

When some people write words that don't mean anything they start every line with a big letter so it will look like poetry.

TO PROTECT ALASKA FISHING FROM CANADIANS

MILLION DOLLAR FIRE IN GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SHOPS--WINSTON CHURCHILL TO RESIGN

MEXICAN REBELS ARE AGAIN VICTORIOUS OVER FEDERALS

FEDERAL ATTACK ON JUAREZ REPULSED WITH A HEAVY LOSS -- REBEL THREAT TO FIRE ON OIL TANKS AT TAMPICO SENT TO HUERTA

(Special to the Daily News)
Mexico City, Nov. 27.—"Re-move the gunboat Brava or we shall fire on the oil tanks of Tampico city." This was the message received by the government from the Constitutionalists, and it is believed the rebels will carry out their threat.

as previously reported, held the interest of official Washington yesterday in regard to the Mexican situation. President Wilson is not saying anything. He is assured that he has the support of the Powers in his policy and is complacently waiting for further developments.

Washington, Nov. 27.—The rout of the Mexican federalists near Juarez by the Constitutionalists, and the wireless report from Admiral Fletcher indicating that conditions in the oil regions near Tampico were not as threatening

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 27.—One hundred and eighty-four wounded federalists are in the Juarez hospital, as the result of an unsuccessful attack on Juarez made by the federalists yesterday. The latter were again badly beaten.

POWDER MAN BLOWN FROM TUNNEL 100 FEET ACROSS TRACKS

STAYED TOO LONG AFTER LIGHTING CHARGE IN COYOTE HOLE -- BROTHER WITNESS OF TRAGEDY

Like the projectile from a huge gun the body of Swansen was hurled from the mouth of a tunnel in the rock excavation in the G. T. P. yards last night. For 100 feet it shot across space bringing up against the rails of the outer tracks, a horrible wreck of human flesh and bones.

"There were four holes loaded and we each fired two, and then started out. The distance was about 80 feet. The tunnel is two feet wide by four feet high. I got out but my brother stayed too long. I called to him. He was about ten feet from the mouth when the explosion came."

The Swansen brothers are drillers in the employ of contractor Archie McDougall. They have been working on a coyote hole in the big rock pile behind the Knox Hotel. Last evening they loaded four holes at the end of the tunnel. About 40 or 50 sticks of dynamite were put in each.

The brother standing outside was struck on the feet and right arm by flying rocks. When the body of Swansen was found he was dead.

PRESENTED WITH SPOONS

Annual Meeting of Earl Grey's Rifles Heard Pleasing Reports

The members of Earl Grey's Rifles met for their annual presentation of reports and discussion of business affairs last evening. It was also made the occasion of the presentation of the handsome spoons donated by Lieut. McMorris and won at the ranges last summer. The winners were delighted with their trophies.

The annual financial statement showed a very satisfactory balance. The general affairs of the company were gone over and various reports presented.

The complete reorganization of the bugle band was decided on and this will be made a feature of next year's work.

Everything in the store at a sacrifice. We need the room for Amas goods. Demers. 278-1f

NATIVE SILVER IS FABULOUSLY RICH

Frank Martin Makes Good Stake from First Shipment of His Ore

Frank Martin was in town yesterday morning after a trip to Hudson Bay Mountain. He has recently received the smelter returns on the first shipment of ore he made from the White Heather group. The shipment went 2760 ozs. in silver and 39.9 per cent. in copper.

There were about three tons of the ore, which was brought from the property to Chicken Lake by pack train and shipped over the G. T. P. to Trail about two months ago. This is the richest ore that has yet been shipped from the Interior.—Omineca Herald.

Basket Ball

Double header all for the same price. Bankers vs. Tigers and Men's Own vs. Brotherhood, at the Auditorium tomorrow night. Game called at 8.45. Admission 25 cents. 278

An Omaha, Neb., man in forwarding his subscription to The Daily News writes: "The citizens of Prince Rupert are to be commended for not giving away the public utilities to private capitalists to become a tax upon the community."

The good citizens of Prince Rupert's pioneer days who stood out for a policy of public ownership and who successfully launched that policy will feel deeply gratified and amply repaid for their efforts in this kind of appreciation.

