Offices 26 Broad Street SUBSCRIPTION RATES.

GROWING HOSTILITY TO THE BY-LAW.

be lost in effecting the necessary improvements to Victoria's water works carried out without money. Funds furnished him by the officers of the cannot be obtained without the sancquestion about the fact that an undercurrent of sentiment has arisen against this antagonism, the supporters of the by-law will probably say, are neither council. logical nor just. But the point of importance is that they exist. They cannot be removed by simply stating that they are founded upon an unreasonnicipal administration. If the preju- annihilation are subjects of discussion

but too apparent. The Mayor, who is the strongest ad- public men of practical minds. Prob- was, and his name will be remembered vocate of haste, claims the important ably there would have been no change when Britain has long sunk beneath thing is to set the wheels of the mu- but for the facts as to the situation in the waves which, with his cable and nicipal machinery in motion. That will other sections of the world receiving a compass, he now helps her to rule. give employment to a large number of great deal of attention from the press. men, attract labor from outside Scarcely a week has been permitted to in charge of John Morrison, and he intion is one of considerable delicacy, and
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cation from A. J. Brace: sources, and thus the process of build- pass of recent years without some au- tion is one of considerable delicacy, and and New Years have been generally the noint of view of a mayoralty can- of the industrious woodman, backed up make a point against Mr. Lemieux in at the Vesuvius school and an Engdidate appealing for the votes of a by the dollars of the shrewd speculator.

According to a circular of the Forest department of justice, accompanied by the matter. If he has bungled his lish Church Sunday school entertainment at the North Vesuvius school, government and the Marconi Company, Nevertheless it is but a species plea. Service approximately 50 billion board good time; and then it will be early the ground has been pretty well cov- in order to ascertain if there was any-It will not bear analysis at all. If the feet of timber were taken from the chough to show our disapproval. But the grad and young and old kept in amuse—thing in the terms of the license which most effective way of building up a forests of the United States in 1905 to we should be very sure of his failure ment. most effective way of building up a constraint of the forests of the United States in 1906 to be used for lumber, shingles, hewed in giving employment, regardless of the used for lumber, shingles, hewed in giving employment, regardless of the used for lumber, shingles, hewed in giving employment, regardless of the used for lumber, shingles, hewed in giving employment, regardless of the used for lumber, shingles, hewed in giving employment, regardless of the used for lumber, shingles, hewed in giving employment, regardless of the used for lumber, shingles, hewed in giving the form of literation in five this to say: To got the Marconi Company. Several changes with the forests of the United states in 1906 to be used for lumber, shingles, hewed in giving under the auspices of the Fifth would infringe the contract rights of the Marconi Company. Several changes with the form of being under the auspices of the Fifth would infringe the contract rights of the Marconi Company. Several changes with the form of being under the auspices of the Fifth would infringe the contract rights of the Marconi Company. Several changes with the form of liters to the flex this to say: To got the form of liters to the flex this to say: To got the Marconi Company. Several changes with the form of liters to the flex this to say: To got the form of liters to the flex this to say: To got the form of liters to the form of time the say: To got the form of liters to hold their annual entertainment on Friday eventually the form of liters to the flex this to say: To got the form of liters to hold their annual entertainment on Friday eventually to hold their annual entertainment on Friday eventually to hold their annual entertainment on form of liters to hold their annual entertainment on form of liters to hold their annual entertai an easy matter to create large cities.

