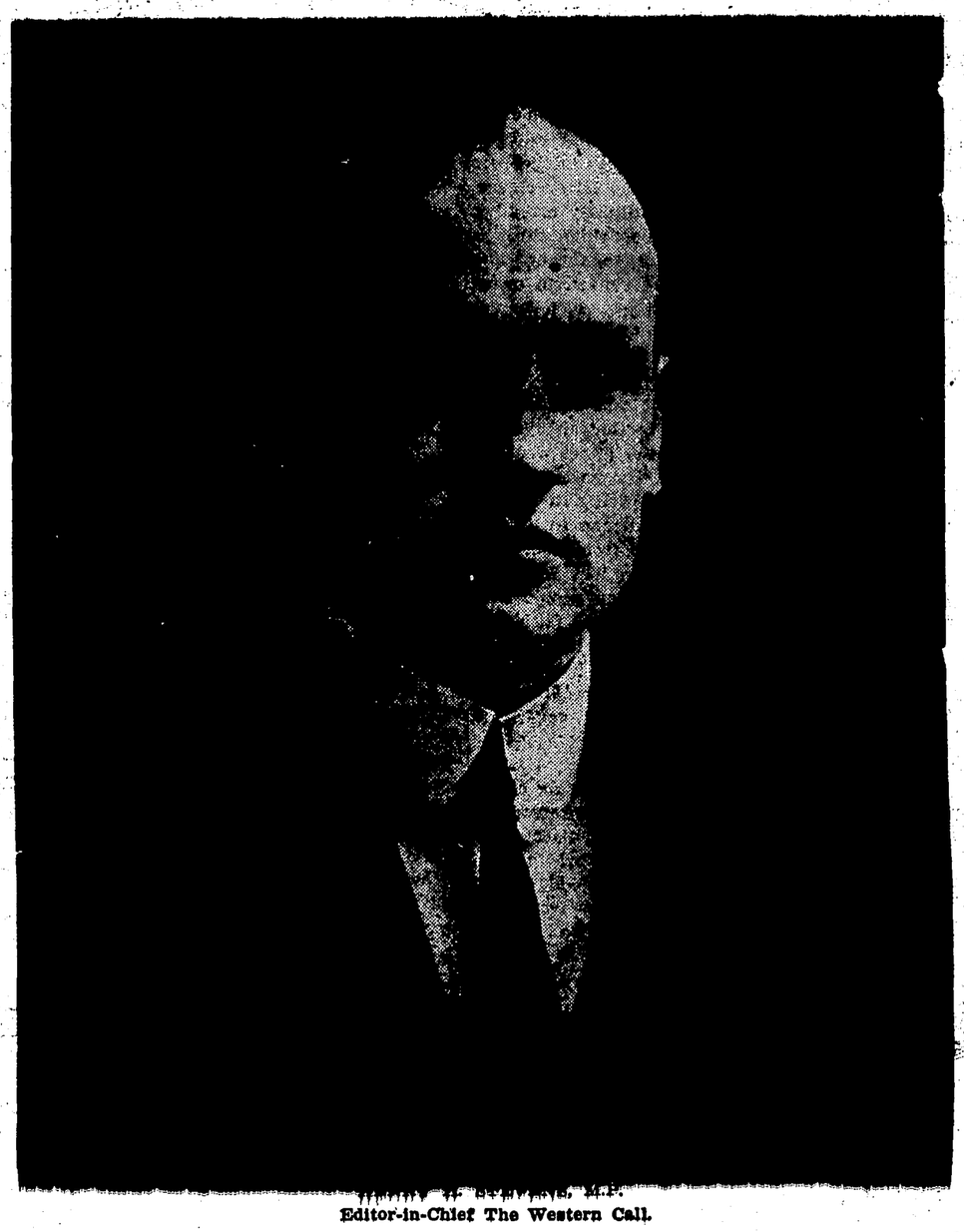
Geo. A. Odlum, manager of the Terminal City Press, Ltd., is one of the thirty Odlums of Grandview. He was born and educated in Ontario, lived for several years in Michigan, U.S., where he filled many positions of responsibility. He came to Vancouver in November, 1910, through the influence of his brother, Professor E. Odlum, and at once became interested in "The Western Call." After nine months' experience as solicitor he was made manager of the Terminal City Press, Ltd. His pen takes to ink naturally, like a boy to a melon patch, or beauty to a maidens cheek. He rounds up the boys, gathers in the shekels, pays the piper, sees a big man in the little "printer's devil," takes the curses of "dead beats," smiles at the feeble attempts of the Vancouver "Sun" to throw a shadow on H. H. Stevens and attends to things ad infinitum.

COMMISSIONER CROWE.

Ald. Crowe has been named by the Council to represent the City on the Joint Sewerage Commission. No better man could have been secured. He is one of Vancouver's oldest, most experienced successful aldermen and will do credit to the City in this or any other capacity.

MERTON SMITH,
President Terminal City Press, Ltd.

By Alex.



Editor-in-Chief The Western Call.

Henry H. Stevens, M.P., editor-in-chief of "The Western Call," and prominent director of the Terminal City Press, Ltd., is well and favorably known in British Columbia—in which Province he has lived nineteen years. He was born in Bristol, England, Dec. 8, 1878, his parents being Richard H. and Mary J. Stevens. He was educated in England and Ontario. His natural and acquired ability have put him in constant demand. Commencing in 1901 as bookkeeper, secretary and chief accountant to the Dominion Trust Co., he has rapidly advanced to be director of several important companies and educational boards, and member of select clubs, alderman of Ward V two terms, and representative in Ottawa for Vancouver since 1911.

As a speaker and writer, Mr. Stevens is lucid, forceful, effective and popular. His word and judgment are relied upon wherever known. He is generous, sociable, open to approach, fearless, well poised and successful. It is an open secret that "Harry" is the Alpha and Omega of the Terminal City Press and the power behind the "Western Call."

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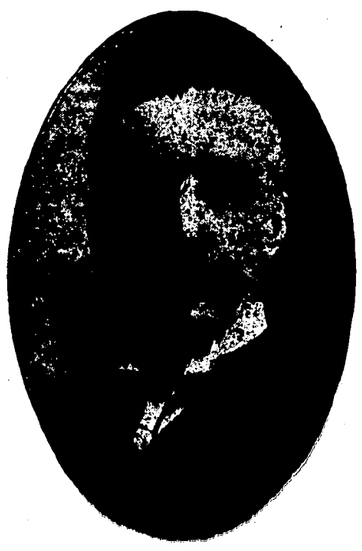

GEO. A. ODLUM,
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VANCOUVER SEWERAGE

Two Years' Laborous Work of Engineer Has to Be Cast Aside by Report of Alleged Experts—Indefinite Delay Advised—Prospect that Whole Scheme Will Be Grossly Bungled.

For over two years Canada's greatest sanitary engineer, R. S. Lea, of Montreal, has been studying the sewerage problem of Greater Vancouver. The matter was urgent and every effort has been made by him, ably supported by the joint local committee, to secure an early and sound solution. Much against his wish, Mr. Lea was induced to make a report last winter which he did **insofar as the data** he had obtained would permit. The report covered most of the ground necessary to formulate a scheme and enable work to proceed on a comprehensive line. It did not, however, presume to be complete in **all** its detail, and no one was more keenly aware of this than Mr. Lea and the joint committee. It was essential, however, that **no time should be lost**, or otherwise thousands of lives would be endangered in South Vancouver because of faulty drainage. So in order to advance the works in that portion where the data was complete in all its details, the

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FINIS.