BOISTEROUS WEATHER ON NORTH ATLANTIC

Many Ocean Liners Entering Port for Protection Several Days Late

(Special to The Daily News.)
St. John, N.F., Nov. 27.—The boisterous weather on the north Atlantic is badly hampering traffic by rail as well as water, and is causing great anxiety in shipping circles. Four coasting schooners that have left here Saturday have not since been heard of. Many ocean liners have entered this port for protection, some of them a week overdue.

MORE REVENUE BOATS TO PROTECT HALIBUT

Secretary of United States Navy to Ask For Hundred Thousand for More Boats

(Special to the Daily News)
Washington, Nov. 27.—Complaints against the Canadian, Japanese and Russian fishermen of invading Alaskan waters for halibut, has led Secretary of the Navy Redfield to include in his estimates for the department of commerce an appropriation of \$100,000 for the purchase of a sea going vessel, one light draft tug and six rapid motor boats with which to enforce the alien fishing law.

NOTABLE SOCIETY EVENT

With Beautiful Girls Distributing Nosegays to Guests

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Nov. 27.—The society event of the day was the opening last night of the Lotus Club, which represents the height of luxury and which is to make a specialty of "Quango" suppers with pretty girls distributing nosegays to the patrons. Many members of the nobility honored the opening with their presence.

ROBBERS GOT NOTHING

Held up Bank of British North America at Agassiz

(Special to The Daily News.)
Vancouver, Nov. 27.—Six men, said to be foreigners, walked into the branch of the Bank of B. N. A. yesterday afternoon and held up the clerks with revolvers. One of the clerks entering the bank just after the robbers gave the alarm and the men made their escape. It was learned last night that the robbers had not succeeded in getting away with a cent.

No General Election Soon

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Nov. 27.—P. H. Illingsworth, the chief Liberal whip, addressing the National Liberal Federation at Leeds last night, definitely stated that there would be no general election before 1915.

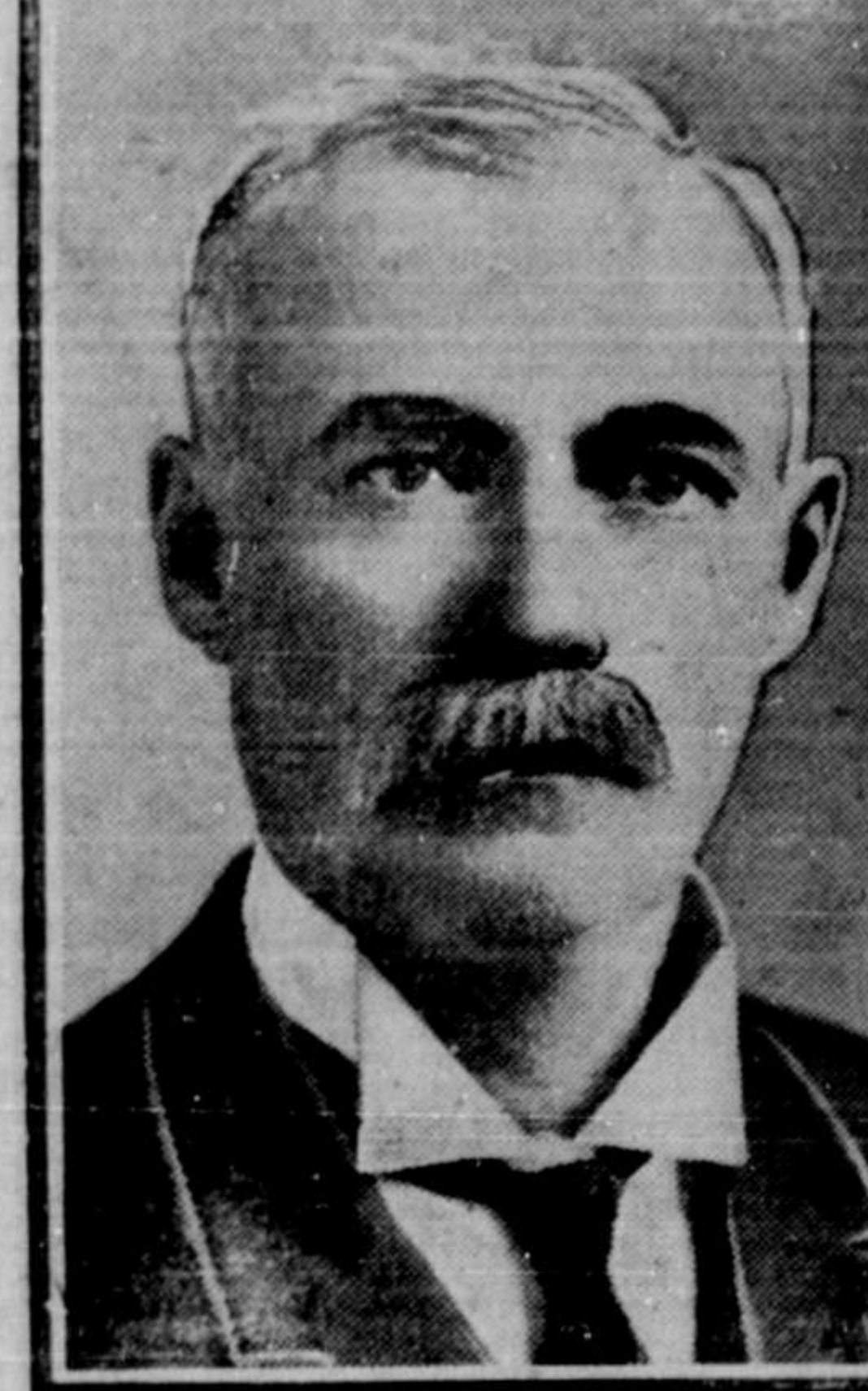
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PECULIAR PERTH PARTY POLITICS

