10c. The latest

Black Watch

Dr. Shoop's

Three Splendid

Waltzes:

LANGUAGE OF FLOWERS

RESPONSE TO AMOUREUSE

Rudolphe Berger.

GOLDEN SUNSET

Hear them played at

NOTICE

MANTELS, FULL SETS OF ANTIQUE FIRE IRONS AND FENDERS

NO DISTRESS EXISTS

The telegram reads as follows:

The big

black plug

chewing tobacco.

PROVINCE EVER KNEW

Returns From Timber During Present Fiscal Year Great-

ly Exceed Former Years

(From Friday's Daily)

The receipts from timber for the nonth of December last were the argest for any one month in the his-

tory of the province. From all sources connected with timber, the province received \$234,451.07, making the figure

received \$234,451.07, making the figure for the first six months of the present fiscal year \$958,125.63, an increase of \$399,794.38 over the receipts for the same period of the fiscal year of 1907. The receipts for December were nearly \$100,000 more than the receipts during the heavlest month of the fiscal year preceing, which was May last, when from timber the province realized \$140,060.35. Each of the last four months have surpassed that total the

RECEIPTS HEAVIEST

Tuesday, January

PEERLESS

Poultry-raising, the Peerless way, is ideal work for women-and it will pay. It can be proved to you before you start that it will pay, and pay well, for just as much or as little time (within limits) as you are able to give to it. You don't need much land to start with - nor much capital (none so far as getting the outfit goes)-nor much of anything except ambition and common sense.

LEE-HODGINS Suppose you write any-CO., Limited way, and see just Pembroke, On Please send me what there is in the details of your Peerless no-cash-down all this. That

The No. 2 (120-Egg Size) 1908 Peerless Guaranteed

For Better Chicks-And More of The

organized Association Unionist Motoring where he

cheon by residence, he crosse he was the guest of Lor For the evening i was fitted up as a hall a lavishly decorated with fl of the party leaders in lar of the building being com 000 people were crowded ence was a thoroughly rep all parts of Devon and Co Balfour was given an ent Mount-Edgcumbe presided platform by Lord Clinton, borough, Lady Ernestine may, M.P.; Sir John Kenn son, Lady Mount-Edgcum P.; Sir R. Newman, the H Lord Clifford, Sir Joseph Lawrence, Lord Morley, S Lawrence, Lord Morley, and Sir R. White-Thoms

The chairman, in his int object of the gathering we the two counties round the they believed, represented ism

Mr. Balfour, who was said:—Lord Mount-Edgcur Gentlemen,—Surely no maing which you have given faces, all animated by one further one great cause, cionist party is now a divident the control of the contr

I propose to deal with and I should like to mak art of misgovernment. (L ministration have escape (Hear.) They came in up the value of which I do n now, but, naturally enoug porarily submerged the cr tion of the community. surface by this time (lau

OAK BAY RATEPAYERS

Gathering Will Be Held in Foul Bay School-Municipalities Finances

(From Friday's Daily) (From Friday's Daily)

Tonight in the Foul Bay Road school house a mass meeting of the electors of the municipality of Oak Bay will be held to hear the discussion of the past year's work in council by the members of that body. W. C. Oliver, reeve, will preside and all the councillors will be present. The financial statement for the year will be presented by J. S. Floyd, the clerk of the municipality. It is as follows: Catarrh

To prove unquestionably, and beyond any doubt, that Catarrh of the nose and throat can be cured, I am furnishing patients through druggists, small ree Trial Boxes of Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure. Ido this because I am so certain, that Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure will bring actual substantial help. Nothing certainly, is so convincing as a physical test of any article of real, genuine merit. But that article must possess true merit, else the test will ondemn, rather than advance it. Dr. Shoop's Catarrh Cure is a snow white, healing antiseptic balm, put up in beautiful nickel capped glass jars at 60c. Such soothing agents as Oil Eucalyptus, Thymol, Menthol, etc., are incorporated into a velvety, cream like Petrolatum, imported by Dr. Shoop from Europe. If Catarrh of the nose and throat has extended to the stomach, then by all means also use internally, Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Stomach distrees, a lack of general strength, bloating, belching, biliousness, bad taste, etc. aurely call for Dr. Shoop's Restorative. For uncomplicated catarrh only of the nose and throat has call for Dr. Shoop's Restorative.