The "Sun" declares that Vancouver's member is a liar and quotes Sir Geo. Ross as their authority. The late "Ross' Government of Ontario and the Wade, McConnel aggregation have such unblemished reputations that the public, of course, will take as final their word on any subject. With Sir Geo. Ross, together with Fred Wade and Jack McConnel, in condemnation of his political actions, poor Stevens must surely now read his doom.

THE DONKEY'S BRAY

F. C. Wade in the Vancouver "Sun" of June 30 says:

"Mr. H. H. Stevens should be appointed a veterinary surgeon in the B. C. Horse." This is kind of the "Sun" and we suggest that the first operation performed by the new "Vet." might be upon the "donkey" who edits the "Sun."

His "bray" suggests a diseased liver.

COL. HUGHES.

The famous Irish Section Boss' report "off again, on again, gone again, Flannigan," pretty well describes the course of our worthy Minister of Militia. He spent exactly two hours and twelve minutes in our City, during which time he visited the Park, decided some weighty problems there, took a drive over the city from Point Grey to Hastings Townsite, inspected the new Drill Hall site and dodged a dozen reporters. He is a hummer, is our Colonel.

DOMINION DAY.

The First of July came and went without jarring the earth enough to be perceptible. The parks, beaches, resorts and places of quiet retreat were filled with a happy, loyal and prosperous people, who found pleasure in family and society gatherings, a sane way to spend holidays.

Professor E. Odlum, M.A., B.Sc.

The Associate Editor of the "Western Call" was born near Toronto and grew up on his father's farm. He is the second son, and one of nine children, whose parents were Scotch and Irish in ancestry.

After hard study and years of public school teaching, he took a college course, and graduated, taking three university degrees.

Then for many years, he followed teaching in the higher institutions of learning, finishing up with college work in Tokio, Japan, where he was at the head of a large college. He taught the sciences and classics for years. Nearly twenty-five years ago he came to Vancouver, where he has been active in public and semi-public matters during his entire sojourn in the Terminal City.

At the present time he is actively connected with about a dozen financial and industrial companies, most of them being local.

The Professor has travelled much, both for the British Columbia and the Dominion Governments. His travels took him to Australia, New Zealand, Samoa, Tonga, Hawaii, the United States, Alaska, Great Britain and Europe.

He was actively engaged for years in the Vancouver Council; the Library Board, of which he has had many years' experience as chairman; also in the Art, Historic and Science Association, and other important institutions.

The Board of Trade, the Chamber of Mines, the Ceneral Executive of the Ratepayers Association, the Children's Aid Society, the Grandview Progress Association, and several similar bodies have found Professor Odlum an active and valuable worker.

During his many years in Vancouver he has done much as a journalist, platform speaker, and a pulpiteer, all of which work he enters upon with an energy and seriousness which show that he realizes the tremendous importance of the influences going out by these processes. He is genuinely earnest, energetic, forceful and devoted to the highest interests of the public.

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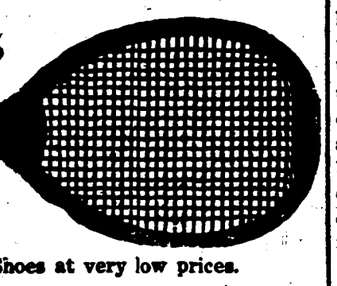

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Grandview

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GRANDVIEW METHODIST EPWORTH LEAGUE

SPARKS AND DARTS.

Pastor—Rev. F. G. Lett.
Sunday Services:—
Preaching 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m.; Sunday School, 2.30 p.m.
Epworth League—Monday 8 p.m.
Prayer Meeting—Wednesday 8 p.m.
....The young people invite everybody to their League meetings, and suggest regular attendance at all services of the Church. The People are Welcome.

Grandview Methodist Church

On Sunday last the pastor, the Rev. F. G. Lett, occupied the pulpit both morning and evening. In the morning his subject was "Service," taken from the Gospel of James, 1st chapter, 22nd verse: "Be ye doers, and not hearers only." Dwelling on the latter clause, he said God was continually revealing Himself through the sunshine, through the glory of the sunrise, through the greater glory of the sunset, in every calamity which cost life, such as the "Titanic" disaster. We can hear the voice of God in the Bible, if we would only read it like any other book; though it was possible to be enchanted with the Word of God and yet be unsaved. The Apostle James was emphatic on the point that no man could be saved apart from God. It was utterly impossible for a man to live as he ought to live apart from God. Mr. Lett said that service was faith expressed in action. When people said they had faith, and yet such faith was not expressed in action, it was not true. Mr. Lett finished a helpful sermon with the striking phrase: "Meet your neighbors' need and you meet God's need."

In the evening Mr. Lett continued his series of sermons, following closely the line of thought expressed in previous Sunday evening discourses, namely, the beginning of Christ's ministry on earth. Mr. Lett said Christ came to his work direct from six weeks thought and solitude in the wilderness alone. The result was he had got a firm grip in his own mind of the three great principals of Christianity:

(1) That man could not live by bread alone.

(2) That he should worship the Lord his God and Him alone.

(3) That he should not make trial of the Lord his God, but should accept him wholly.

Jesus Christ opened his ministry in Galililee; his great task the redemption of the world from sin and sorrow. He undertook this great work with the greatest simplicity and without the least feeling of despair, just as a part of his everyday work. That, said Mr. Lett, is the Spirit that is accomplishing the salvation of the world. Christ at the outset had to fight Roman materialism, the hyprocrisy of the Pharasee, the formality of the priestly Saducees. It was the Spirit of Christ that conquered. Christ himself quoted the prophecy, "The Spirit of the Lord God is upon me," and it was literally true. That was the spirit that caused the movement. The spirit was represented by Kindness, Love, Pity, Affection. This spirit was needed today in our lives, in our homes, in business, in our social circles. If Christ came to Vancouver would he find this spirit prevailing? No. He (Mr. Lett) had been asked: "Why did not God wipe evil out?" God did not work that way. Was the Spirit obtainable in Vancouver then? Listen to this: "If ye being evil know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more shall your Father give the Holy Spirit to them that ask?" Vancouver must ask that prayer.

SIDE SADDLES FOR LADIES.

Edict Issued at International Horse Show at London.

London, June 27.—Queen Mary's adhesion to Victorian ideas is believed to be responsible for an edict issued by the management of the International Horse Show at Olympia to the effect that all women competitors who appeared in the equestrian procession before the King and Queen and President Poincaire should use side saddles.

PRIZEFIGHTING SHOULD STOP

Wife of Fomer Champion Says Boxing Contests Have Bad Influence on Young.

"I think prize-fighting and, for that matter, most of the boxing which takes place under the disguise of 'sport' is a disgrace to Christendom and should be forbidden," said Mrs. Bob Fitzsimmons, wife of the one-time champion pugilist of the world. Mrs. Ftizsimmons possesses some very strong views with regard to the sport which made her husband's name world famous, and is not at all backward in expressing them. "Prize figthing and the usual accompaniment of boxing is degrading, not only to those who indulge in it, but it has also a lowering effect on the entire nation which countenances it. To grown men whose opinions are fully formed, it may not mean such a lowering of standards, but for the growing generation, the young men and the boys, it is sure to communicate a very brutal conception of what sport consists of. If I had my way, all prizefighting would be abolished and only clean, straightforward amateur boxing left in its place."