Colonel J. M. Balderson, K.C., insists on running as candidate in the Dominion election in the Conservative interests, notwithstanding the fact that Dr. A. E. Hanna has been regularly chosen by the Conservative convention as a standard bearer. In the meantime the government has not opened up the constituency for a bye-election. The photographs were found on the body.



HELP TO MAKE PRINCE RUPERT BEAUTIFUL

Horticultural Society to be Organized Tonight—Prominent Horticulturist Will Assist

"The most beautiful city in the world" is the destiny of Prince Rupert. Are you going to hurry it along? Nature has given us the environments on which to build up this enviable reputation. It only remains for the residents to dig in and claim the prize.

Tonight there will be a meeting in the city hall to organize an horticultural society, the object of which is to teach the house holder how best to cultivate the lawn and garden about the home.

A. H. Tomlinson, of the department of agriculture, will cooperate with the organization and assist and instruct the members.

CHURCHILL MAY RESIGN

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Nov. 27.—The persistent attacks on the naval administration it is suggested, may end in the driving of the First Lord of the Admiralty out of the Liberal ranks, and the forming by him of a party of his own in opposition.

ARRESTED FOR MURDER

(Special to The Daily News.)
New York, Nov. 27.—An agent of the department of justice last night arrested General Seelaya, former President of Nicaragua, on the charge of murder. He was aroused from sleep in an apartment house on West Fifth Ave.

Close of Navigation

(Special to The Daily News)
Fort William, Nov. 27.—It is expected that lake navigation will close on December 6th.

Disastrous Fire

(Special to The Daily News.)
Port Huron, Nov. 27.—The Grand Trunk railway shops here were destroyed by fire last night. The loss will amount easily to a million dollars. One thousand men are thrown out of work.

To make room for Xmas goods Clearing sale on at Demers. 278-1f

JOE BAYLEY WON EASY VICTORY OVER WALSH IN FIVE ROUNDS

CROWD PAID BIG PRICES FOR DISAPPOINTING EXHIBITION--THE PRELIMINARIES WERE MOST INTERESTING FEATURE.

The chief event of last night's boxing contest at the Westholme Opera House, the fifteen round bout between Joe Bayley of Victoria and Jimmy Walsh of Montreal, proved a very one-sided affair. There was only one man in the picture and that was not Walsh, for Bayley punched him almost how and when he liked, and when Walsh had received enough of the grueling, he allowed himself to be counted out in the fifth round.

It was a disappointing exhibition of boxing, and those who had paid the rather high prices charged for admission were not slow in expressing their opinion. Previous to the principal bout, there were some preliminaries by the local boys for a prize of a gold watch. The first, between Tommie Gilmore and Cohen was announced at 9.30, but the latter did not come out when called on. He had a sudden attack of cold feet and left the building.

The first bout therefore, was between Sherman and Brown and provided some good sport, Brown holding his own fairly well in the first two rounds. In the last round Sherman forced the fighting and after driving his opponent round the ring sent him to the ground. In falling he hurt his knee and had to give up.

An opponent had by this time been found for Thomas Gilmore and the second bout was therefore between Thomas Gilmore and George Chalmers. Gilmore shaped very well and though his opponent was heavier and stronger and had therefore more force behind his blows, yet the decision in favor of the former was a perfectly right one.

