## THEY PART FRIENDS

Mayor and Aldermen Complinent Each Other at Their Last Meeting.

Reports of Committee's Adopted Buildings By-Law Amended.

Last night's meeting of the city cour cil was noteworthy for the many pleasant things the members said about each other. The business portion of the proceedings was confined to the reading of one or two communications and some reperts from various committees.

Mr. A. W. Jones wrote asking for a refund of \$70 for the construction of a cement sidewalk in front of the Finlayson block, and the request was referred to the city engineer with instructions to pay the amount if the proper grade has been observed and the price charged appears reasonable

A report from the sanitary inspector detailing the buildings which have water closets connected with private drains emptying directly or indirectly into the harbor was received and filed, Ald. Mc-Candless observing that the report was not · correct. Reports were also read from the cemetery committee, the fire wardens and the Old Men's Home committee. The reports from the city treasurer, city engineer, electric light committee, librarian, etc., were on motion referred to the Mayor and printing committee to deal with. Ald. Partridge introduced a by-law to amend the Buildings by-law, permitting the erection of wooden buildings on the waterfront between Herald street and James Bay, provided they are covered with corrugated iron and approved by the buildings, inspector. The by-law was read, considered in committee of the whole and finally passed.

There being no more business the Mayor thanked the aldermen for their courteous treatment of him during his term of office. His Worship paid a high compliment to the city officials for the ability and zeal with which they have discharged their duties, the fire wardens being particularly mentioned as deserving the warmest praise. Ald. Partridge in moving the adjournment said that it would probably be many years before he again occupied a seat at the council board, but he wished all those who are candidates for re-election every success. Although he had had differences of opinion with almost everyone of them he thought they had done, and would do, good work. He said that it was with pleasure he could mention that Victoria could now boast the possession of a fire department and a police force second to none on the Pacific Coast, and concluded by expressing the hope that those who heard him would in his absence remember "the little man who has kicked many a time." Ald, Wilson, Hall, Mc-Candless, Kinsman and Vigelius also spoke briefly, wishing His Worship success and saying how harmonious and pleasant the work of the council had been in 1897. The council adjourned shortly after 9 o'clock.

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An old physician; retired from prace tice, having had pased into his hands by this receipt, in German, French or English, with ful ldirections for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. Noyes, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester,

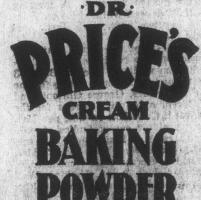
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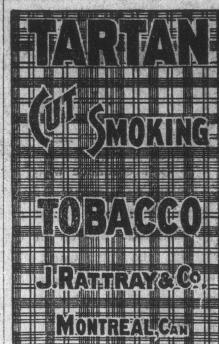
The Full Court is sitting again to-day. The first case to be heard was the dethe company for specific performance of \$75 damages. The Full Court allowed the anthor of a very able work upon that the appeal with costs. Charles Wilson, Q.C., for appeallants, P. McL. Forin for

Chamberlain v. B. C. Smelting & Refining Co. This was an appeal from a judgment of Judge Forin, who allowed the plaintiff \$500 damages for injuries sustained from an explosion on 16th Jannary, 1896, of a blast furnace operated by the defendants at Trail. Unfinished. W. J. Taylor for the appellants (defendants), and P. McL. Forin for the plain

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## THE DEATH OF BISHOP LOOTENS

At the Ripe Age of Seventy-Seven Years Bishop Lootens Passes Away.

Who Was a Pioneer of the Province.

From Wednesday's Daily. When the Japanese boy who has been acting as the personal attendant of Bishop Lootens entered the room of his venerable master at an early hour yesterday morning he found the Bishop had been afflicted during the night with an apopletic stroke which had completely paralyzed his right side and deprived him of the power of speech. Although quite conscious Bishop Lootens was unable to make himself understood, but the attendant quickly obtained assistance and Dr. Helmcken, an old-time friend of the sufferer, was speedily in attendance. The Bishop lingered all yesterday and last night without recovering the power of speech, and passed away at twenty minutes to five o'clock this morning, in the presence of Father Althoff, two sisters of St. Anne, and the Bishop's personal attendant.

