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On the 1st inst., Messrs. H. F. Heisterman & Co. admitted Mr. Foster Macgurn as a partner. Hereafter H. F. Heisterman, Geo. W. Haynes and Foster Macgurn will carry on the business of the old firm under the style and firm name of Heisterman & Co.

H. F. Heisterman's is the oldest established real estate business in Victoria, its birth dating as far back as 1864. He is one of Victoria's best known citizens, and has established an enviable reputation for honesty and probity, and has secured in consequence the agency of a number of the wealthiest residents of this city, as well as many of those property-owners who are non-resident.

A few years ago, Mr. Geo. W. Haynes was admitted as a partner, the business being carried on as H. F. Heisterman & Co. Mr. Haynes came to Victoria in the sixties, and is known far and wide as a reliable and competent business man, in deed his reputation is such that he is more frequently chosen than perhaps any other man in the city as a trustee for estates—an almost thankless office, but it will give our readers an idea of the estimation in which Mr. Haynes is held by his fellow-citizens.

The new member of the firm, Mr. Foster Macgurn, is an experienced underwriter, and has resided in Victoria about a year, during which time he has held the position of Coast Superintendent of Agencies for the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York under the San Francisco General Agency. Heisterman & Co., have represented this Company for some 20 years, and the new firm has secured the general agency of this old Company—one of the largest in the world—for British Columbia. The firm also represent several first-class Fire and Marine Insurance companies.

The new firm will shortly move into commodious offices, and intend to take and hold the rank to which, as the oldest established Real Estate and Insurance Agency, they justly feel they are entitled. THE COMMERCIAL JOURNAL wishes them success.

PUGET SOUND AND BRITISH COLUMBIA STEVEDORING CO.

An important combination was formed last week by the incorporation of the Puget Sound and British Columbia Stevedoring Company, with a capital of \$100,000, with headquarters at Port Townsend. All the stock of the company has been taken up by the incorporators.

General stevedore work will be done at all Puget Sound and British Columbia ports, and it is proposed to establish agencies at each of the great shipping centres to make contracts for loading and unloading as soon as their charters are effected.

A gentleman of this city has induced a St. Louis optician to locate in this city. In the course of a few weeks business will be opened up with a complete stock of optical goods.

The tracklaying on the Mission branch of the Canadian Pacific Railway has been completed to the boundary, and a junction made with the American road. Regular train service will be established about May 8th.