The last of the preliminaries was a four round contest between the two previous winners, Sherman and Gilmore. This would have been a better bout if there had been less clinching. Sherman was the more experienced and did a lot of kidney punching in the clinches. Gilmore has a good straight left which often landed, and with more experience and weight should make a good boxer.

In the fourth round Gilmore weakened considerably and Sherman inflicted such heavy punishment that the referee stopped the fight, the decision going to Sherman, who finished quite fresh. Willard was the referee for the preliminaries.

The principal event was a fifteen round contest of three min-

ute rounds, with one minute rest and a clean break at order of the referee, Mr. Jack Keefe. After Dr. Tremayne had examined the contestants and pronounced them both fit, they weighed in, Bayley tipping the scales at 129½ pounds and Walsh at 132½ pounds. It was, however, 11 o'clock before both men got into the ring, Bayley being first out. They both appeared in good condition, Walsh having a decided advantage in reach.

In the first round Walsh led but Bayley stepped away. Coming back Bayley closed and got in several body blows. Then there was some sparring for openings. Walsh led again to the face but Bayley was quick on his feet in getting away. Walsh followed and Bayley closed, getting in some more body blows.

In the second round Walsh opened with a right hander which missed and Bayley clinched. On being separated Bayley led to face and Walsh slipped. Then Walsh led but Bayley easily avoided and closing in got in blows to face and body, eventually forcing his opponent back to the ropes.

The third round opened with a heavy blow from Bayley's right. Walsh ran in but Bayley slipped him. Bayley led again to face and then followed a series of clinches, with Bayley getting in a lot of short arm jabs to face and body. Bayley had decidedly the best of this round.

The fourth round was a repetition of the third, Bayley doing most of the leading and Walsh closing to avoid punishment. On the second attempt at an uppercut Bayley landed and knocked his opponent down. Walsh rose, only to be again knocked down. He rose again just in time and the bell sounded and saved a finish.

In the last round it was evidently only a question of how long Walsh would stand the heavy punishment he was receiving, and after being driven all over the ring Bayley sent him to the floor and he took the count. Bayley finished strongly but Walsh was evidently weak.

The attendance at the beginning was sparse, but it improved for the principal bout although never large.

After the fight Joe Bayley said he was sorry Smithers had not been his opponent as it would have given the crowd a better exhibition.

TO DISCIPLINE OFFICERS

Army Men Connected With Ulster Volunteers

(Special to The Daily News.)
London, Nov. 27.—Premier Asquith, it is reported, will shortly take sharp and decisive action to discipline the officers who are connected with Sir Edward Carson's army of Ulster volunteers. It is said that he intends the Home Rule Bill to pass into law as it at present stands.

Going South

Passenger list of the Venture which sailed yesterday afternoon:

T. J. Heffner, A. Perks, E. W. Greenfield, F. Gelin, E. Eman, Ed. Hill, Wm. Daniels, S. Maude, F. Robinson, J. T. Smith, J. Turmel, Geo. Frizzell, Mr. and Mrs. F. Daniels, Albert Pehl, M. Pickstrom, John Dahl, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Humphrey.

There was a clean slate at the police office this morning.

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Another Steel Boat Coming

Another shipment is enroute around the Horn for Prince Rupert dry dock. On September 29 the steamer Kentra left New York with 1,500 tons of structural steel of this city. She should arrive about the middle of December.

Loyal Order of Moose

A special meeting will be held in the K. of P. Hall, Thursday, the 27th inst at 8 o'clock. All members are requested to attend as business is of much importance to the Lodge.

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BELLA COOLA DISSATISFIED.

The Bella Coöla Courier continues a weekly criticism of the administration of the Provincial road work under William Manson, M. P. Bella Coöla Valley was always a stronghold of William Manson's, but when he appeared at a public meeting there a few weeks ago to defend his policy many of his erstwhile friends openly showed antagonism. The Courier claims thousands of dollars have been wasted on useless work while roads greatly needed remain unbuild.

WHEN THE WHALE DISAPPEARS.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found an article from Seattle propounding the theory that the killing off of the whales in the waters along the Alaskan coast is ruining the herring industry, just as a similar condition did in Norway. The argument is that as the whales no longer chase the herring into the shallow waters and consequently herring do not school in the small bays until they are ready to spawn, at which time they are useless for food.