Louis John Aloysius Lootens was porn n Bruges, Belgium, March 17th, 1827, and was thus in his seventy-first year. Receiving his classical education in the Seminars at Bruges, the future bishop removed to Paris, where he pursued his he was ordained priest in the Seminary of St. Nicholas, Paris, by Bishop

way to Rome. Immediately after his Muil contractors, for instance, supposed ordination Father Lootens came to Van- to bring once a month the news of the an East Indian missionary the formula couver Island, arriving here in the fall busy world, will sometimes fail in their of a simple vegetable remedy for the of 1851. Probably no one is better speedy and permanent cure of Consump- known to the pioneers of this province tion, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and than the deceased prelate. Dr. Helmcken Norsemen are without news of the outall Throat and Lung Affections, also a was a personal friend, and in the side world. The postmaster's position positive and radical cure for Nervous days of the Cariboo gold excite under such circumstances is not, says Debility and Nervous Complaints, after ment everyone knew Father Lootens. Mr. Christenson, an enviable one, and having tried its wonderful curative pow-ers in thousands of cases, has felt it his deceased gentleman often took him up the much-looked-for mail the people imduty to make it known to his suffering the Fraser river, and he also travelled patient for news from the loved ones fellows. Actuated by this motive and a extensively in canoe on the east coast who are left in Norwegian homes, life is desire to relieve human suffering, I will of the island. Remaining here for a few made a burden to the postmaster. send free of charge, to all who desire it. years the reverend gentleman removed during the early sixties to California and ing made to the Chilcotin country, and took charge of the Orphanage of St. Ga-briel, where he accomplished much good be, it is a great convenience to the resiwork. During his residence in California dents in that out-of-the-way locality. friends, and in San Francisco he was sively in the Chilcotin, and "Cattle well known and universally respected. At the second council of Baltimore it was decided to elect Idaho, then a part of the diocese of Oregon, into a separate Vicariate Apostolic, and the fathers of the council recommended Father Lootens as the first bishop. On August 9th, 1868, he was consensed as fast Vicar Apos of the diocese of Oregon, into a separate he was consecrated as first Vicar Apostolic and made titular bishop of Castafendants' appeal in Garvey v. West bella. In 1876 the state of the bishop's Kootenay Land Co. The plaintiff sued health induced him to resign from the performance of the arduous duties cona memorandum of sale entered into by nected with his charge, and, true to his him and Smith, Dean & Co. for the sale old love for British Columbia, he returnof some Salmo lots. The defendants wit to this province, where he has recontended Smith, Dean & Co. had no sided ever since, either in this city or at authority to sell the fors in question. Cowichan. Bishop Lootens was a recog-Judge Forin gave plaintiff judgment for nized authority on Gregorian music and

> The death occurred at the residence of the deceased gentleman, corner of Humboldt and Vancouver streets. The body will be removed to the bishop's house this evening, where it will lie in state until the day of interment, Tuesday next. cathedral, the interment probably being est of remedies." at Saanich, adjoining the Catholic church at that place.

THE SWEETEST GIFTS OF LOVE. What shall I give her—my little girl with the soft dark eyes and the silken net of tresses, with many a sun-bright curl? What shall I give her—my love, my pet? What shall I give her of beauty and bliss To match the bright curls that she gives me to kiss?

My love! I have given her that! 'tis old— Old as her life, though her face is young; I have given my darling my heart to hold With the sweetest songs that my heart has sung! There is nothing to give her save only this— The kiss on the curls that she gives me to kiss!

She is climbing up to my arms—I see
The light of heaven in her lovely eyes;
Over the face and the life of me
Curl on curl in its splendor lies!
Nothing to give her save only this—
The kiss on the curls that she gives me to kiasi

Frank L. Stanton in Christmas Ladies'
Home Journal.

The best anodyne and expectorant for the cure of colds, coughs, and all throat, lung, and bronchial troubles, is undoubt edly Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, the only specific for colds and coughs admitted on exhibition at the Chicago World's Fair.

## THRIVING COLONIES SHE STOLE SILKS

News of the Settlers at Quatsino and Bella

Out of the Way Settlement of Hardy Norsemen.