The whole continent would to-day be probably more, were used for fuel, giving up our share in the Japanese probably more, were used for fuel, giving up our share in the Japanese class double-dissolving moving picture. The whole continent woult to-day be continent would to-day be studied with them. Because there is scarcely a growing municipality on this coast, and in other parts of the contenuent also, which has not tried that experiment, and is to-day suffering that the continent also, which has not tried that experiment, and is to-day suffering that the continent also, which has not tried that experiment, and is to-day suffering that the continent also, which has not tried that experiment, and is to-day suffering that the continent also, which has not tried that experiment, and is to-day suffering that the continent also, which has not tried that experiment, and is to-day suffering that the continent also, which has not tried that experiment, and is to-day suffering that continent also, which has not tried that experiment, and is to-day suffering that continent also, which has not tried that experiment are at the bottom of the dearth of employment for labor at the present time. In pursuance of such a transparently, fattous policy we might be received the money-lend of the money-lend all the municipal estheticism. Interest charges year in the United States. Now, using would have to be met and sinking 100 billion board feet of timber a year, funds accumulated against the day of how long will the forests last? The It is the contest between the gentlemen loan redemption. That would involve answer is given approximately. The of the bar that is of interest. With a increased taxation and augmented United States has between 500 million cost of living. For a time we might and 700 million acres of forest land, the one side and the state defraying all attract working men and there would doubtless be all external indications of tween 30 billion and 42 billion board would the ultimate effect be? Would year is taken from the forests a quanit not be such an increase in the cost tity of timber three times as great as of living that the foundations of the city's real and permanent prosperity The stumpage of forests is estimated be so great that industries would seek locations in which the conditions were more favorable. The climatic attractions of Victoria are so appealing that the conditions of Victoria are so appealing the conditions of Victoria are so ap conducting business enterprises would feet. Assuming a stumpage of 2,000 character. thousands of persons of by no means unlimited resources have been per- Dr. Morrison, the well-known corresuaded to settle here in the hope of spondent of the London Times at passing their days in comfort and leis- Peking, in writing of the anti-opium ure. It is possible to tax these people out of the city entirely. Would any of these possibilities be in the true interests of the working men to whom grateful recognition of British co-oper-Mayor Morley appears to have made ation in China's endeavors to suppress the traffic; accepting the proposals for up his mind to appeal exclusively?

If the water works improvement by- says, is regarded as evidence of the law should be endorsed, it must be endorsed for better reasons than those advanced by the Mayor. There are many such reasons, and they have been stated by other members of the city

backbone of the city's permanent pros-

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On the other hand, there are several objectionable features in the by-law, and they will operate very strongly against its endorsement upon election day. Have the ratepayers grasped what the expenditure of fifty thousand dollars upon meters would mean? The term of the loan is to extend over fifty years. The estimated life of a meter is ten years. Consequently meters must be renewed five times during the life of the loan, to say nothing whatever about the cost of repairs and reading.

FOREST ANNIHILATION. The value of forests and the problem

unexampled prosperity. But what feet of timber annually. Thus each would the ultimate effect be? Would rear is taken from the forcets a guar in taken from the forcets a guar in would be undermined? The cost of at from 1,400 billion to 2,000 billion board

would they be in the best interests of dian drug in proportion to the decrease the working classes who are the real of the production of native opium; and abandoning the increase of import duty on foreign opium. The document, he

Twice-a-Week Times We have always contended that Vic- good faith of the Chinese government. oria, owing to various circumstances He goes on to say that recent informawhich are quite obvious ought to be tion from consuls and missionaries the last city in the world to adopt a generally of a conflicting nature, but general system of metering. There is indicates that the effect of the Imperial nothing in the report of Mr. Adams edicts chiefly depends on local public Indians Near Vancouver Take but in their dail that modifies our views in this respect. opinion and on the personality of the He says that if we decide to retain Elk responsible officials. But he believes Lake as a source of water supply, sufficient water can be collected there to mands the support of a large section of neet the needs of a city of practically the people, and has already produced twice the present population of Vic- hopeful results. Wherever public sen-that there are thousands of services enforcing them, and therefore the most upon the Vancouver World recently which it would be the height of satisfactory feature of the movement and registered a complaint against the use them " economic folly to meter. Every water consists in the fact that the people, as chief. The deputation made the folworks official in the city knows that to distinct from the government, desire lowing statement: be true. And that knowledge is at the suppression of the traffic. China "Chief Joe is not Capilano, we don't the root of much of the opposition to last July, accepted in principle the want Joe to call himself the name, for the by-law. Mr. Adams in his report American proposals for an international he is not descended from Capilano. He takes no account of the peculiarity of conference to investigate the question is nothing to Capilano whatever. He

submitting a loan by-law at the same the special circumstances of the case Dissipations of Mechanical Energy": time as the municipal elections are to with which they deal. That is what The universe is not really a perpetual expert be left in the hands of a new and we are in deeper waters than ever. forgets, perhaps, how small a part of possibility of a re-birth; and it may dice, or whatever it may be called, is in all parts of the world at the present fairly be said, I believe, that, even strong enough the by-law will be de- time. Not so long ago very little store apart from the very urgent philosophifeated. Its defeat will involve a longer was set upon the timber resources of cal objections to ideas of beginning delay in beginning work than would British Columbia. They were treated and ending, physical science is now inhave been the case had wiser coun- by governments with as little fore- clined to question the main conclusions sels prevailed and allowances made for thought for the developments of the of this theory. Nevertheless, its author a public state of mind which is now future as though the question of con- was a giant indeed, a "modern Demoservation were beneath the notice of critus," the peer of any Greek that ever

