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# Royal Baking Powder

## ABSOLUTELY PURE

FROM THE DAILY COLONIST, September 28.

## MILKMEN MEET.

They Think City and Country Dairy-men Should Be Treated Alike.

Object to a Tax But Not to Inspection and Registration.

In response to an advertisement inviting milkmen of the city and district to discuss the proposed milk law now before the city council, some forty of those interested met at Temperance hall last night to talk the matter over.

Mr. J. B. Chandler having been voted to the chair, and Mr. Chas. King appointed secretary, the chairman asked someone to start the ball rolling.

This was done by Mr. Geo. McKee, who expressed himself as opposed to the proposition in the new law to tax outside dairy-men and allow those who resided in the city to go free. If a tax was imposed at all there should be no distinction. The dairymen in the country were at a heavy expense compared to people who kept a cow or two in town, and it was not right to give the latter an advantage over the former.

Mr. A. J. W. Gibbes, a stranger to the meeting, but who said he had been largely interested in dairying in California, said the dairymen in that state had had just the same trouble. An inspector for milk was very necessary, but as the public benefited by it the public should pay for it. Milk should be inspected, however, and every seller should be required to register.

Ald. Cameron, in answer to the chair, stated that he objected to a license being imposed, but believed in registration and milk inspection. However, if the council decided to put a license on milk vendors, he believed in those living inside and outside the city being treated alike.

Ald. Macmillan expressed similar views, declaring himself to be opposed to a license at all, though he believed in having such regulations as would ensure good milk being supplied in the city.

Mr. George McKee questioned whether an inspector would be able to keep his eye on the people who owned a cow or two in town and sold to their neighbors. If, how-  
ever, every one who sold milk was obliged to register this difficulty might be got over.

The chairman was of opinion that to charge a license only on dairymen who lived outside was not right. If the council wanted to tax someone, it was the milk vendors and the men who lived in the city, but not the dairymen in the country. Then the city would get rid of the cow-boys in the city and make the cow keepers get out into the country where they should be. (Laughter and applause.)

Why should they, in these days, go back to the old system of putting a toll on country people coming into the city?

Watson Clark wanted to know why the city pitched on milk only to inspect? There were other things that needed it more. For instance, much of the butter that was sent here for sale was not fit for consumption.

Ald. Bragg being requested to speak, said he was there as a listener only. He was opposed to a tax on milkmen.

Robert McMillan asked all milkmen taxed alike, if there had to be a tax, though for his part he did not believe in the license.

Ald. Partridge, on being asked for his views, remarked that the matter had not yet come before the council for discussion. He was not fully conversant with the by-law, but would not cast a vote without first ascertaining the views of those directly interested.

Finally a resolution was passed appointing the chairman, and Messrs. Chas. King, Geo. McKee and Jas. Donagan a committee to wait on the city council and express the milkmen's views, and also to see Ald. Williams in regard to the by-law.

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The Arion club intend to give their opening concert of the season on November 8 at Institute hall.

The City Engineer has given notice that Menzies street between Superior and Simcoe streets is closed to public traffic.

A MEETING is to be held at Colquhitt hall next Thursday evening with a view to discussing the advisability of starting a creamery somewhere in the district.

THE provincial police are offering a reward of \$100 for information as to the present whereabouts of Mr. Samuel Rickets, who was last seen on Prospect Lake road on the 11th inst.

Tenharvest festival services at St. Saviour's church, Victoria West, will be held on Friday evening next, Rev. J. W. Flinton, rector of St. Luke's, preaching the sermon. The pretty little church will be appropriately decorated for the occasion.

A SPECIAL meeting of the British Columbia Agricultural and Industrial Association is to be held on Monday evening, for the purpose of closing up affairs in connection with last week's exhibition. Entries for the Royal City show and fair, to be held from October 5 to 12, are now being received by Messrs. Fieldman, Goward & Co., of 16 Truncheon avenue.

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Only one sealer arrived from the Northern Pacific grounds yesterday and she was the schooner Arion. Another, however, was reported late last night as being up the Straits in tow. The Arion left the Copper Islands a month ago and brings home a catch of 1,106 skins. This number is smaller than what was expected early in the season. In an incident of the cruise brought ill-luck to the schooner. The water supply gave out prematurely and an inspection of the tanks holding it showed that they had been tampered with. This happened when the sealer was doing her best work of the season. She was obliged to give up operations and run to Yokohama for a new supply. While in port she exchanged coals, as the blame of the trouble was laid on one of them who was believed to have got home.

This afternoon the skins of the seized seal E. B. Marvin, 367 in number, will be landed and be packed with others belonging to the owner in readiness for shipment to the London market. According to the order of Admiral Stephenson the skins were to be sold, but yesterday they were bonded at their present marketable valuation and the necessary formalities were entered into for their release from the custody of the customs.

The steamship Chittagong, the pioneer vessel of the new O. R. & N. line, will be here from Portland on Sunday evening, and will sail for the Orient the next day. Contrary to the arrangements of her first trip, the vessel will not return to Portland, Victoria being the last port of call. She will discharge and receive cargo and will also call here. The freight to be landed here amounts to 165 tons, and includes consignments for the Sound and other cities.