Too little interest is evinced by the ome out to this rich western country parture from the city. anything of the Norwegian colony on ettlement? Probably not one in a hunaware of the existence of those thriving ommunities, and yet the work which is eing done there may affect in no small neasure the history of British Columbia. Captain Foote, of the steamer Willapa, who is keenly interested in the welfare of the settlers at Quatsino, brought down

on his last trip news of the prosperity and happiness of the fifty people who have in the last four years taken up their residence in the Norwegian colony at that place. Christmas festivities of the old-fash-

ioned sort, dancing, feasting and general merrymaking were indulged in during the Yuletide season, the hilarity of those participating being justified by the universal prosperity enjoyed. Those who know that fortune is good enough to yield them crops of vegetables such as are being obtained by the settlers at "a fling" when occasion demands. A yield of seventeen sacks of potatoes for one planted is a record which should make glad the heart of man, and woman too. Twenty-pound cabbages are something to speak of with bated breath, and yet they are common in this settle-ment of agriculturists to whom tilling the soil is second nature. And then there is a new schoolhouse in course of erection, and some of the residents, with an enterprise warranted by success, are building for themselves residences of no mean pretensions. Happiness and pros-perity are the predominant features in "Georgie." or "Jennie." or Miss Forbes, perity are the predominant features in that thriving colony at Quatsino, and Captain Foote and all others who have

assisted in the settlement of the Norwegians who are there, have every reasonto congratulate themselves upon the From Bella Coola, where another settlement of Norwegians comprising upwards of a hundred people exists, news of the most encouraging nature is brought by Mr. H. B. Christenson, the storekeeper and postmaster. This settlement is reached by means of the little steamer Swan, which plies on Bella Coola Inlet from Namu. About sixty miles from the coast at the head of the inlet, on salt water, the colonists enjoy an ideal location, and the returns which higher studies, and on June 14th, 1851, have rewarded their efforts are such that Mr. Christenson says it is rarely that any complaint can be made, but that i charmed circle of that happy community. duty and then for two months, eight weeks, or sixty days, those contented

From Bella Coola a wagon road is be-Father Lootens made a wide circle of Stock raising is being carried on exten-King Franklin holds sway over a struck of country which in some places would be a kingdom or a principality.

> A CRIPPLE'S AGONY. Sciatic Pains Made Limbs Useless and Life a Burden—South American Rheumatic Cure Snapped the Pain Chords and Cast Away the Crutches

few in this day of commercial strife."

James Smith, Dairyman, Grimbsy, Outnewrites with was a great sufferer from sciatica. For a time I was completely laid up and for two weeks I was compelled to go on crutches. My limbs were almost useless. I tried many remedies without benefit. South American Rheumatic cure was recommended. It took six bottles to effect a cure, but I am thoroughly cured. The funeral will take place from the and I heartily recommend it as the great-For sale by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall

> "Mr. Higgamore," said Miss Quickstep, firmly and distinctly, interrupting him, "you have called me to lump of sweetness a great many times, but you have never said you would like to have me with your morning coffee." Where-upon Mr. Higgamore proposed. There was no way of escape. Chicago Tr bune,

& Co.

"Old, yet ever new, and simple and beautiful ever," sings the poet, in words which might well apply to Ayer's Sarsaparilla the most efficient and scientific blood-purifier ever offered to suffering humanity. Nothing but superior merit keeps it so long at the front.



"Frankie Wilson" of Many Alisases Wears Fine Cloths Which Don't Belong To Her.

Christmas Festivities Enjoyed in an After Operating in Victoria and Vancouver She Evades Justice in Seattle

About six weeks ago a young woman verage British Columbian in what is who had been employed in the Sterling eyond question the good work accom- dry goods house was politely requested dished by those hardy pioneers who have by the police authorities to take her defrom far-away northern latitudes to make sessing, and gifted with that indescrib for themselves homes in the remoter re- able "something" which makes some gions of this province. Who ever hears women attractive, Frankie Wilson, as she called herself here, was always ar-Quatsino Sound? And of the Bella Coola rayed in a splendor that enhanced to the utmost her personal charms. But dred of the residents of our cities are she had not that one virtue without which all human qualities are as naught she was not honest. It was a great surprise to her employers when the city police informed them that "Frankie had in her possession a lot of goods which she could not satisfactorily account for, but although it was clearly oved that the charming "saleslady" had been taking unto herself property which belonged to her employer, no charge was laid against her in the police court. "Frankie" was quietly notified by the police, however, that her absence from the city would be deemed a favor, and she promptly took her way to Vancouver, where her filching propensities found ample scope in the Hudson Bay Company's store. Miss Forbes was the cognomen adopted by the lightfingered damsel in the Terminal City, and within the comparatively short pe-The Long and Useful Life of One Quatsino are surely justified in taking \$500 worth of silks and other fine apriod of six weeks she appropriated about