The theory is not greatly credited here, where there is one of the best herring banks in the north. There were very few whale here last winter, yet tremendous schools of herring

were found in the harbor through the season and big catches were made.

There is also a theory talked of among the fishermen that the disappearance of the whale will ruin the salmon runs. The claim in this instance is that the whale stirs up the deposits on the bottom of the sea and the salmon, who is unable to go to the bottom, follows the whale and feeds upon the driftings. There is no scientific data to back up this theory, but it is, nevertheless, being peddled by some public men interested in the fish business.

Killing off the North Pacific whale as is now being done will undoubtedly disturb the domestic economy of the denizens of the deep, but there is no tangible evidence to show that it will effect either the herring or the salmon.

The discovery of Hon. George E. Foster that Canada might develop a big trade in flour with the Orient is not a new idea. Earl Grey propounded the same scheme in Prince Rupert over four years ago and intimated that this city would be the great port of trans-shipment. The Hon. Foster thinks a different kind of flour will have to be made to suit the Oriental taste. That may be but the Japanese and Chinese in this country take very kindly to the standard white flour, while the Hindus use the whole wheat flour and seem to like it.

DOES WHALING TEND TO INJURE HALIBUT AND HERRING FISHING?

HERRING MEN DECLARE INDUSTRY HAS DWINDLED TO NOTHING THROUGH RECORD KILLING OF WHALES DURING PAST SUMMER.

According to statements made in a Seattle newspaper, as a result of interviews with prominent Seattle men interested in the fisheries industry death is certain for the herring and halibut industries of Alaska if whaling operations are continued in the north.

"The greatest season in the history of Alaska whaling was recently brought to a close," says the report. "In the history of the world's whaling there have been perhaps few so successful and only one company was in operation with three small whaling craft and a station at Port Armstrong, Southeastern Alaska. It is now claimed that as a result prospects are that the herring industry for 1913 will be a miserable failure. Herring men declare what promised to grow into one of the most valuable of all Alaska's industries last year has dwindled to almost nothing through the record killing of whales during the past summer. At first they thought the herring were just a little late in running. Now, they say, it is practically certain that there won't be a run."

"Norway faced just such a problem a number of years back. Year by year its fishing industry dwindled until finally it reached the stage at which it is claimed the Alaska herring industry is

now. An investigation was made by the Norwegian government and to whaling was attributed the loss of what had once been one of the most valuable of Norway's industries. Whaling, thereafter, was prohibited and today Norway's fishing industry is again flourishing.

"The Norway investigators reported that the whale, when feeding, drives the herring and other small fish of this class into shallow waters, where they are followed by the larger inshore fish, such as the cod, salmon, halibut and other such. It was claimed that the herring, with the whales killed off, only came into the small bays and fjords of Norway during the spawning season, when they are nearly worthless.

"Speaking of the situation, Mr. H. W. Starrett, one of those interested in the protest of the fishermen, said: 'Stringent measures should immediately be taken to put a stop to whaling in Alaska. Norway found such a move necessary, and now it has become a choice with us between whaling and the combined herring and halibut industries, one the benefactors of thousands, the other of benefit to only those same Norwegians who were driven from their own country and have taken up operations in Alaska.'

Prince Rupert's Progress.

OLD BILL MINER'S TEN COMMANDMENTS

"Never Take What Belongs to Another Man; Rob Only Corporations"

It was the boast of Bill Miner, the train robber, the New York correspondent of the Telegraph says, that throughout his long spectacular career that he never did a "really dishonorable thing"—that is to say, dishonorable according to the strange code of the outlaws with whom for over 50 years he had been intimately associated in the Far West. He specialized on express trains, holding them up at times single-handed.

Among the ten commandments he obeyed was one which said "Never take what belongs to another man; rob only corporations." Others were "Never fail to help a woman;" "Keep every man's goodwill;" and "Give a fellow money when he needs it;" "Never say a bad thing about a man when you can say a good one; Don't squeal." He devoted half his time to robbing and half to recreation.

There was a time, twenty years ago, when he maintained a swell house in New York, with English servants, and when he spent the fashionable season in London, living in the best hotels and dining in the most luxurious restaurants. His great weakness, which finally led to his downfall, was strong drink. "If I had only been a teetotaler," he lamented, "I might have been a leading politician."

INFORMATION WANTED

Any person having seen or heard anything of Fred Hucker, please send information to Ann Hucker, Ketchikan, Alaska, Box 73. Other papers please copy.