Such a statement from the wife of the former world's champion fighter is a very remarkable sidelight on the roped arena.

WEDDING BELLS

McKinney-Morrison

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday at high noon in the Mount Pleasant Presbyterian Church, when Miss Jean Gertrude Morrison, daughter of Mr. R. P. Morrison, became the bride of Mr. James Sinclair McKinney. The church was very prettily decorated. The ceremony was performed under an arch of greenery and white carnations, and the guests pews were marked by white ribbons and flowers. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. C. Fraser, in the presence of a large company of friends. The bride entered the church with her father as the wedding march was played by Mr. Bridgman. She was gowned in her travelling costume of bisque Bedford cord, with white tagel hat, trimmed with white plumes, and she carried a bouquet of pink carnations. She was attended by Miss Mattie Scott, and Mr. Cleland R. Russell acted as groomsman. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. McKinney left for a trip to Seattle.

Busha-Jones

A quiet wedding took place at 12.30 on Wednesday in the Mount Pleasant Presbyterian Church, when Miss Esther Lydia Jones and Mr. Henry Busha were united in marriage by Rev. H. C. Fraser They were attended by Miss Emily Jones and Mr. Albert William. Mr. and Mrs. Busha will reside in Kerrisdale.

RECEPTION AT AGASSIZ JUNE 20.

A very enjoyable and profitable evening was spent in the Methodist Church in honor of the new pastor, Rev. H. S. Hastings, late of Sydney.

Mr. Guild occupied the chair. Hearty expressions of welcome were extended to Mr. and Mrs. Hastings by Messrs. Greyall, Hardy and Baker. Mrs. Cox responded on behalf of the Ladies' Aid and in welcoming the new pastor and his wife, hoped their future in Agassiz would be a very happy one, as in the past the ladies had always been to the fore in works of the Church, and should continue to retain that position. Mr. Hastings made a very favorable impression. In his remarks he spoke of the necessity of all being co-workers in Church affairs, and of the need of close fellowship in the great work.

At the close of the meeting between seventy and eighty sat down to a very enjoyable supper provided by the ladies. The tables were prettily decorated with roses. The young people waited upon the guests, who did ample justice to the good things provided.

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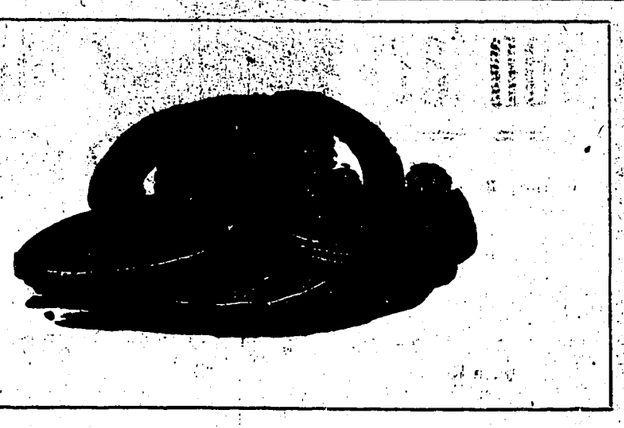

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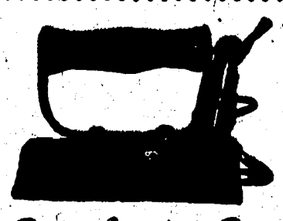

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FACES FEATURED IN THIS ISSUE

In this issue we present the faces of a few of the men who have made the **Terminal City Press** a success and **The Western Call** a power for good in Vancouver and throughout British Columbia.

It was our purpose to introduce more of the "men behind the guns," but over-modesty, forced absence or stress of circumstances prevented. Of the few here given little need be said. They are mostly well known in this province and beyond. From the platform and through the press their views on many topics have been published with gratifying acceptability and well-defined results. They can be moderate in the use of terms, or caustic as occasion may require. Toleration in non-essentials, but quick opposition and drastic treatment when truth or liberty is assailed, is their policy and habit.

IS IT RIGHT?

A working man goes down town to buy some boots for the kiddies—takes a drink of **Water Street Whiskey**—wakes up in the police cell—does not know how he got there—is charged with fighting—has no memory of the scrap—gets six months.

Sequel—Wife and five children are penniless—breadwinner gone. Is it right? Why not pay the fellow while he is in jail so his wife and bairns may be cared for?

SOUND DOCTRINE

To the Western Call:

Enclosed you will find a cipy of a letter from the Winnipeg Municipal Light and Power Dept., which I would ask you to insert in your valuable paper, as I am sure it will be of great interest to the people of Vancouver.

I might just state that the Winnipeg Municipal Electric Light Plant supplies one front light to each householder free of charge as it helps to light the street at night and they make no monthly charge for meter rent which we have to pay in Vancouver. Winnipeg in supplying their people with cheap electric light and power is giving their city one of the best advertisements possible.

Vancouver has close to it some of the greatest and cheapest water power possibilities to be found on the North American continent and should be able to supply cheaper electricity than Winnipeg. It is not fair to the people of this city to be compelled to pay 11 cents per k.w. hour for electric light, and Iwould suggest than a Municipal Electric Light and Power Plant is the only solution to reduce the cost of electric light and power to the city of Vancouver just as Winnipeg has done. Cheap electric power is a great inducement for manufacturers to locate in our city.

JAMES EADIE.

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CITY OF WINNIPEG
June 16, 1913.

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Gentlemen:

In reply to your letter of 12th inst., it affords us great pleasure to inform you that the City of Winnipeg's municipal electric plant is selling current for 3c net per kilowatt hour for residence lightning and 2 7-10c net per kilowatt hour for commercial lighting, with power rates in proportion, and that the plant is not only paying its way, but ii the business for the last six months of this year equals that of the first six months, quite a large surplus will be on hand at the end of the year.

Our revenues are more than sufficient to pay interest and sinking fund on the bonds, to provide adequately for depreciation and to pay all expenses of operation and maintenance. Our total capital investment is approximately $6,000,000 and we have now 30,000 horse-power developed. Inside a year this will increase to 40,000 horse-power and our power site and dam permits of an ultimate development of 100,000 horse-power when required.

The price of electricity in Winnipeg for ordinary lighting purposes five years ago was 20c per k.w. hour, and at the time of the advent of city power in October, 1911, the price was 10c per k.w. hour. This will furnish an idea of the great advantages accruing to the people of Winnipeg from public ownership..

Kindly advise if there is any further information you desire.

Yours very truly,

R. A. SARA,
Sales Manager.

1145 Immigrants Arrive

Winnipeg—Eleven hundred and forty-five immigrants is Winnipeg's total for Thursday. Most of these are passengers from the Athenian, Ascania, Corinthian and Tunisian.

For the week ending June 24, about 2000 settlers arrived. Of this number 1014 were British, 350 Russian, 248 Galicians, 113 Ruthenian, 104 Norwegian, 55 Austrian and 50 Italian.

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Bright Outlook for Fruit Industry

Elko, B.C.—Immigration into the Elko district this year is expected to stimulate in a marked degree the development of the fruit and farming industries in this section. The larger part of the newcomers are fruit growers from West Kootenay and from the States, the chief attraction being the fact that Elko fruit lands are favored with unusually advantageous transportation facilities to inland markets. Announcement of further important railway development for this district is eagerly awaited, however, in spite of the fact that Elko is already served by the Canadian Pacific, Kootenay Central and Great Northern lines.