parel. Mr. W. H. Cope, manager of the Hudson's Bay Company, together with Detective Butler, passed through Victoria on Sunday en route to Seattle. Instructions had been sent to the police of the Sound city to arrest Miss Forbes (as she called herself in Vancouver), and they had promptly laid hands upon the fugitive, but Judge Jacobs had in his wisdom ordered her to be released beforel her accusers arrived on the scene and once freed from the restraining disappeared as completely as though the ground had swallowed her up.

Mr. Cope was naturally surprised and

not a little annoyed that the judge should have, as it were, cheated him of his prey, and every effort is being made now to locate the elusive charmer. But Frankie of the many names will not easily abandon the security of oblivion, and the Honorable Company of Adventurers trading into Hudson Bay are out and injured to the extent of

The agult scalp should be thoroughly washed occasionally to remove the oily particles, then apply Hall's Hair Renewer to give the hair a natural color.

OF INTEREST TO MEN.

Demers.

Bishop Demers had at that time been quite recently appointed first Bishop of Wancouver Island, and being then on his charmed circle of that happy community.

The attention of the reader is called to an attractive little book lately published by that eminent Expert Physician, G. H. Bob-ertz, M.D. 252 Woodward Ave., Detroit, The attention of the reader is called to Mich. This book is one of genuine interest to every man and its plain and honest advice will certainly be of the greatest value to any one desirous of securing perfect health and vigor. A request for a free and sealed copy will be compiled with, if addressed as above and the Victoria, B.C., Times mentioned.

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is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session for an act to incorporate a company with power to construct, acquire, equip, operate and maintain a railway of efther standard or natrow gauge by either stems, electricity or any other motive power for the conveyance of passengers, freight and merchandise from a point at or near Pyramid Harbor on Chilcat Inles at the head of Lynn Canal in the Province of British Columbia, thence up the Chilcat river to Chilcat summit, thence in a northerly direction by the most feasible rother to a point at or near Five Finger rapids on the Lewis river, thence to a point at or near Fort Seikirk in the Northwest Territorles; and with power to construct, equinoperate and maintain branch lines, and in connection therewith and with the other objects of the company all necessary roads, elevators and warehouses, and to build, equip, charter, navigate, control, operate and maintain steam and other passenger, freight and ferry steamers and vessels upon the rivers, lakes and streams on or adjacent to the line of said railway or in connection therewith or with the other operations and works of the company, and to carry on a general express business, and with power to build, equip, operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines; and with power to huild, equip, operate and maintain telegraph and telephone lines; and with power to acquire and build and operate all kinds of plant for the purpose of compressing air or generating electricity for lighting, heating and motor purposes; and to utilize therefor the natural water power of the district; and to sell or otherwise dispose of the company; and to sell or other powers generated by the company's works and not required by the company's works and not required by the company's works and to the same or of the company; and to acquire lands, bonuses, privileges, or other aid from any government, municipality or other works. And with power to buy, sell, manufacture and dother arrangements and connecti

MAN, Solicitors for the Applicants.
Toronto, 1st December, 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session by the Central Canada Loan and Savings Company of Ontario for an act to enable the said company to carry on business anywhere in the Dominion of Canada and to consolidate, define and declare its liabilities, obligations and powers.

E. T. MALONE,

Solicitor for Applicants.

Dated at Toronto, Dec. 1st, 1897.

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TAKE NOTICE that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, on behalf of the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company, Limited, for an act conferring on the company the following powers, in addition to those now possessed by them: To purchase or otherwise acquire the whole or any of the property and rights possessed by any rallway company incorporated by a charter or charters from the Legislative Assembly of the Povince of British Columbia, and to parry tout and perform the works specified in such charter or charters, and to equip, work, maintain, improve and operate the said rallways, and to carry on the business of arriers by land or water, warehousemen and forwarding agents.