Young Corbett has been engaged as referee and boxing instructor at the Canadian A. C. of Montreal.

HORSES FOR CHISANA Freightling Line Went into Operation on Monday

Vancouver, Nov. 25.—Another shipment of horses for the new stage line to be operated during the coming winter, between White Horse and the Chisana gold diggings, by the White Pass and Yukon route, were sent north last night, together with a quantity of freight for Dawson and other Yukon points. The first stage is due to leave White Horse tomorrow, on the new route via the Klunane trail.

Find it through a Daily News "Want Ad."



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SANTA Claus time came round last year and found you with your gifts only half ready—it spoiled your Christmas. The gifts you sent away arrived days after the stockings had been emptied—after the Christmas tree was a thing of the past—too late to be fully appreciated. You had tried to do everything yourself, and to do it in the last few days.

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MRS. JOHN JACOB ASTOR

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CONCUSSION OF BRAIN CAUSED DEATH OF VICTORIA FULLBACK

EVIDENCE SHOWED THAT HE RECEIVED A NUMBER OF HARD KNOCKS IN CONTEST WITH ALL BLACKS BEFORE FINAL FALL.

Victoria, Nov. 25.—Peter Ogden, fullback of the Victoria Rugby team, was knocked out by a hard tackle in the game with the All Blacks Saturday afternoon and died on the way to the hospital. It happened just about a minute before the final whistle blew. Severe concussion of the brain, resulting from the cumulative effect of a number of hard knocks, was the cause of death. The game was never at any time rough to an undue extent, and no blame can be laid at the door of any player.

Ogden was playing in an unaccustomed position, going on the team at the last moment in place of the regular fullback, Spencer, and he was trying very hard to fill it well. He never spared himself from the start and on two occasions in the earlier part of the game had been so severely shaken up that he was temporarily incapacitated.

Most players would have considered any one of the several hard knocks he got sufficient excuse to withdraw, but he gamely asserted that he was all right and stayed it out, playing as daring a game as has ever been seen on a local field. At the start of the first half he received a blow on the head from the knee of an opposing player quite accident-

ally, and was evidently in a dazed condition from then on. In the end he was unable adequately to protect himself and once being tackled by one of the All Blacks as he was attempting a kick to touch, he fell heavily on his head. He was carried from the field unconscious and Dr. Hudson attended him. As he did not respond to treatment an ambulance was called, but he passed away before the hospital was reached. An inquest will be held today.

Mr. Ogden was 20 years old. He was educated at the collegiate school here and was an articled clerk in the law office of Wootton & Goward. His father and one brother survive him at Lac-La-Hache, in the Cariboo. He was exceedingly popular, both for his personal qualities and his love of clean sport. This year and last he had been playing three-quarter on the law students' team.

James Douglas, the member of the New Zealand team who last tackled Ogden, says he did not think the latter had fallen on his head. He and Ogden had been coming toward each other at quite a high rate of speed and he had taken Ogden round the shoulders, giving him a shove over. He was sure the fall had not been hard enough to do any one a serious injury.

LEGAL SQUABBLE ABOUT THE TRANSFER OF KISPIOX LAND

MRS. MARY ELLIS SAYS HER HUSBAND THREATENED HER—NINE TIMBER LIMITS NOW THE LEGAL CONTENTION.

Vancouver, Nov. 25.—Claiming that she was forced by threats of violence to sign a transfer of nine timber limits to her husband, who disposed of them next day for \$20,000, Mrs. Mary Ellis is suing in the Supreme Court today to have the transfer set aside. She is suing Messrs. William Lollis and J. A. Tomlinson, who purchased the limits from Mr. Ellis, and they in turn have added Mr. Ellis as a third party to the action.

In the pleadings Mrs. Ellis alleges that on April 27, 1910, her husband came to her and insisted that she sign a document to enable him to make a sale of the limits. She refused, whereupon, she alleges, he kicked the chairs about the room, threatened to

throw her out of the window and otherwise by fear of punishment forced her to sign the document, which proved to be a transfer. After the sale was over she notified Mr. Lollis that her signature to the transfer was not legal.

Lollis and Tomlinson in their defence admit no knowledge of the alleged duress and claim to be innocent holders of the property for value under the title given them by Mr. Ellis, to whom they have paid the \$20,000. The timber limits are all in the Kispiox Valley.