LAND NOTICES

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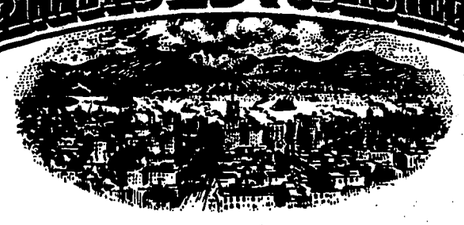

Vancouver, B.C., July 4, 1913.

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Per Geo. A. Odlum, Mgr.

Mr. Borden's Holiday

Ottawa, Ont., June 27.—Rt. Hon. R. L. Borden left the Capital Saturday for the Atlantic Coast, for an extended holiday. Mr. Borden has not enjoyed any but brief vacations during the somewhat strenuous poltical work of the last four years. He will probably be away until the latter part of August.

Hon. W. T. White and Hon. Martin Burrell are leaving for England. With most of the cabinet away there will be no council meetings.

Hon. George Perley, Acting Minister of Trade and Commerce; Hon. J. Reid, Minister of Customs, and Hon. Bruno Nantel will probably remain in Ottawa during the summer.

HORSE SHOW OFFICERS.

The following are the officers and directors of the Vancouver Horse Show Association: President, Mr. S. L. Howe; first vice president, Mr. H. W. Kent; second vice-president, Mr. J. L. G. Abbott; treasurer, Mr. C. R. Gilbert; directors, Messrs. D. Burns, F. D. Gross, W. S. Holland, Robert Kelly, D. C. McGregor, J. M. MacMillan, J. D. McNeill, E. R. Ricketts, F. W. Rouncefell, Hector A. Stewart, F. C. Tingley.

SIXTY LAMAS MEET DEATH IN FLAMES.

Pursued by Chinese, They Barricaded Themselves in Charnel House.

St. Petersburg, June 27.—Sixty Mongolian lamas were burned to death in a pagoda at Kwei Hwacheng, in the Chinese province of Shansi, on the border of Mongolia, according to a despatch received here. They had barricaded themselves in the building against a number of Chinese pursuers.

C.P.R. to Spend Hundred Million

Winnipeg, June 27.—One hundred million dollars will be spent this year on improvements to the Canadian Pacific Railway system, according to an official statement by Sir Thos. Shaughnessy.

Vancouver Journalism and Printing

The present state of this department of public activity, which advances the best interests of the whole public, is very gratifying. It is important to know that there are nearly seventy different firms doing some kind of printing, publishing, engraving, and journalistic work in and about Vancouver. This is an enormous advance since the dawn of the first newspaper in 1886. The annual output in dollars has reached near to the $3,000,000 mark. This means the utilization of many products, such as paper, ink, machinery and muscular human units, as well as brain power.

It would take pages to connote the efforts, names and influences of all the papers, magazines, books, and other publications, and their enterprising originators and producers. Their names are many, histories unique, successes and failures varied; their aims reaching in all directions, running along financial, religious, political, educational, patriotic, civic, scientific, industrial and commercal lines. One of the strangest things in human life can be perceived among the journalists of the day. With similar opportunities of gathering public news, of studying the current events of the world, of knowing what the Province and the Dominion require, and of arriving at a fair average and sane conclusion, we actually find one part of the press saying NO while the other says YES. One says north and the other south. East, west! Long, short! Up, down! And so it goes. "The Sun," for instance says Premier Borden is a failure, while the "Province" says he is a splendid success. Is this not queer? And yet it is common to all parts of Canada, the United States, and Christendom! The Basutos could not do worse or better.

However, the printing and press interests of Vancouver are not behind those of any city on the North American continent, and are equalled by very few.

From the days of ex-Alderman William Brown who had the honor of being the pioneer in newspaper work in this city, to the present is not a long time, but the changes and advancement are wonderful.

Mr. Brown began the city press work with the "Vancouver Herald" in February, 1886. This was the leader of a long and interesting procession. While many splendid papers are running full blast today, it would be instructive and most interesting to be able to describe the heaps and heaps of journalistic ventures which have gone to the "bone-yard" where hopes, and despairs meet in a common cemetry.

In closing these remarks, it may be well to say that, with few exceptions, the entire press of this city has shown a broad, gentelmanly, and high public spirit. Even while some political campaigns have been hot and plain language has been used; even though religion has caused some strong English to be set up in the press columns at times, and even though men have attacked others with fierce vigor; still the men of the press have exhibited a high standard of justice and fairness toward one another. And these writers, when out of journalistic harness, prove their clear perception of strong and noble manhood, by treating each other as citizens worthy of trust and true respect. There is a class of man who is of value and interest. This class is made up of a strange and varied list of "Letter-writers." These men and women are the best and worst of the long line of pen-pushers. Some write on public, and some on private grounds. Some write to wound and others to heal. Some to advance public interests and others to push forward their own. Still on the whole, and in the end, these scribblers are valuable, and are the active eyes of the community.

You are invited to write us freely on any or every matter that affects public interests. Observe the following rules:—

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Sign your name, not necessarily for publication, but for assurance of good faith.

Be patient. Don't expect every article to appear at once. It may be impossible.

Write legibly. We cannot decipher hieroglyphics.

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EQUAL RIGHTS

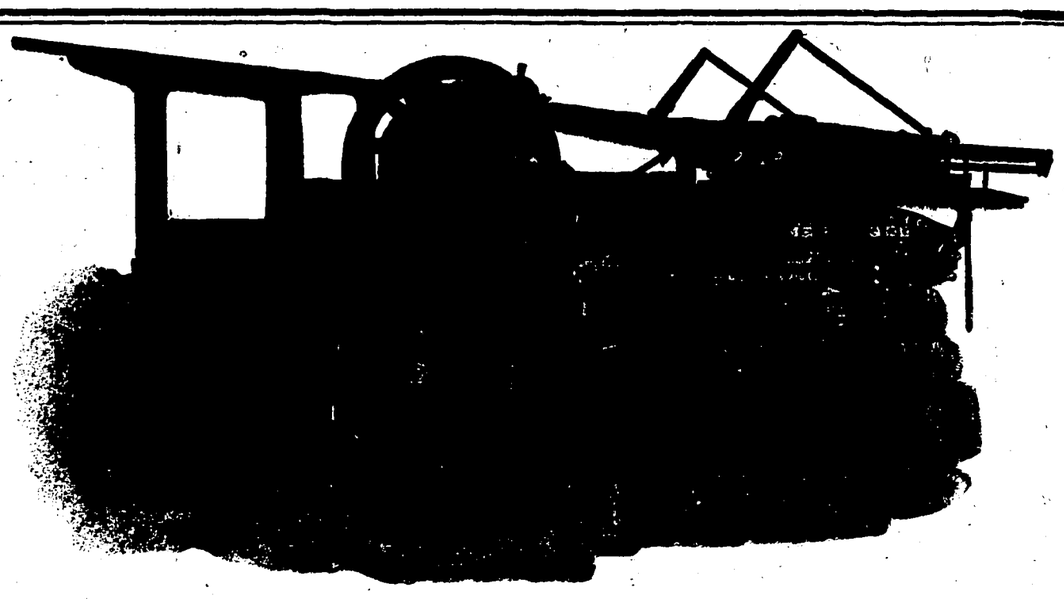
To prevent intemperate and outlandish demonstrations by our women the men should take the initiative in advocating Equal Rights. A wave of reform is sweeping over the world in favor of Woman's Suffrage. Vancouver and this province are sure to experience a visitation of the agitation at no distant date. Why not take "time by the forelock," anticipate the movement and save the situation?