Montreal Star: -- This Japanese ques-

suredly be over before the end of the year. The fate of Harry K, Thaw has the expenses on the other, why should Armada and other things of a national 20th

people of Western Canada are not worried at all about fuel supply. There is sufficient coal in British Co- i jumbia to serve our turn and the turn of all the western states besides. And, what is more, the people of the westtaken from the Washington mines as the electric light is superior to the penny dip of the fathers of the American republic. If the United States navy remains upon the Pacific Coast, the furnaces of the great Armada will have to be fed with British Columbia coal.

Two very large railway properties of the United States have lately fallen

ROBBERS' BIG HAUL.

Wrecked Safe in Bank and Escaped

Ottawa, Kansas, Jan. S.-Robbers by wrecked the safe in the Bank of ueremo at Queremo, Kas., near here, and escaped with between seven and

BANK RATE UNCHANGED.

London Jan. 9 .- The discount rate of changed to-day at 6 per cent.

TRIBESMEN COMPLAIN - AGAINST CHIEF JOE

Exception to the Power

He Exercises.

provements to Victoria's water works our circumstances. He simply gives of opium abolition, but no step has been tries to stand at the highest stand and but without money. Funds out without money. Funds furnished him by the officers of the city. His recommendations should not Speaking of the life work of Lord Indians are blindfolded by coming to tion of the ratepayers. In view of the be carried out to the letter. An effiurgency of the circumstances we canclent, intelligent and business-like thority says: It was also in 1852 that to refrain from expressing the opinion, body of men ought to apply Mr. Lord Kelvin read before the Royal Solord Kelvin read before the Royal Sowhich we expressed before, that it is

Adams's recommendations only to the unfortunate the council decided upon extent to which they are applicable to a Universal Tendency in Nature to the years by Bishop Durieu, but the three years were not up when the bishop took sick and died, so he wasn't taken be held. Because there can be no the ratepayers of Victoria look to the motion machine; it is running down, out of his position. So after the death council to do; and that expectation ac- and must come to an end, cold, motion- of the bishop he tried and tried every way to keep his position and get counts for the antagonism to the by- less, lifeless. Furthermore, this pre- ahead of all chiefs. In this he sucthe by-law—that there is a danger that law and for the demand that the execution of the recommendations of the when the machine was first wound up; what he is. Where Joe belongs is up and we are in deeper waters than ever.
But universal" is a very big word, and the Squamish river, and there is where he ought to stand as a head chief. The people ought to stop calling him Capi-Spencer could never agree with the doc- We would be all very glad to hear him trine of the dissipation of energy, at called his own name, if he has any at able prejudice against the existing mu- of saving timber wealth from practical any rate in the form which denied the all. It is just the same with the land, it don't belong to him."

AMUSEMENTS AT

Christmas and New Year's Day Passed in Pleasant Fashion by Inhabitants.

(Special Correspondence of the Times).

New York, Jan. S.-F. Augustus Hein important function? The American people evidently do not consider the proceedings a legal burlesque. They take them seriously—just as they do the draw the plea of not guilty when arraigned before Judge Chatfield in the United States court. Through his counsel, Heinze reserved the right to withdraw the plea of not guilty when arraigned before Judge Chatfield in the United States court. Through his counself with the plea of not guilty when arraigned before Judge Chatfield in the United States court. Through his counself with the process of th The bail bond of \$50,000, which Mr.

permitted to inspect the minutes of the grand jury which returned the indictments against his client, but withdrew it when it was learned no minutes had been kept.

Causes Catarrh

the United States have lately fallen into the hands of receivers. This hardly bears out the contention that the financial flurry is at an end.

Remember this—you don't TAKE Catarrhozone—it ISN'T a drug—it's a healing vapor, and consequently gets at the very kernel of the dis—none that the figures submitted by the Marconi Company.

Last fall all the wireless stations be-

the germs, heals the sores-stops the Results talk—and that's where Catar-

others relieve.

In Catarrh, irritable throat and bronchial trouble, your cure is invertible with Catarrhozone.

In Catarrh, irritable throat and bronchial trouble, your cure is invertible with Catarrhozone.