Catarrh Cure LIABILITIES.

> Bal., i. e., assets over liabili-.....\$ 5,277.64 Revenue and Expenditure.

FLETCHER BROS.

RAYMOND&SONS Wish to inform their numerous patrons that they have in stock a full line of SATIN FINISH ENGLISH ENAMEL AND AMERICAN ONYX TILES The latest old and new styles in

A Telegram From Hazelton Denies Rumor Now in Circu-

Reports which have been sent out from Victoria to the effect that great distress from shortage of food supplies exists in the Bulkeley Valley, are proved to be entirely false by a telegram received by Hon. R. G. Tatlow, in reply to a message sent to the government agent at Hazelton, F. X. Valleau.

The telegram reads as follows:
"No truth whatever in report. Some supplies little short. No danger of distress of any kind."
The original report alleged that owing to the disasters on the Skeena, insufficient supplies had been brought into the interior prior to the close of navigation, and that extreme distress had resulted. The report has been widely circulated in the East, and is of a character to injure the province. TIDE TABLE Sewer, Mt. Baker and Newport avenues \$2,687,07 Sewer, Oak Bay ave. 1,952,94 Septic tank, blk. "A." see. 23 1,674.55 Transit and Island roads. (construction) 2,768.33 \$ 2,774.76 The height is measured from the level of the lower low water at spring tides. This level corresponds with the datum to which the soundings on the admiralty chart of Victoria harbor are referred, as closely as can now be ascertained.

Victoria, B. C., January, 1908. Date|Time Ht|Time Ht|Time Ht Surface drain, Oak Bay ave. 2,523-58 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 12,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,105-69 | 11,

MEETING IS TONIGHT

rates of any kind to the amount of \$2 Scaling Fees...
during the past year, thus abolishing the special privilege which last year the fair sex enjoyed, but which is denied to the men.

* 2,126.05 FIRST VISIT SOUTH

EXPENDITURE.

Total expenditure \$ 2,017.02

Like the Men, Those Who Do Not Pay Any Taxes Cannot Vote This Year

STRUCK OFF THE LIST

WOMEN'S NAMES ARE

\$ 1,340.25

(From Friday's Daily)

Mining generally is good and fair until after the opening.

While it is hoped the hotel will be

IS EXCITING AFFAIR

Capt. Shadforth Fired Twice at Chinese Who Charged Bridge But Revolver Missed Fire

Pin-Money For You, Madam! Money you can make easily---at work you'll really enjoy, and you don't put up cash to start with, either---

Write our Manager to-day, and learn how ANY woman can start in the business that pays best for the work that's put into it-

Yes, poultry-raising! But poultry-raising with the right outfit, in the right way, under the right advice, and with a cash buyer found for every poultry product you want to sell.

Poultry-raising! But poultry-raising in the new common sense way, with the risk pretty much all left out and the fascination doubled. Poultry-raising the Peerless way. And that's a way

that makes it the business for any woman who wants

business when you deal with the Peerless concern.

You don't have to put up a cent of cash. You can

get the outfit on terms that will compel it to earn its

whole cost long before you have to pay for any part

of it. You get a guarantee of just what to count on

from the outfit. And you have an assurance, plain

and straight, that we will find you a cash buyer who

will pay top prices for any poultry or eggs you want

to sell. Not much risk for you in that, is there?—
especially when you consider that our Bureau of
Advice will help you, freely, over any difficulties you

Just use the Coupon-Send it to

The Lee-Hodgins Co. Limited

316 Pembroke St., Pembroke, Ont.

to add a little to her purse's health—the business for the woman who wants pin-money, just as it is for the woman or the man who wants bread-and-butter-Write and learn how easy it is to get a start in this

Jean department of the last contribute to the city's exchequer during the past year.