Our women are as worthy the right of franchise as men, and in many cases better qualified to exercise the right for the permanent improvement of the country than are the men.

Mother love is strong and gives balance to the judgment, direction to action and sanity to conduct unless frustrated when the emotions outbalance reason—and the rule is reversed. "An ounce of prevention may do away with the necessity of "a pound of cure."

The article on "Mother and Child," by the able pen of Florence S. Hall, given elsewhere in this issue, suggests good reasons for reform in favor of Equal Rights.

Here is a chance for British-Canadian gallantry. Men of this province, go forward!



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Regular $3.50 and $4.00 Borsalino, Imperial and Van Gal Hats. This week....$2.95

A SPECIAL LOT MEN'S SOFT AND STIFF STRAW HATS

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Reg. $1.25 Underwear....95c
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Reg. $2.50 Underwear....$1.85
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Vancouver Sewerage

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report was presented and the main scheme formulated. The financial aspect of the problem impelled the city and municipalities to appeal to the Provincial Government for guarantee of bonds. This was reasonable and fair, as it would have been manifestly unjust to have saddled them with the cost of works whose full benefit cannot be realized for many years.. The Provincial Government took kindly to the proposal and enacted legislation which made possible the organization of a Commission to administer the scheme and finance it, but before proclaiming the act they desired a review of Mr. Lea's report from engineers appointed by themselves, and for the purpose named R. H. Thomson, formerly of Seattle, and C. H. Rust, city engineer of Victoria.

This desire for a confirmatory report was proper enough and there is no quarrel with the Provincial Government on that score, but when **two engineers such as Thomson and Rust presume to tear to pieces the opinion of such an undoubted authority as R. S. Lea, it is time to ask WHY?**

Our first criticism is that if the Provincial Government wished to throw out Mr. Lea's scheme they should have secured advice from engineers who had a reputation at least equal to that of R. S. Lea, and that is something that Messrs.Thomson and Rust have not now nor will likely ever have. Mr. Lea is the greatest authority inCanada on drainage engineering and one of the best authorities on the continent. His experienceextends over the American continent and the British Isles, and it was for that reason he waschosen.

The report of Thomson and Rust is replete with evidences of petty jealousy of the larger man. They evidently saw an opportunity of making insignificant changes in his scheme and then inveigle the public into thinking that **they** are the "great men" who devised the sewerage scheme. They seek to convey the impression by making criticisms of R. S. Lea's report, which may, to those unacquainted with the matter, seem important, but which, in reality, are mere twaddle and chicanery.

Let us analyse some of their objections to Lea's report and their suggestions as to what should be done:

First they say "His (Lea's) study of Burnaby is very incomplete . . . . in fact the report is merely a preliminary suggestion, subject to great modification and revision." Thus, by a mean and contemptible inference they seek to poison the public mind as to the thoroughness and ability of Mr. Lea. To those who know **all** the circumstances this action on their part is detestable. What are the facts? Burnaby **did not** continue in the joint proposal and only that portion of Burnaby is included in the scheme which drains into the head of False Creek. The greater part of Burnaby, by far, drains to the Fraser through New Westminster, another large part drains into Burrard Inlet directly and is not affected in the slightest degree by Mr. Lea's scheme. Mr. Lea and the joint committee endeavored to get Burnaby and New Westminster to join, but as their drainage **does not directly** affect the present scheme covered by the act it was not necessary that they should be included at this time. This must have been known to these two alleged "experts."

Their next objection is: "There had not been prepared before its presentation the **full detail plans** of any of the proposed sewers, nor had there been fully determined **the exact** nature of many of the details which might materially affect the cost of construction." What absolute, unadulterated twaddle! Now consider another statement made later on, when the clause just quoted had been forgotten: "So far as the scheme itself is concerned **it is safe, feasible and practicable,**" and "the report made by Prof. Lea shows that he has gone into the question of proper sewerage with great care and has exercised great caution, etc." Now how in the name of common sense can these "experts" reconcile such statements? The report, they say, lacked essential details, yet they were able to figure out to a cent the cost, which they did and reported exact figures. On what did they do this. On Lea's details, which according to them did not exist.

Again they say "The location of several of the trunk sewers is tentative and a change in location would probably lessen or increase the cost." Words of wisdom those. Every one who has been connected with this scheme knows perfectly well that the **location of some of these sewers is tentative.** We also know that to wait, as suggested by Thomson and Rust, until the exact location of the last inch has been determined before we commence work, means to endanger **the lives of thousands and is exactly what we do not propose to stand for.** We know further that, while the **location of some of these sewers is tentative,** the location of those sewers immediately required to protect the health of a large portion of the population of South Vancouver is definitely known and fixed, and in fact, (at the cost of $150,000) are even now partly constructed, and it is to actively prosecute this work **NOW** that we want action and not twaddle.

The next criticism is a gem, and an excellent illustration of how little these "eminent experts" really know. They say "Measuring on the map we find there will be sixteen miles of right-of-way to be acquired across private property . . . . we regard this as a **serious matter,** etc." To catch the full significance of this drop of wisdom we must consider with it a "suggestion" given later on in their report, as follows: "That the Board be advised by the Government to obtain rights-of-way and easements prior to the next sitting of the House."

Now examine this for a moment. These "experts" (?) a moment ago criticised Mr. Lea because the last "detail" of the location of some of these sewers was wanting, but irrespective of this lack of location they would proceed at once to buy "rights-of-way and easements." Where? and for what? Away out in the bush of South Vancouver, Point Grey and Hastings Townsite they would buy "rights-of-way" for sewers which we will not need for years, and let the sewers we have been waiting so long for still remain unconstructed.

Let us repeat that it was well known that in some sections it would be necessary to purchase "rights-of-way and easements"; also that it was possible that the location of some of these sewers as shown on the plans, might be slightly changed. It must necessarily be so in a district so raw and undeveloped as are portions of Point Grey and South Vancouver, but the people of this peninsula do not intend to wait until all these "details" are settled before any action is taken to give relief to those congested areas now suffering; nor is it necessary; the main outlets being determined, both as to location and size (and not a word of criticism from these "eminent experts" on that point) it is now possible to proceed with their construction and in the meantime to perfect the "details" of those sections more remote.

Financial

When these "eminent experts" get into the financial realm they give further evidence of their fitness for the position as critics. Mr. Thomson is reported as being pre-eminent in this regard and to demonstrate to Mr. Lea and those simple fellows, who go to make up the joint committee, how really clever he is, he proceeds to make an estimate of the cost independent (?) of Mr. Lea's figures, on plans which lacked "**full details,**" which were "**purely preliminary,**" and which "**on further study would probably reduce or increase the cost,**" and of which they say "**after most careful consideration we do not believe that there is sufficient data at hand to justify the Board in being permitted to undertake the scheme in its entirety.**"

Now can this fellow Thomson be sincere? or does he think because he comes from Seattle that we in Vancouver are so dull as to swallow anything he choses to give us? It is well to note that in the financial, as well as the engineering aspect of the case, he **sticks pretty close to Lea's figures.** He was compelled to criticise, however, and thus finds a difference of $322,000 in five and a half millions, or about six per cent. Realizing that such a manifestly absurd criticism as that would not carry weight he proceeds to show that Lea's report only provided for a four per cent. bond and that there would be a considerable shrinkage. The public must remember that the financial stringency reached a climax months after this (Lea's) report was prepared and that in many cities bylaws have been resubmitted in order to raise the rate of interest.