Mr. Rex Macdonald is appearing in the case for Mrs. Ellis, and Messrs. E. A. Dickie and W. H. D. Ladner for Messrs. Lollis and Tomlinson. The trial is before Mr. Justice Macdonald.

DEMER'S Christmas Preparation Week

A great merchandise movement to adjust the store and its stock to the Xmas Season's demands

LADIES' COATS

24 ladies' Coats, all this season's styles. These Coats have got to go; we need the space for our Xmas display. They won't last long as they are going at **cost price**. Come in and see them.

LADIES' SUITS

24 ladies' Suits. Everyone knows that we carry the New York Tailored Suit, the most up-to-date suit on the market. Just think of it—a **\$36.00 Suit for \$20.00**. Satin lined; everything perfect about it. But we need the space.

We have about 1 doz. Skirts that we intend to clear, in serge, Panama and tweed; regular \$7.50; for **\$5.00** this week.

SATIN PETTICOATS

These are real beauties, all colors, regular \$7.50, this week **\$5.75**. How about them for Xmas gifts?

MILLINERY

Season's smartest Hats greatly reduced. Here are a few of the reductions made:

\$18.00 Hats	\$9.00
\$14.00 Hats	\$7.50
\$12.00 Hats	\$6.00
\$8.00 Hats	\$4.00
\$5.00 Hats	\$2.50

All shapes at cost.
A table of girls' Hats for **\$1.00**.

INFANTS' CLOTHES

As we do not intend to carry this line any longer, you can find some real bargains. You can buy these garments for less than the cloth costs. The lot consists of infants' long muslin dresses, petticoats, infants' short dresses, petticoats. Also a few muslin dresses for girls up to six years.

Royal Society Packages of Pillow Tops, centrepieces, underwear, blouses, runners, aprons, necktie racks, all make lovely Xmas Gifts. All have a reduction of 10% this week. New shipment just arrived.

NECKWEAR

A big special in dainty Neckwear. This is the week to buy your Xmas gifts in this line. A table of stylish Collars at unheard of prices.

DRESSES

Don't pass by these big bargains in one-piece dresses. New styles and materials. Panama Cloth, reg. \$10.00, for **\$7.50**. Serge Cloth, reg. \$12.00, for **\$8.50**. Velvet, reg. \$15.00, for **\$10.00**. Corded Velvet, reg. \$16.00, for **\$12.00**.

CORSETS

Famous D. & A. Corsets in six different models. All in on this sale. These Corsets are known for their good style and wearing qualities. **30% Regular Price.**

Besides the special bargains mentioned above there will be a discount on everything in stock of 20%, including Silk combinations, Silk and Wool Underwear, Hosiery of all kinds, Evening Gowns, Silk Dresses, Ribbon, Real Lace Neckwear and numerous beautiful articles for Ladies' wear.

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GENERAL NEWS

It is reported that the Socialists of Nanaimo are to build a hall there to cost \$6,000. They have already purchased a lot.

Champion Willie Ritchie gathered the tidy sum of \$10,000 for beating Leach Cross. Leach got \$1,211, and all he had to do was to stop Willie's wallpops.

Queen Mary forbade her attaches to join the suffragettes, but when two of them did so and offered their resignations the Queen withdrew the order.

Mr. Joseph Martin, M. P. for East St. Pancras, may not seek re-election, according to a London newspaper. The belief there is that he intends remaining in Canada.

For umpiring in the National League Bill Klem draws down close to \$1,000 a year. In addition to this he received \$1,000 for his work in the world's series and is now making a tour of the world with all expenses paid.

According to a Victoria despatch, there is a chance that Joe Bayley and Frenchy Vaise will battle for the Canadian championship in a San Francisco ring. Bayley is now trying to arrange a match to take place in California.

The London Times has sources of information evidently not open to American newspapers. It gives the details of President Wilson's Mexican policy with minute particularity, while the American newspapers still continue to guess at it.

The official history of the Russo-Japanese war has only cost, so far, about £6,000; but then it is not nearly completed. The Americans, who usually do these things in style, spent £300,000 in illustrating and printing their official history of the great civil war of 1861-65.

In a case at Middlesex Sessions in which an agent was charged with false pretenses the evidence for the prosecution had not closed when the foreman of the jury announced that they had made up their minds. Mr. O'Connor, the defending barrister, at once demanded a new trial, and the judge ordered the case to be considered by a fresh jury.

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