Another lady, Mrs. Nobel, also appeared and claimed the right to vote on the ground that she had been paid was in all appeared that the house in respect of which the rate had been paid was in her-husband's name, and that such rates as she had paid had been made out in her name, and for the sum of one dollar only. Mrs. Nobel was highly indignant, and so expressed herself, not appearedly, being aware that men who do not contribute to the city's exchequer are also debarred from the franchise.

7,500.00

1,107.23

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\$32,684.58

The following table shows the revenue from timber for the first six months of the last and the present fiscal years:

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1209. 459 of the names which had been advertised as about to be struck off the last four months have surpassed that total, the heaviest prior to December being November, when the provincial treasury was enriched by \$191,883.01.

As usual, the heaviest source were the fees from timber from that source was \$224,871.

The following table shows the revenue from timber deferent sources of revenue from timber for the past two months:

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1906-1907. 1907-1908.

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cordance with the decision of the magistrate in the test case taken the Timber licenses. \$155,289.66 \$224,871.00 other day, and include only those of Timber Royalty. 25,127.40 5,015.02 ladles who have not paid city taxes or Cordwood R'lty. 206.31 84.00 rates of any kind to the amount of \$2 Scaling Fees.... 1,607.99 1,863.15 84.00 1,863.15 2.039.90 80.00

IN EIGHTEEN YEARS ATLANTIC RATES LOWERED

White Star Line Makes Reduction Because of Traffic Deflected

Liverpool, Jan. 9.-The White Star line today announces a reduction in its second and third class passenger rates from English ports to New York

Extraordinary 5.0. sold at 17.785.05
Debettures (5 pc) sold at 7.500.06
Debettures (5 spection and will remain in the city

Mining generally is good and fair will be 236.32 201.00 350.98 492.86 78.50 Though this is his first visit to Victoria, Mr. Grahame has a good knowledge of conditions here. He has been a subscriber for the Colonist for the past ten years.

While it is hoped the hotel will be opened January 20, such is not entirely assured, though no effort will be spared to accomplish that end, Mr. Reed states that he found everything in concetion with the new hotel in first-class shape. The Empress, while not costing as much as some of the famous hostleries of the East, will as a variance with the past ten years.

Home Government

Home Government ate the opening of the Empress, Mr.
Reed was unable to state until it was known definitely when the hotel would

The letter from London, dated De-

COMPANY WILL APPLY 100% FOR INCORPORATION

To Supply Light, Heat and Power to Town of Al-

might encounter.

Alberni is to have a light, heat and power company if the bill projected is passed by the legislature at its ap-

not costing as much as some of the famous hostleries of the East, will assuredly be superior to the majority by reason of its distinctly homelike air. One will lose the sense of being in an hotel, and to tourists seeking recreation and rest this feature will be one of the most important of all. Just what ceremony will commemorate the opening of the Empress Mr.

Attention Inviters

For Fast or Feast

DODS CROSS EXPANSION

PACKING

the edges of the duck to the wearing and bearing surfaces on all sides.

"Dods" is the only Packing yet devised which is serviceable, and perfectly satisfactory, for use with, low or high pressure steam, hot or cold water, hot or cold air, and in ammonia pumps.

THE HICKMAN-TYE HARDWARE CO., Ltd.

Victoria, B. C., Agents, 544-546 Yates St.

Fine Haddie, per lb121/20 Smoked Salmon, per lb...25c Smoked Halibut, per lb...15c Scotch Cured Kippers, 2 Bloaters, 2 lbs. for25c

Whole Codfish, per lb....10c

Salmon-bellies, per lb....150 Mackerel, each 25 and ... 40c Oolichans, 2 lbs for20c Block Codfish, each 20c Holland Herrings, each .. 5c Labrador Herrings, per dozen50c

New Laid Eggs, per dozen50c

DIXI H. ROSS & CO.

Up-to-Date Grocers

1316 Government St.

Hazelton and Bulkley Valley

Prospectors and intending settlers can be fully equipped at R. S. Sargent's General Store at Hazelton. All prospectors' groceries packed in cotton sacks. Small pack train in connection with business.