So these "eminent experts" "are impelled strongly to recommend that the present year should be spent in rectifying these conditions . . . . and at the next session pass an act that shall make the interest rate ample enough that the bonds will sell at par . . . . they think the entire project will then be placed in an immeasurably better and more businesslike position."

They also recommend that the Board be allowed to "borrow $50,000 to complete detail plans." In other words stop all practical construction work until detailed plans are forthcoming of the whole scheme. Now what good is $50,000? The city has already spent $150,000 on behalf of the joint municipalities, on the understanding that they should be reimbursed when the commission was appointed..

We do not blame the Government for desiring confirmation, but we do deprecate the action of these two alleged "experts" who have the audacity to convey to the public the idea that R. S. Lea's report is only "preliminary" and "unbusinesslike," when they know they dare not venture to change one essential feature of his scheme and can only secure public attention by small and misleading criticisms. The net result of their labors will be to completely mislead theGovernment, hopelessly bungle the scheme and indefinitely delay its ultimate construction. After several years of labor and careful consideration by a **real** engineer and expert on sanitation, we had hoped to see a solution of this problem upon which the lives of so many of our citizens depends, but on the advice of these two ordinary men all this work is to be cast to the winds and the tangled maze of organization travelled again, and to what purpose? In all probability to find after several years that we have been duped.

There is one ray of hope shining through this gloomy prospect, viz., that the joint municipalities and the public will stand so strongly behind R. S. Lea that the Government will reconsider its determination to act on the less worthy advice of Thomson and Rust, and will authorize immediate action along the safe and sane lines advised by Mr. Lea.

We shall be deeply disappointed if the Provincial Government does not repudiate the action of Thomson and Rust, whom we feel sure have exceeded their instruction in attempting to recast the scheme and thereby indefiinitely delaying the project. We feel certain that Sir Richard and his colleagues are big enough to realize the error of their appointees and to act in the best interest of this great community.

THE SECRET OF PAUL FARLEY

BY JOHN MARCH

"There! I knew I should frighten you," he said, remorsefully. "Forgive me, and I promise never to let myself go again. I've always bullied you, haven't I, old fellow? Don't let me in future; sit on me; pull me up sharp; just—"

"It's not you, Felix; it's my thumb," he said tearfully; "I am nervous, run down, worn out with the pain in my thumb. You must not take me seriously, because the reaction, the relief, the removing of what I anticipated to be an abiding sorrow has unnerved me. I shall be better to-morrow. I shall be able to work. I've done practically nothing to-day, and work is a splendid tonic, it always braces my nerves. I shall begin to-morrow before breakfast—"

"You will do nothing of the sort; you will have your breakfast in bed, and when you come downstairs you will devote your time and attention entirely to me. I forbid you to open a book—unless it be absolutely light reading—add up a figure, or use your brain in any way for the next twelve months. Afterwards—if there isn't a cradle to rock—you shall have a career, Paul, a beautiful, flaming, rampaging career! If I have a cigar," he added, rising and going to the chimney-piece, "will you want a cigarette?"

"No," Paul said, laughing, with his hand over his eyes; "I am going to abstain for three months."

"Good!" he said, drawing his hand caressingly over the thin, dark face; "but I'll allow you one, my friend, if you have an inordinate desire that way."

"But you would rather I did not? You don't wish me to smoke, Felix?" he asked, kissing the brown hand.

Felix lighted the cigar, dragged a basket chair to the couch, and, dropping into it, slipped Paul's cigarette case into his hand.

"Of course, I would rather you did not smoke again to-day, because you've been overdoing it, my friend, and—but I don't prohibit it; I don't wish to deprive you of any solace, any nerve-soother while you are ill; but I feel satisfied that whatever my dear wife does it will be decorous, consistent, and in conformity with good taste, with the customs and usages of society."

Paul dropped the case into his waistcoat pocket, and heaved a sigh of perfect happiness and peace.

"I will begin the weaning process at once, and if there is any fretfulness and craving attached to the denial I shall have surmounted a greater part of the evil before you take me in hand."

"I want you to go out with me to-morrow morning," Felix said, after a pause. "Don't hurry up; I shall not be here till eleven. But I want you to go with me to Piccadilly Circus, Regent Street, somewhere, and help me to choose a costume for Mrs. Fleming. You have some idea of her taste and what she would like. I had thought of a heliotrope frieze, a small seal coat—I don't know which would suit you the better, a toque or a—I think a large picture hat, don't you, Paulus?"

"I will wear whatever you think becoming," he said laughing, "but you won't like me so well in petticoats, Felix."

"I think I shall like you ten thousand times better, because the change of apparel will ensure my happiness. I couldn't get a parson to marry me to a long, clean-shaven chap like you. By the way, love, there's a summons for you to attend the inquest the day after to-morrow. I couldn't manage to get you off that. You may appear as you are, Paul, and we will get a ready-made costume for you to return in. Agnes and you must stay at the Friar's heel—you can't come back here—until I can make arrangements for our marriage. I say 'must,'" he said, bending over her. "You see, I take it for granted that you are going to do all this, give up your cherished schemes and aims for my sake, for love of me. I think you love me; nay, I am sure. I am not a coxcomb. That afternoon in my bedroom was an eye-opener, my friend. You lost control of yourself, Paulus, and I had a peep beneath the surface of that cold indifference, that quiet boredom; I—well, never mind, I wondered what I was going to do with a fellow who loved me to that unnatural extent. What on earth induced it? Fancy an individual of your mental diameter and circumference choosing to live a lifetime with a man like me. I hope you won't regret it, sweetheart."

"You are more likely to regret it than I, Felix. I am going to confess to Judith; I must make what reparation I can. Things must be made right with Anthony, and ultimately, Felix, it may leak out. The world, your world, may get to know of this little history, and, Felix, I would endure the most grievous misery, I cheek, but rather encouraged, as it brought grist to the Popinjay's mill.

A knot of chosen friends stood apart from the motley gathering of eager well-wishers. Agnes and Jack Hunter kept well to the front, as also did the Hargrave boys, whose main idea was to be conspicuously in evidence. But Judith hid behind Agnes, shrinking from Anthony's possessive touch lest it should be seen he had his hand upon her shoulder, and a report of their engagement circulated before it was quite an hour old.

She had come to the station with the rest of the family; it would have been impolite, besides excessively absurd, to stay away. Yet it was something in the nature of an ordeal this public reception of the whilom "Paul Farley," who was so soon to take up her duties as mistress of the Manor. The nervous dread of the meeting had painted a bright red spot, no bigger than a shilling, beneath the hollows of her violet eyes, the trepidation so long drawn out was moistening her forehead, leaving her hands and feet stone cold.

"Here they are!" someone shouted.

She saw Pointer approach a first-class carriage from where a lady was leaning, her dark interesting face and glorious eyes, made darker by contrast with the squire's fairness. Mrs. Fleming was eagerly scanning the upturned faces, a wistful smile greeting the bitter-sweet memories the sight of Weyberne brought to her mind. Her roving eyes soon singled out the object of their search. She turned to the squire and whispered quickly. He nodded with a happy sympathetic smile, and stretched out his arm to assist Pointer, who was making a havoc of opening the door. The foremost group pressed forward, but Pauline Fleming, with one object in view, eluded what she realized would be a substantial as well as a very joyous welcome.

