

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 1887.

From The Daily Colonist, October 28.

A DISHONORABLE INSINUATION.

Perhaps our ostentatious evening contemporary will not object if we bring to his notice the fact that the Provincial Secretary has denied in the most positive manner possible that his absence from the Inter-Provincial Conference was due to the entreaties of the Federal Government...

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The new phase in the Bowers case transcends even in interest the announcement that his brother-in-law's confession had made him a free man. It is now thought Bowers was murdered through the doctored man's instrumentality, and the written document forced from him while not in his sound mind.

ANATOMY NOTES.

Balance of the machinery for the entention fan for Vancouver Coal yard, arrived by the steamer Anselma yesterday.

THE LEGALITY OF THIS QUESTION.

"As leaf by leaf the roses fall," so point by point the objections of the objectors to Mr. Sumner's easy, efficient, and inexpensive system for increasing the water supply, and giving the water to the people at the grounds. A week ago the report of Mr. Keefer, C. M. G., Vice-President of the Society of American Engineers, knocked the bottom out of a plan which, had it been adopted, would have lessened instead of enhanced the supply, and made four-fifths of the property in this lovely town unobtainable.

NO KICKERS THERE.

I hope to go to the realm above, when the dawn comes. I hope that when I am laid to rest, my dear wife will be able to see me in my new home. I know that I'll be filled with joy, in agonies free from care, for angels will be there to greet me, and no kickers there.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The owners of the Barnard Castle have not abandoned her to the mercy of the waves, but will strip her of all valuable gear, including, if possible, her engine. The presence of many of the crew and numerous coasters and steamers in the harbor at present, gives the appearance of a "forest of masts."

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