In Catarrh, irritable throat and company's attention was called to this matter and they have, I understand, replaced same. Large size for two months' use \$1; The longest balloon journey on record small (trial) size 25c., dealers, or N. C. is that of Comte de la Vaulx, in 1900, when Polson & Co., Hartford, Conn., U.S.A., he travelled from Paris to Russia, a dis and Kingston, Ont.

WHAT A CL Hanover, Ont .-

s, as good, and be suc is the hetter w example of the Rev. Mr. Brand, of Hanever, is one to be followed in every ous duties, incident to his parish, the LOCAL CLUBS MET reverend gentleman suffered severely with liver trouble accompanied with

Liver Trouble-and shall continue 'Fruit-a-tives' are made of fruit juices and valuable tonics-and form ment of Biliousness, Constipation Headache and all Stomach, Bowel, Kidnev and Skin Troubles. 50c. a box.

WIRELESS SERVICE OF THE GOVERNMENT

of Past Year in the Department.

Cecil Doutre, superintendent of government wireless stations, in his report to the marine and fisheries department covering the work of last year, says: It was decided, during the past year, ent:
Y. M. C. A.—A. J. Brace. to take over the absolute control of the wirelss service on board government vessels. Heretofore, this service had time and space we share. Herbert ask him his own name, and go by it. been performed by the Marconi Company. The operators, being in the employ of the Marconi Company, did not consider themselves amenable to ship discipline. This interfered, to a very large extent, with the giving of a satisfactory service. Furthermore, the apparatus on board the ships was in a SALT SPRING ISLAND est unsatisfactory condition, due to the fact that the department had no control ver same. The service was taken over in March 1st, 1907. All the different vireless equipments on board of these ressels have been completely overhauled and put into first class condition During the past year, the Act governng wireless telegraphy, part 4, chapter R. S. C., 1906, was put into effect, and licenses were prepared in accordance with said Act. Seven licenses have been issued to the Marconi Com-Company, that the form of license adopted infringes their contract rights. A form of license was submitted to the department of justice, accompanied by department of justice, accompanied by cation from A. J. Brace.

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 26, 1907.

A. J. Brace, Esq., Y. M. C. A., Victoria, B. C.:

Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 26, 1907.

Kerchin, Jasper, Brown, Morris, Clegg, Kerchin, Jasper, Brown, Morris, Clegg, Martin, Change, Company, Company

known as the Shoemaker system and, when completed, these stations will be, club is a member of any of the aforeundoubtedly, the most up-to-date and unions, you will not require mentioned unions, you will not require Leod, J. Dukes, C. Caldwell, G. Bert-

Bank President Enters Plea of Not Guilty to Charge of Over-Certifying Cheques.

Undoubtedly, the most up-to-date and complete wireless stations on this continent. As these stations are to be used as an aid to navigation and as there are several boats calling at Britused as an aid to navigation and as the second of the seco ish Columbia ports, such as Victoria and Vancouver, equipped with the Massie system, it was impossible for this being done for Wilkinson, J. Lanigan, V. Lauderback, which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for Wilkinson, J. Lanigan, V. Lauderback, which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for Wilkinson, J. Lanigan, V. Lauderback, which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that is being done for which is the only athletic bookkeeping that department to install any system of amateur sport. vireless apparatus on the west coast which could not be used to communicate with vessels irrespective of the system used by them.

change from the Marconi to another system will not be out of place. As above stated, owing to the nature of these stations it was absolutely essentiations it was absolutely essentiated. these stations, it was absolutely essential that they should be available for intercommunication with any vessels or munication has never been accepted by the Marconi Company, this reason alone would justify the department in taking the stand it did. Apart from the above reasons, a very close study was made of the comparative cost of mainmade of the comparative cost of maintaining wireless apparatus of different strongly advocated the move outlined But the worst of it is this—

Not only your throat but nose, pronchial tubes and lungs are sore, large difference in favor of the system.

Itaning wireless apparatus of different make. These costs were obtained from the circular. He referred to the way in which baseball in this city had been killed by professionalism while figures submitted, there was such a figures submitted, there was such a field and track athletics had become onchial tubes and lungs. are sore, large difference in favor of the system adopted, i.e., Shoemaker, that other The germ is spreading—it's gaining a things being equal, the department was stronger hold every day. stronger hold every day.