The steamship W. V. Hall, which is due from San Francisco to-morrow evening, will be followed by the Canadian Pacific, Dr. Bingham, H. E. McFeely, A. M. Kellogg, C. C. Bruhl, M. C. Bruhl, J. D. Angerfeldt, J. C. McLehlan, W. A. Ben-son, Mrs. E. Johnson, T. H. Matthews, Mrs. J. Ridout, Miss T. Ridout, C. W. Tolson and wife.

The steamship Straits of Sundra, which is under charter to load lumber on the Sound, Orient, is expected to arrive to-day. She is coming in ballast to enter the Esquimaux drydock for cleaning and painting.

## GENERAL HERBERT'S GOODBYE.

The following valedictory of Major-General Herbert, C.B., C.M.G., dated the 1st of August, 1895, on his retirement from the command of the Canadian Militia, is published for general information, in the last Militia General Orders:

Before assuming the command of the Canadian forces, I have the honor to express my sincere thanks to the General Commanding for the past five years, for the opportunity of co-operation in his efforts to render those forces more efficient and powerful factor for the defence of Her Majesty's Empire.

During this period he has been encouraged by seeing Canada assume her share of the burden necessary to secure the inviolability of her Pacific coast, and by the excellent cooperation of the militia units allotted for the defence of the coast, and Esquimaux, in order to fit themselves for the duties they would have to perform in a time of emergency.

He has observed with pleasure a general awakening, throughout the militia, of a spirit of emulation for practical efficiency, together with a considerable development in rifle shooting, and a marked desire on the part of those who aspire to the commissions and to the commissioned ranks of the militia, to qualify themselves for command by professional study.

He has on several occasions expressed officially his appreciation of the excellent material of which the militia is composed, and he will ever retain a pleasant recollection of the time spent with them in the instruction, and of the cheerful manner in which they responded to his efforts to raise the standard of instruction, sobriety, order and soldier-like behaviour in those camps.

His thanks are specially due to the officers, non-commissioned officers and men of the Royal regiments forming the permanent force of Canada, on whom devolves the arduous duty of instructing the active militia. While conscious that he has been exacting in his demands upon them, he can testify with alacrity to the soldierlike manner in which all ranks have met those demands, and to the marked improvement that has been made in the discipline and military training of all arms. He would more remind those Royal regiments that their honorable mission of presenting to the active militia as high a standard of military efficiency, and as brilliant an example of good conduct and devotion to duty as was formerly offered by Her Majesty's regular troops when quartered in Canada.

He desires to convey to all ranks of the staff, permanent force and active militia, his best wishes for their health and prosperity, coupled by them with feelings of esteem and respect, akin to those which he will always bear towards the Canadian comrades and fellow-subjects whom he has had the honor to command.

## THE NEW REMEDY.

TO THE EDITOR:—The references made in your editorial columns from time to time to the new remedy for diphtheria are certainly most interesting, if the statements quoted can be supported. But all too little time has elapsed for safe deductions to be made. A great many medical discoveries highly eulogized at the outset—witness Koch's cure for consumption—have a very short life when fairly tried. Whatever may be the merits of the being unsafe, and there are plenty of instances of this even now, although as usual here is not yet beyond the medical jargon. Here is but one, the testimony of Dr. Lennox Browne in the Journal of Laryngology, after exhaustive experiments in hospital practice.

"When drawing attention at the meeting of the clinical society last December, to what cannot be considered an increase, under the use of serum, of the most grave complications of diphtheria, viz. pneumonia, peritonitis and cardiac failure, I took occasion to express a hope that further experiments might prove that the disadvantages of its benefits. I deeply regret to be obliged to record facts which, if confirmed, are they are easily capable of being checked by parallel observations of others, who may have embraced the remedy, and who have not been able to carry a contrary conviction."

Dr. Lennox Browne is a name of great weight in connection with diseases of the throat; verily sap, sat.

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## IRISH NATIONAL ALLIANCE.

New Society of Irishmen Formally Organized—List of Officers Elected.

Qualifications for Membership—Plan of Campaign—Military Companies to Be Formed.

CHICAGO, Sept. 27.—The declaration of principles submitted at the meeting of Irishmen yesterday and the resolutions already published having been adopted,

The following was submitted and met with instant approval at the hands of the convention: "Resolved, That this convention recommends the formation of military companies wherever practicable, in order to foster and preserve the military spirit of the Irish race, and to be prepared for action in the hour of England's difficulty."

J. J. O'Connell, of Chicago, presented the following as a report of the committee on organization and ways and means:

"The movement organization shall be known by the title of the Irish National Alliance. It shall have for its object the securing of the independence of Ireland by any means within its power and consistent with the laws and usages of civilized nations and the rights of man."

The qualifications for membership shall be: Irish soil or descent from Irish parents on the paternal or maternal side or both, and the taking of the following pledge of honor: "I hereby pledge my word of honor to aid by any means within my power, in conformity with the constitution and by-laws of the