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D MAKES ONFESSION

A cable dispatch in Tangle says: confession made to y Olsen yesterday the mystery sur-leading up to the ed in the ruin e Bank. He upon himself, e being was not most of

representatives of the rival firms to-day. Both Mayor Buscombe and Dr. Underhill being visited by representatives of the rival bidders.

INJUNCTION AGAINST CITY

Work on Pender Street Drain Waiting for Agreement to Be Reached.
City Engineer Clement stated this afternoon that no attempt would be made to continue the laying of the basement drain on Pender street until an arrangement had been made with the property-owners who are now objecting to the deep construction. Some slight blasting was still going on at the point, but this was to enable the construction of a manhole on Hamilton street, and was proceeding under permission of the attorneys on the other side of the case. This portion of the drain would be used under any circumstance, and would be finished as speedily as possible.

SENDING FIR BLOCKS EAST

Ottawa and Toronto are coming to Vancouver for blocks for street-paving purposes. Both these cities have had wide experience with the street-paving question, and the fact that they have at last come to the conclusion that the famous Douglas fir is the wood which furnishes the most lasting paving material should prove a salutary object-lesson to Vancouver Aldermen.

W. H. Harvey & Co., who have manufactured practically all the fir blocks laid on Vancouver streets, have received the orders from Ottawa and Toronto, and the shipments will be made just as soon as the blocks can be manufactured. The blocks will be shipped from here in their natural state, and will be treated with carbollineum on their arrival at destination.

MAY ESTABLISH SUICIDE'S IDENTITY

Mr. James Rutherford arrived this morning from Victoria, and proceeded to make known to the two Vancouver papers that published news of his supposed suicide in Stanley Park that he was very much alive. Mr. Rutherford suggested that the body found by Superintendent Eldon might possibly be that of a captain who was formerly in the service of the British East India Company. Mr. Rutherford was acquainted with his brother here, and on his recent visit to London had a letter of introduction to the captain. He was much surprised a few months ago to run across the captain in British Columbia. The captain then told him that he was suffering from locomotor ataxia and had come out here for his health.

On his arrival here this morning, Mr. Rutherford communicated these facts and the captain's name to Chief Chisholm, and a telegram was dispatched to the home of this captain's brother in Washington. Up to the time of going to press no reply had been received by the police.

RAILWAY IS BLOCKED.

Bush Fire Destroys Communication North of Ladysmith.
Nanaimo, B. C., Sept. 4 (Special).-- Bridge No. 107, two miles north of Ladysmith on the Esquimalt & Nanaimo run, was destroyed by a bush

empire of China. This Sunday night two Japanese under detention managed to escape from the shed. They have not yet been captured, and it is unlikely that they will ever be taken. Both men were afflicted with trachoma, and managed to escape through the carelessness of the guards.

No Reply from Ottawa.

Mayor Buscombe with a last Saturday afternoon to the Department of the Interior on Saturday to the effect that two hundred and seventy Hindus had been landed here from the Far East without visible means of support and their coming was a source of danger to the best interests of the province. The aid of the Dominion Government was asked to provide temporary sustenance for those already here and its attention directed to the urgent need of action being taken against additional hordes of the race being allowed to enter the port. No answer has yet been received to this message.

Locally the disturbance caused by the incoming of the turbanned and last Friday seems to be dying down. The chief cause of this condition is that a labor contractor has ordered a number and shipped them to interior points. With an interpreter he visited the ranks of the crowd on Sunday, and endeavored to induce the whole bunch to go over to the banks of the Fraser and locate in tents until work could be obtained for them. He showed several telegrams from Vancouver mills asking for from twenty each upward for each place.

Men Refused to Leave.

His coming developed the fact that some contentious spirit had been working with the men, as they refused to leave the city. They claimed that they could get better pay by waiting here for a time. Some said that as much as \$2.50 had been offered them if they would stay out of the interior. This morning, however, the Hindus were more tractable, and a large number promised to leave tonight.

Civic officials report very little doing in connection with the Hindus. Chief of Police Chisholm said he had no complaint of any kind had been made concerning them since last Saturday morning. Medical Health Officer Underhill said his sole object now was to prevent the men overrunning the houses in which they were lodged. The majority are now located in the extreme East End of the city.

The labor contractor who said above said this morning that he believed he could locate all the Hindus in 2 or 3 more such shiplands, and it would be a quandy as to what else he could do with them. The laborer is well about supplied, and we can be accomplished there seeing no other to open.

DOMINION BANK MAY OPEN BRANCH

C. A. Robert of general manager of the Dominion Bank of Canada, is in the city looking out the land. At the Hotel Vancouver this morning Mr. Robert expressed the wheat outlook in the western region from a financial point of view. But would not say that his bank proposed to establish branches in British Columbia.

"Our most western branch the present time is in Calgary, and any extensions we have made have been in the wheat country. Our business is to dis-

Along his own way. Don't depend on books or teacher, but train your own reasoning. Don't think that because you "know" you can "communicate." Don't think attendance is the only requisite for success. Don't try to take up other work at the same time.

Until the Government builds on the lot to the east this will be a public, a model and a normal school, the Normal having three of the upper rooms with a library for Mr. Burns and his staff of two, the first assistant, Mr. J. D. Buchanan, and Drawing Master Mr. David Blair. There are ten full classrooms in the building.

This is the second move since 1901, when the Government established Normal School in what was formerly the High School on Dunsmuir street. Then for three years it occupied rooms in the Lord Roberts School. The Government promises to commence the erection of the new school building early next year.

GRAND FORKS, MAN DISAPPEARS

Grand Forks, Sept. 4 (Special).-- Great excitement prevailed here last night over the fact that Joseph Simpson, the well known blacksmith of this place, is reported lost or killed. On Saturday Simpson, in company with M. R. Feeney, another blacksmith here, went on a hunting trip to Morrissey Creek, some six miles east of Grand Forks. Sunday afternoon Simpson left the camp and took his horse and went out to do a little prospecting. That was the last seen of him, as he did not return to the camp that night, and Mr. Feeney spent all yesterday hunting for him without avail. Last evening Mr. Feeney arrived in town and gave the alarm, and a search party of some twenty men was organized and left last night for Morrissey Creek, to start search in the morning.

MASS MEETING ON TUBERCULOSIS

Medical Health Officer Underhill this morning received a telegram from the Pagan announcing that Dr. McCreary, secretary of the Canadian Anti-Tuberculosis League, would be in Vancouver this week, and asking that arrangements be made for a mass meeting to be held in the Grand Hall on Thursday night. In view of the active campaign which is being waged for the establishment of a provincial sanatorium for tuberculous patients at Sayona, the address of the distinguished visitor was felt to be of more than ordinary local interest. The Worshipful Mayor Buscombe will be asked to preside at the meeting.

Teamsters' Strike in Montreal.

Montreal, Sept. 4 (Special).-- A hundred and twenty-five teamsters of the Dominion Transport Company went out on strike this morning, asking for from \$42 to \$46 per month.

BOYS KILLED IN EXPLOSION

Stellarton, N. S., Sept. 4 (Special).-- Four boys between the ages of twelve and sixteen years were killed yesterday

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