Destroy it with "Catarrhozone," the tem. The system adopted is unquesgreatest healer and antiseptic ever tionably more up-to-date and better No case of Catarrh it won't relieve say nothing of the fact that the original than that in use in the gulf stations, to

Last fall all the wireless stations belonging to the government were visited A direct treatment—one that kills and found to be in a fairly satisfactory erms, heals the sores—stops the condition. Some of the apparatus in-cuts out the phlegm—such is stalled in some of the stations was of a very crude nature, which, in my opin-ion, should have been replaced by more nozone wins out-it does cure-the up-to-date apparatus. The Marconi

AND DISCUSSED IT

ves very much, as I am troubled with Favorable Resolution Passed Last Night—Other News of Sport.

> clubs of the city held last night in the can go. From my own standpoin J. B. A. A. club rooms, it was unani- do not want to vouchsafe any or J. B. A. A. club rooms, it was unant-mously decided to form a local amateur that the youth from Canada w athletic association for the purpose of make me run. I understood controlling amateur sport in this city. Longboat has been or will be The new association will have power clared a professional. I would like to affiliate with the C. A. A. U. which vill in all probability be done as soon | mile to fifty. as the association is formed. An organization meeting has been called for lieve that the performance of G January 15th at which a committee of Haskins, of the University of Pen five which was appointed last night, sylvania, was the most promis will recommend a constitution and by-laws. The committee consists of Lieut. formance in the intercollegiate mil laws. The committee consists of Lieut. formance in the intercollegiate mile. A. J. Brace, D. J. Sullivan, Lieut. run, which he won in 4 minutes 20 3-3 Stern, L. Tait, and R. Hitchcock. H. Dallas Helmcken, K. C., president

> of the J. B. A. A., presided and the he captured the half-mile run in following other delegates were pres- minute 57 4-5 seconds.

Fifth Regiment Sports Club-J. Law-

Victoria City and District Basketball yards is 48 4-5 seconds; but when you League-B. Hitchcock and V. W. Stewart.

A. Montieth. James Bay Athletic Association-D.

J. O'Sullivan and W. Andrews. Mr. Helmcken outlined the objects of the proposed new association as set out in the circular letter sent out by These were: 1. Establish and maintain a uniform

test of amateur standing. 2. Make rules for the government of all sport within its jurisdiction. 3. Institute, regulate and award all

the various clubs composing the asso- Ladysmith Intermediates at Ladysmith ciation.

toria, B. C.:

Kerchin, Jasper, Brown, Morris, Clegg,
In reply to your letter of the 22nd Struthers, Thackray, Johnson, Marien, In reply to your letter of the 22nd inst., regarding a sanction for an athletic meet which you anticipate holding under the auspices of the Fifth regiment, I have this to say: To give Strutners, Inackray, Johnson, Machan, Young, Malbon, Millar, Newlands, F. Kroeger, and Harper. The intermediates as follows are also asked to turn out: Spencer, Carne, Wilson, there are few registered athletes in players under 21 years of age your district, and that the Fifth regi-ment is not now affiliated with an for a good hard practice. J. G. Brown

I trust that this will answer your and E. Menghini. letter and be satisfactory to you, and

As all the government stations on the east coast are equipped with the Marconi system, I think a statement of the reasons which led this department to change from the Marconi to another I wish you every success in the car-GEO. A. SMITH

Mr. Brace said he was very anxious tations, irrespective of the system adaffected their meet which was to be practically non-existent. Several others took part in the dis

cussion and then the following resolution was unanimously passed: "In the opinion of this meeting, it is desirable in the interest of amateur sport to organize the Victoria Amateur

Athletic Association to be confined city clubs, with power to affiliate with the Canadian Amateur Athelu

ATHLETICS. ALFRED SHRUBB'S OPINION

At last Alfred Shrubb has con menced to talk rationally about T Longboat. Asked by a New Y paper what he considered the grest running feat of the year, he s "In my estimation the performa of the Canadian Indian. Tom I boat, on April 19th last at Bo was the most remarkable feat I is ever heard of. Personally I did see the race, but from all laws average the Indian's time for two five miles over the road appear be a superhuman effort. Just twenty-five miles over muddy in 2 hours 24 minutes and 2 4-5 At a meeting of the principal athletic onds. That is faster than

"Coming to the amateurs, I be seconds, and after resting with hi running togs on for less than an hour

"I have not seen Taylor, the negro runner of the University of Pennsy vania, run the quarter, but I under stand that his best time for the 440 consider that there are Englishmen that have done as well on a tur Victoria West Athletic Association— track and that Maxey Long vanquish ed the best amateurs we had at the distance and established a world's record of 47 seconds flat, where are e runners at? Garrell's time in the was wonderful, but inconsequential.

> ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL. Y. M. C. A. PREPARING.

The Y. M. C. A. senior and intermediate teams will have practice games at Beacon Hill next Saturday in preparation for their first games in the Island League on the 18th. The amateur championships in the district, and
4. To protect the mutual interests of
4. To protect the mutual interests of The following letter was then read in charge of John Morrison, and he in-

C. Lauderback, C. Delcourt, W. Wright

The French chamber has adopted a viding half a pint of wine daily to every

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WEEKLY WEATHER SYN Victoria Meteorol

The weather during this wee the most part overcast, mild a These conditions were caused sage of a number of storm Pacific across this prov prairie provinces. Heavy gales reported upon several days, as ly along the coast of this pr y along the coast of this p he adjoining states. At No wind velocity reached 60 miles the 1st, and 76 miles during t 4th. At the centre of the 1 which was north of Port Si-barometer fell to 28.80 inches. the 5th, considerable damage to the Fraser river dykes due high tides and a south The weather over the nor

of this province was abnor both on the coast and in the isame may be said in the Ko The passage of these ocean The passage of these ocean's eastward has caused a large of mild weather in the prairie and particularly in Alberta, with exception of zero temperatist and 2nd, no great cold has Victoria—Total amount of baline recorded was 7 hours a single 77 inch, highest te 19.1 on 6th; lowest, 35.9 on 1s

Vancouver—Rain, 3.76 inch-temperature, 48 on 5th; lowes New Westminster—Kain, highest temperature, 48 on Kamloops-Snow, 1.20 inc temperature, 48 on 5th; lowest, Barkerville—Snow, 3.40 inch temperature, 34 on 5th; lowes and 7th.

Local Ne

(From Tuesday's Dai

In the list of lawyers ad practice in British Columbi lished in the Times yeste name of C. S. Lyon was ina mitted Mr. Lyon was swe the other candidates.

-A public meeting will h the school house at Oak Bay for the purpose of discussing questions. The public accou year will then be presente councillors will give an actheir stewardship. The me mence at 8 o'clock.

-Alderman Hanna has def contest and will also retire council. He will be missed at cil board, where his dry hur to make the technical work by-law committee interesti ____

-Victoria Lodge, A. O. U hold its first meeting of the morrow evening. A good t the members is expected, as ments will be made at the m the installation of the office Victoria lodges by the G. Friday evening.

-The officers of the League elected for the ensurer as follows: President. W. vice-president, W. Hill; finance tary. R. Bittancourt: treasur Evoy; recording secretary, F inspector, J. Randolph; cha McClusky; inside guard, J. To Jewell and R. Livingston wer ed trustees, and Walter Hall Lawrie delegates to the tra labor council.

was demoralized on Sunday storm. Ever since the city fire department electricians working almost incessantly chain of bells connected. oreaks were discovered yest it is now apparent that near wiring throughout the ent ever. It is anticipated that cation will be restored by

-Henry Miller will prese lege play "Brown of Harva Victoria theatre on Friday. from the pen of Rida John who also wrote "Glorious ! "The Boys of Company B," and interesting college atm s an admirable portrayal graduates' life at Harvard een here-sensational boat nd all-exactly as it was p the Princess theatre in Ne at the Garrick theatre in over three hundred nights.

-In the police court this Baron Von Gussendorf wa with obtaining credit on fals from the Poodle Dog cafe. respectable looking middle dium-sized German, has, ac statements made to the p ing establishments without way, the Poodle Dog bein of these. He says he exp from Germany and his cas manded until Saturday in him an opportunity to mak the meantime he is being city lock-up.

The boiler inspection de provincial government asked to consider a slight the service to provide for the service to provide for the service to provide for the notal low pressure grave systems. The change is being the local branch of the Brit bia Association of Statt gineers, but it is opposed be represented by Leek & Co. represented by Leek & Co turers of heating appliance turers of heating appliances has heard representations on the question, and now ter under advisen

-The firm of Morris & Le general and tropical fruit opened its office and wareh Yates street, in the buliding occupied by Pither & Leise embarked in a general jobbi John W. Morris is a Vic well known among local having spent twelve years fruit business. His partne hugh Lee, is also well k oth are prominently con the Mexican Pacific Compa firm has arranged to hand