R. S. Sargent, - Hazelton, B. C.

Fourteen years in Business at Hazelton PORT PATRICK MOVES

TO THE OUTER WHARF

Will Go Alongside This Morning Discharge Cargo of Wheat and Will Dock

(From Friday's Daily) The British ship Port Patrick, Capt. Santy, which put in here in distress after colliding with the Columbia river lightship, No. 50, will be brought to the outer wharf this morning to discharge her cargo of 2,690 tons of wheat laden at Portland for Queenstown for orders, and will be hauled out on the marine ways at Esquimalt to be repaired. A survey was held yesterday, a diver going down to examine the ship's hull to ascertain the amount of damage done by grounding on a shoal near Gray's Harbor the morning following her collision with the lightship.

T. G. Mitchell, Lloyd's surveyor, and Capt. J. G. Cox, Lloyd's agent, made an inspection of the vessel, and arranged for the unloading of her cargo and the doeking of the ship. A more Santy, which put in here in distress

thorough survey will be held after the vessel is hauled out, and specifications will then be drawn up for the necessary repairs, for which tenders will be invited.

It is probable that the wheat cargo, the first to be landed at this port, will be sold. It was loaded by the Portland Flouring Mills company.

The repairs to the Indravelli, made by the British Columbia Marine Railway company. by the British Columbia Marine Railway company in good time, are almost completed, and it is expected the steamer will leave the dock shortly. She will be followed by the cable repair steamer Restorer, of the Commercial Cable company, which came from Honolulu to be overhauled at this port.



I believe that, as a matte any longer be brought ag read aright the signs of th a growing conviction, but ready grown, on the subj which is no longer, or in a be, as I am well convinc any section of the party, any section of the party, mating motive, a deep-roconviction which, inspirin ers, is predestined to make the memorable in the (Cheers.) Now, I do not a quite unfitting, for reason in a moment—I do not put this ancient, but now closed question. I believe cal question. I believe thinking members of the tem 60 years old, brough the industrial relations of tries were wholly different a system brought into be lustrial self-governing c of one great empire—a sy of the deliberate, settled, foreign governments to to nate and illegitimate, w mercial interests of their at the expense of our cou brought into being under erly different from thos even in the opinion of the which in the year 1907 (Cheers.) I believe we a mous on that point. (Ch hor it I do not mean-to learned from the great n Unionists at Birminghan in every part, of the U in every part, of the on who share our general vi imity because without un causes committed to our faithfully or adequately out unanimity we are help are helpless as fiscal re helpless as critics of a Government ever required with. (Laughter and che

prospect of devastation w (Laughter.) Let me fit upon one great department istration which touches, nearly the life, the ordinate nearly the life, the ordina section of the communit hear)—I mean the admir department. (Hear.) I am moment the abortive Bill the present Government, through the House of Cofavor from critics even of the House which was an the House, which was an direction of liberty of con did not meet with the far cares nothing for liberty was thereupon thrown out (cheers), in the utterly me mant country would shout 80 years ago for "the Bill," but the Bill" (laughter), b received either in content plause the action of the was to be filled up by thi formance of the present I am not going into the l am not going into the (laughter), nor am I goin as to the Bill that we hew Minister for Education berhaps, be permitted to contact the contact that the conta crepancy—shall I say of I noticed in some of his r speech in July, for ex (laughter), in which he country that he would regret the course they he predecessor's Education B brought forward a peace solution had been rejected and that now he was goi to deal with the recalcitra very much frightened at cheers.) I am less than ev and cheers), because I ob cont utterance, an utterand and borough municipal e Kenna said that it was Government to hold out and such would continue was a remarkable chans vember 28. (Laughter.) operation had turned Mr ploughshare I do not kn know what substituted the

rhich only a few months decorous to utter against of the Constitution, but l

of the Constitution, but I fain to see that the treats of the education question has been grossly misreproper ment, but, on the other has ly, as far as secular educates of the cessful attempt to but no and satisfactory basis. The