She walked straight to where Judith Hargrave was endeavoring to escape observation, took her in her arms, and kissed her tenderly for the first time since they met. A little buzz of satisfaction at their punctual arrival was intended to cover an awkward pause, in which Lady Hargrave, appreciating the motive prompting the happy wife, surreptitiously brushed aside a trickling tear.

From this dreaded meeting rose the structure of a friendship, lasting to grey hairs and comely enough for either world. No words of explanation were needed to lay its foundation stone. It seemed rather to rise from the fragrance of two souls who had been on a perilous journey to acquire the hard-earned wages of experience, and who, remembering the days that were past, felt sad, but secure in the knowledge and wisdom thus gained, beheld scarce a limit to the ocean of happiness lapping their feet.

As she moved away from Judith, Lady Hargrave caught her in a motherly embrace, and held her there quite an unconscionable time. Then the general rush commenced, Mrs. Fleming ultimately emerging, tall, slim, and flushed from the affectionate admiration of her friends.

"God bless my soul, Fleming!" Sir Thomas exclaimed, buttonholing the squire, and drawing him to one side, "this has been the deuce of a business for me all round. I've got a secretary fellow yonder," jerking his thumb in the direction of Weyberne Hall, "no use at all. You'll have to lend me your wife, Felix, to get things straight."

"Not I," the squire returned, with his hearty laugh; "I'll have no estimates, no speeches, no Greek exercises, no Herodotus and his kidney, coming betwixt me and my wife."

"Come here, Mrs. Felix!" and the baronet invitingly beckoned the lady. "You will help me to get my affairs ship-shape, won't you, my dear? Don't trouble about Fleming, he's a terrible bully, and if you ask my opinion," he added teasingly, "that husband of yours was more captivated while you were masqueratding as my secretary than ever he will be now you have elected to become an ordinary sensible woman."

"You are mistaken, sir," the squire said, dryly.

The End.

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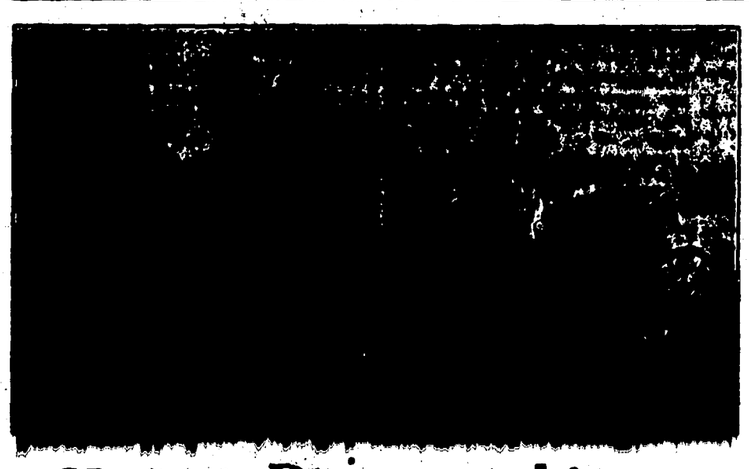

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R. C. Hooper, manager of the Marshall Wells company.

Mrs. Hooper, his wife.

Mrs. Everett Case, wife of the manager of the west end branch of the Imperial Bank.

Earl Meredith, superintendent of Marshall Wells company.

Robert Palton, mechanician operating boat.

Everett Case, manager of the west end branch of the Imperial Bank, was the only one saved.

On the trip down the river while the party was gay with laughter there was a sudden jar due to the boat striking a snag. The engine stopped and the boat overturning precipitated its occupants into the water.

There was a rush for boats on shore, but already the victims of the treacherous river had sunk from sight.

Mr. Case, who is a strong swimmer, after attempting to rescue his wife, clung to the boat until rescued.

Mrs. Case, one of the drowned, had only returned with her husband from their honeymoon on June 16. They were married May 27 in Spokane. Mr. Meredith and his wife are also a newly married couple.

Mr. Case, the only one saved, is prostrated and is now under a physician's care.

MENACE TO FARMERS

Victoria, B. C., 27th June, 1913.

To the Editor of "The Western Call."

Dear Sir:—

I would be obliged if you would kindly allow me, through the medium of your paper, to call the attention of farmers throughout the Province to the necessities of conducting a vigorous campaign against the spread of noxious weeds in the Province. This constitutes a grave menace to the development of agriculture, and it is very essential that a determined effort to be made at the present time to combat the evil befoc it gets too big to handle. It is deplorabde to see in many good agricultural districts in the Province the alarming extent to which the Canadian Thistle has spread. This is one of the very worst weeds in existence and probably the hardest to control.

The following course of treatment which should be pursued for the eradication of Canada Thistle is recommended by the Seed Commissioner's branch of the Federal Department of Agriculture .

....REMEDY—Being a deep-rooted perenial, Canada Thistle should be ploughed deep in summer just as the flowers open, or the flowering stems may be mowed down and the land ploughed as soon as the new growth appears. As new stems are thrown up they must be cut off with broad-sheared cultivator, at intervals during the summer and autumn. Deep ploughing in the autumn has been found useful in suppressing thistles in Manitoba. The chief safeguard against Canada thistle and similar deep-rooted perennials, is undoubtedly a regular short rotation of crops with thorough cultivation. A three year rotation including two cuttings of early red clover for the first year, followed by deep fall ploughings for hoed crops with clean cultivation and a cereal crop for the third will suppress it.

For permanent pastures and wild lands where this course of treatment is not feasible, a plan which is followed by many with great success is to keep the plants cut off right at the crown and never allow them to flower. This course, if pursued faithfully will be in a few years' time destroy this pest.

All Provincial Constables and Fire Wards have again this year been appointed agents for the Department in the enforcement of the provisions of the Noxious Weeds Act, and have been instructed in case of non-compliance with notices served on owners, to institute prosecutions. This in itself, however, is not all that is necessary. It is imperative that the co-operation of the farmers themselves be secured. The provisions of the Noxious Weeds Act are stringent enough, but its proper enforcement cannot be effected to the best advantage unless the farmers destroy weeds before they seed. I trust therefore, that we may have united action along these lines, and that effective work will be done this year towards the suppression of those weeds which are proving such a menace to successful agricultural development in different parts of the Province.

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of beautiful designs in all grades and at any price. We can satisfy all.

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Our stock of Furniture is Large, Modern and adapted to the tastes of Buyers.
Dressers, Buffets, Tables Chairs, Couches, Mattresses, Bedsteads, etc.
A complete line of Linoleums, Carpet Squares, etc. Drop in and inspect our goods. This is where you get a square deal.
M. H. COWAN

Fresh Local Meats Only
We buy for CASH
We sell for CASH
That's the reason we sell for LESS
Pay us a visit. You will be back again.
BUTLER & HARRIS MEAT CO.
Hastings St. Public Market
60 HASTINGS STREET, EAST

Henig's Stores-Hastings Public Mkt.
Specials for Saturday

Small Salmon, whole fish	15c lb.	Finnan Haddie,	2 lbs. for 25c
Chicken Halibut, " "	7c lb.	Bloaters,	8 for 25c
Small Cod, " "	7c lb.	Kippers,	10c per lb.
Skinned Skate,	3 for 25c	Smoked Halibut,	15c per lb.
Fresh Herring,	5 for 25c	Kippered Salmon,	15c per lb.
		Smoked Salmon,	20c per lb.