BODWELL, IRVING & DUFF, Solicitors for the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company, Limited.

18th Nov., 1897. dee9 8w A YOUNG MAN AND WIFE, strong and healthy, desirous of learning farming, would like to arrange with a farmer for board and small remuneration for a year; wife to act as housekeeper. References exchanged. Address W. M. 115 Mansfield street, Montreal, P. Q.

WANTED—Teacher for Sahtlam public school. One that can play the organ pre-ferred. Address, Arthur Robinson, Secre-tary School Board, Sahtlam, Duncan Station, B.C.

ANY PERSON wishing to send the Victoria-Klondike map and folder to their friends will please furnish a list of the names and addresses to F. Elworthy, Board of Trade Building, and they will be mailed free.

ANNUAL MEETINGS Of the B. C. Fruit Exchange Society, B. C. Fruit Growers' & Horticultural Society, and Dairymen's Association, will be held in City Hall, New Westminster, as follows:—The B. C. Fruit Exchange on Wednesday, the 19th inst.; the B. C. Fruit Growers, on Thursday, the 20th inst.; Dairymen's Association, Friday, the 21st.

Free return fares will be granted C.P.N. Co. on certificates of attendance signed by either of the Secretaries, being presented. The public is invited.

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The amount of the capital of the Company is £300,000, divided into 300,000 shares of £1 each.

The head office of the Company in the Province is situate at Bank of Montres Chambers, Victoria, and Albert Edward Molthillips, Solicitor, whose address Bank of Montreal Chambers, Victoria, the attorney for the Company.

Bank of Montreal Chambers, Victoria, is the attorney for the Company.

The objects for which the Company has been established are:—

(a.) To acquire the mines or claims known as the Silver Cup, Sunshine, and Towser, situate in Kootenay District, in the Province of British Counmbla, in the Dominion of Canada, and any mineral claim or claims adjoining the same or in the vicinity thereof, as to the Company may from time to time appear expedient:

(b.) To adopt and carry into effect, either with or witnout modincation, an agreement dated the 29th day of April, 1897, between the Lillooet, Fraser River and Carboo Gold Fields, Limited, of the first part: William Farrell and Thomas Duam of the second part; and Edgar Assheton Bennett, as Trustee for the Company, of the third part:

(c.) To develop, open, raise ore metals and minerals from and generaly work all or any of the mines, minerals, mining and mineral claims, lands and premises when acquired as aforesaid, and to crush, smell, calcine, refine, manipulate and prepare for market ore, metal and mineral substances of all kinds obtained from all or any of the same premises, and to carry on any other metallurgical operations which may of all kinds obtained from all or any of the same premises, and to carry on an other metallurgical operations which me seem conductve to any of the objects the Company; (d.) To construct, maintain, improv

work and control any roads, ways, tram ways, railways and other works and con work and control any roads, ways, tramways, railways and other works and conveniences which may seem conductive to any of the objects of the Company:

(e.) To carry on any other business which may seem to the company capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with the above objects or any of them, or calculated directly or indirectly to enhance the value, or to render profitable any of the Company's property or rights:

(f.) To purchase, take over, and carry on the whole or any part of the business, property or liabilities of any person or company carring on any business which the Company is authorised to carry on, or possessed of property suitable for the business of the Company:

(g.) To enter into any arrangement for sharing profits, union of interest, co-operation, joint adventure or otherwise with any person or company carrying on or engaged in, any business or transaction, or in the execution or management of any work or undertaking whatsoever which may appear to the Company conducive to the attainment of its objects or any of them, or otherwise for its benefit, so as directly or indirectly to benefit the Company; and to lend money, to garrantee the contracts of, or otherwise assist any such person or company, and to take or otherwise acquire shares and securities of any such company, and sell, hold, reissue, with or without guarantee, or otherwise deal with the same;

(h.) To purchase, take on lease, hire, or

(h.) To purchase, take on lease, hire, or in exchange, or otherwise acquire any real or personal property, and any rights or privileges which the Company may think necessary or convenient for the purpose of its business: its business;

(i.) To invest and deal with the moneys of the Company upon such securities, and in such manner, as may from time to time be determined, and in particular to invest or otherwise acquire and hold shares in any other company having objects altogether or in part similar to the objects of the Company, or carrying on any business capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit the Company.