Fish Direct from the sea. Smoked Fish a Specialty.

Hastings Public Market-Fish Dept.
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with every Cone or dish of Ice Cream we give you a large MARASCHINO CHERRY. This is something new. Have you tried it? If not, get the habit.

All Fruits in Season.

Largest Stock of Confectionery, Fruits and Tobaccos on the hill

For your next order of Ice Cream or Ice Cream Bricks

Phone Fair. 638 Free Delivery to any part of City

WOOLEY'S FIRST SALE

Dry Goods are Sensationally Cheap

Get All You Need at Wholesale Prices and Less

Mr. Wooley wishes to make it plain that he is not going out of business. He is not broke, nor nearly so. Business is good now and has been good all season. In fact, this sale is for only one purpose, that is, to clear out every last article of the summer goods.

Nearly every one who reads this knows Mr. Wooley personally or by reputation. You know him to be a man who does as he promises. Now he says he will have a sale and cut prices on everything to wholesale cost and less, and he is doing it.

This page contains some of the prices you can get here during the sale. They show you exactly how much you can save on every article. They are not nearly all here, however. There are hundreds of others just as low that it is impossible to get into the amount of space on this page.

The Sale Opens at Nine O'Clock Saturday Morning

Bargains are everywhere. Get all you can for the summer's needs at prices like these.

CRUM'S PRINTS.

About 50 pieces of these famous prints and all in good light patterns. These sell in all stores for 15c a yard.
Wooley's Sale Price.....7½c

10 pieces of Nurses Gingham or Nurses Cloth, all good patterns and will wash well. Regular 20c and 25c.
Sale Price .....15c Yard

WHITE CANTON FLANNELS
At Sale Prices, Too.

Those that sell for 15c are Now 10c
Those that sell for 22½c are Now 17½c

TWILLED SHEETINGS.

These are good, strong cotton, and of good weight. They are also full width.
40c, 2 yards wide on sale for per yard 30c
45c, 2¼ yards wide, on sale for per yard 35c

35c
MERCERIZED FOULARD SUITINGS
20c Yard.

These are some of the best patterns we have been able to get this season. This low price will clear out every yard of them.

JAPONETTE CREPE.
KIMONA CLOTH.

This is the one kind of crepe that will wash and still retain its crinkle. The colors are fast and the patterns really beautiful for kimonas.
Regular price, 25c a yard.
Now .....15c a Yard

MERCERIZED WHITE WAISTINGS OR VESTINGS.

25c, 30c and 35c ones
For .....15c a Yard

40c RATINE FOR 25c.

This popular material is one of the best bargains in the store. It makes dresses and coats that have real style, they wash and are inexpensive even at the regular prices. See how much you save now.

40c Plain Hemmed PILLOW SLIPS, per pair 25c
35c Plain Hemmed TOWELS Pure Linen, per pair 20c

MEN'S WEAR.

Here are some prices on men's goods that will show you how the things in this department have been reduced.

$1.00 Union Suits 65c
1.00 Suits of Penman's Balbriggan Underwear.....75c
1.00 each, fine Cashmere Underwear, each 60c
1.00 Dress Shirts 75c
1.25 Dress Shirts 95c
1.00 Black Sateen Shirts.....75c
1.00 Work Shirts 50c
1.25 Night Shirts 85c
2.25 Pyjamas $1.75
1.00 Bathing Suits 75c
All 75c Ties 50c
All 50c Ties 35c
40c Lisle Thread Hose.....25c
40c Cashmere Hose 25c
25c Cashmere Hose 15c

SEAMLESS CIRCULAR PILLOW TUBING.

Regular 22½c on sale for per yard 15c

75c.
FLANNELETTE SHEETING
72 inches wide
45c

PADDED SILENCE CLOTH
For Table Tops

Regular $1.25 a yard for per yard 90c

WIDE EMBROIDERIES GO IN AT SPECIAL SALE PRICES, TOO.

Wooley's have the very best embroideries made and they sell them at moderate prices all the time. Here is how they will be sold while the sale is on.
35c Corset Cover Embroidery, per yard 15c
40c Flouncing Embroidery 27 inches wide, per yard....25c

STRAW HAT FOR CHILDREN

All the children's hats left are put into one lot to be cleared out. They run in value all the way up to 85c.
Take them now at, each.....40c

DRESS GOODS AT PRICES LIKE THIS.

All wool Dress goods in almost any color you want. They sell regularly at $1.00 a yard.
Sale Price, per yard.....50c

HEMSTITCHED LINEN TOWELS.

Regular 50c a pair, now, per pair 35c
35c Extra Size VESTS for Stout Ladies 25c

LARGE BATH TOWELS
Either Pure White or Colors
42 inches long.
Regular 60c a pair for per pair 40c

17½c
Linen Towelling
10c a yard

FLANNELETTE BLANKETS OR SHEETS.

2½ yard size, regular $1.50 For $1.10
2¾ yard size, regular $1.65 For $1.35

LADIES' WAISTS.

All the waists in the store gone into two lots. Mr. Wooley wants to see every one sold so he makes an extra low price on them.
All $1.50 and $1.75 one for..95c
All $3.00 one for $1.50

WASH DRESSES ON SALE

Every wash dress in the store goes in at reduced prices so everyone can afford a new one now.
$3.50 ones for $2.25

LADIES' WOOL DRESSES

It is hard to give a description of dresses in a newspaper. They are all one-piece dresses and of the newest styles. The prices are like this for the sale:

$ 9.00 ones are now....$ 6.85
$12.00 ones are now....$ 8.95
$13.00 ones are now....$10.00
$13.50 ones are now....$11.00

LADIES' ALL WOOL SWEATERS

These are the first showing of the new styles for this fall. They came in early and Mr. Wooley is going to put them in at sale prices.
$3.50 ones for $2.50

ALL 15c and 17½c WHITE FLANNELETTE, yard 10c

ANDERSON'S GINGHAMS

Regular 15c and 20c.
Sale Price 10c
Large number of desirable patterns to choose from.

LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR
At Prices like these during this Big Sale.

$2.00 Princess Slips $1.25
$1.25 Night Gowns .....$ .75
40c Cambric Corset Covers....25c
60c Muslin Drawers 35c

ROCK RIB HOSE FOR BOYS

Most mothers know what a good stocking this is for boys. It stands hard service. Some stores charge 35c for them. Wooley's price is 25c.
The Sale Price is, pair 20c

BLACK SATEEN SKIRTS

Regular $1.25 ones for 95c
Regular $2.00 ones for.....$1.25
Regular $3.00 Moire Skirts....$1.85

$1.25 LONG SILK GLOVES....95c
50c LISLE GLOVES, all colors..25

TIGER BRAND PURE WOOL UNDERWEAR.

This came in during the week and was for Fall business, but Mr. Wooley said he was cutting on everything, so it goesin at Sale Prices.
Regular $1.50 each for 95c

75c
Baby Bonnets
straw, embroidery and lace, in cute little designs.
35c

Mr. Wooley personally guarantees every article sold during this sale.

G. S. Wooley & Co., Ltd.

Main Street Two Doors South of Broadway

Agency for Standard Patterns