(j.) To borrow, or raise, or secure, the payment of money in such manner as the Company may think, and in particular by the issue of debentures or debenture stock, perpetual or otherwise, charged upon all or any of the Company's property (both present and future), including its uncalled capital.

uncalled capital:

(k.) To draw, make, accept, indorse, discount, execute, and issue promissory notes, bills of exchange, warrants, debentures, and other negotiable instruments:

(1.) To sell, improve, manage, develop, exchange, lease, mortgage, dispose of, turn to account, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the propety and rights of the Company:

turn to account, or otherwise deal with all or any part of the propety and rights of the Company:

(m.) To do all or any of the above things, in all or in any part of the world, and either as principals, agents, trustees, contractors or otherwise, and by or through trustees; agents, sub-contractors or otherwise, either alone or in conjunction with others:

(n.) To procure the Company to be registered or recognized in British Columbia and elsewhere abroad, and to enter into arrangements with any governments or authorities that may seem conducive to the Company's objects or any of them, and to obtain from any government or authority any rights, privileges or concessions which the Company may think it desirable to obtain, and to carry out exercise and comply with any such arrangements, rights, privileges and concessions:

(o.) To amalgamate with any other Company having objects of the Company:

(p.) To remunerate by annual payments, or otherwise, any Company or person for services rendered, or to be rendered, or to be placed, for any period or purpose at the disposal of the Company, or for the use for any period or purpose of such other company's or person's offices, officers or property!

(q.) To do all such other things as are littledermed or conductive. company's or person's offices, officers or preperty (4.) To do all such other things as are incidental or conducive to the attainment of the above objects.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this third day of December, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven.

(L.S.) S. Y. WOOTTON, Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

NOTICE is hereby given that two months after date I intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described land situate in Cassiar district, viz: Commencing at a post planted at the northwest corner of E. M. Sullivan's pre-emption claim at south end of Bennet lake; thence south forty (40) chains; thence west forty (40) chains; thence north eighty (80) chains; thence east twenty (20) chains, more or less, to the shore of Bennet lake; thence following the lake shore in a southeasterly direction to the point of commencement, and comprising about three hundred (300) acres, more or less,

Bennet Lake, B. C., Nov. 4th, 1897. NOTICE is hereby given that 60 days after date the undersigned intends to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to pur-chase 160 acres of land situated on the South Arm of Teslin Lake and on the west side of the Arm or Slough thereof, commencing at the southeast corner post of C. E. Thomas' claim, thence south 40 chains along the west shore of the said Arm or Slough thereof, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains to C. E. Thomas' line, thence east 40 chains to point of commencement. JOHN ALEXANDER HINTON. Victoria, B.C., Oct. 16, 1897.

NOTICE is hereby given that sixty days after date we, the undersigned, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following unoccupied land situated on Sharp Point, Sidney Inlet, Clayoquot district, commencing at a post marked J. A. Drinkwater, Jas. B. Thompson, K. Peterson, J. W. Russell, S.E. corner post rumning forty chains north, thence forty chains west, thence forty chains south, thence forty chains east to point of commencement.

J. A. DRINKWATER.
JAS. B. THOMSON.
K. PETERSON.
J. W. RUSSELL.
Clayoquot, B. C., 20th Nov., 1897.

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London, Jan. 13.-3 Sykes was opened Chief Justice, Baron owen, in the Queen's the High Court of J Lawson Walton, Q. for the plaintiff, Mr. money lender, said recover the sum of £3 supposed to be signe Sir Tatton Sykes, wh Yorkshire baronet, acres of land. The cash lent, counsel con £10,000, the balance Lady Sykes admitted Sir Tatton denied t his, and alleged the Lady Sykes. The l that her husband sig Counsel then procee relations between hu the former encourage travagance, vet loth The wife, consequent in debt, and borrowe per cent, interest. At with her husband's speculated heavily change. When the

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