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Of the various amendments offered by the opposition to the Vancouver and Westminster Railway charter bill, notice has already been given that they will be introduced again on the coming up of several other charters, none of which have as yet been granted this session. It is understood, however, that the opposition, having already put themselves on record in this regard, and being in quite as big a hurry to get home as any of the other members, will not waste time by ingisting again in these amendments during the present session.

It is understood that through representations made to the members of the government yesterday, the old rate of pay will be restored to the laborers on the road. This had been reduced in 1898 in many places from \$2.50 to \$2 per day.

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of Greater New York expend a sufficient energy to propel 'he combined navies of the world!"

The girl in the newtar board said this and then looked about Ler for the effect.

"Oh, oh," groaned the two organdle girls, falling limply against each other. But the girl in the Ladysmith hat said scornfully, "It's that mover board, she can't help do ing sums when she's got it on."

"They'd do it." continued the girl with the headplece, ignoring interruptions and beginning to figure. Conflict, by the way, which comes in hundra as an explosive in so many ways, custs from 32 cents a pound—not much perhaps by the pound—but the price amounts to the last estimate, 2,000, one popel, or 260,000 or tamilies. On a basis of two hadn't feunlas to each family there are 1,200,000 women, most of whom are addicted to the long skirt habit—at least 1,000,000 of thèm. The average length of time consumed by a woman in a day's shopping is about five hours. Her dress skirt must be held up continually while hit he steets and stores. The weight of an ordinary street skirt as held by the hand is from two to five pounds, but taking the missing the five hours, she expends at 12 to 12 to 10 t

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ship in the United stages, asay is 250,000. At this rate the power or energy expended by the women of New York in a single day in arrying their dress trains would proper it, 1,000 battle ships."

Some of the New

Bills.

With the passing of the estimates the back of the session is supposed to have been broken, and all precedents to the contrary, the opposition seem this year to be quite and eased as the government that this piece de resistance has been so quickly-and easily despatched. The increased expenditure, and that even to the extent of half a million over the estimates, was readily accepted by the mem bers on Mr. Speaker's left, and only Mr McInnes' attacks upon the government over quite other matters showed that there were still no parties in the house Mr. Turner scored quite a record, as the budget was disposed of complete in eight hours.

With the Hon. Mr. Wells, however, these honors must be divided, as it is over the appropriations to public works.

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W. S. GORE, Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works, Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 16th August, 1900.

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BENJAMIN FRANKLIN, Alexis Creek, 18th July, 1900.

NOTICE. Key City mineral claim, situate in letoria Mining Division. Where located :- Mt. Sicker. Chemainus District.

Take Notice that we A. Wasson and E. McKee, Free Miners' Certificates Nos. 9.600b and 48.901b, intend, sixty days ng Recorder for a Certificate of Improveagents, for the purpose of obtaining a Down Grant of the above claim. And further take notice that action, under ection 37, must be commenced before the ssuance of such Certificate of Improve

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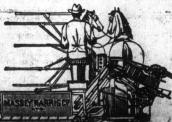
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1876, and House pectively. S. Y. WOOTTON. Land Registry Office. Registrar-General. Victoria, B. C., 12th day of July, 1900. TE C. STEBAN DYS WORKS

MINERAL ACT (Form F.)

CERTIFICATE OF IMPROVEMENTS. NOTICE.

Bichard III Mineral Claim, situate in the Victoria Mining Division of Chemainus District, Where located:-At Mount Sicker. Take notice that I, Lenora Richards, known as Mrs. S. A. Richards, Free Miners Certificate No. 48033B, intend, sixty days from the date hereof, to apply to the Minng Recorder for a Certificate of Improve-

nents, for the purpose of obtaining a Crown-Grant of the above claim. 141 Vates St., Victoria.

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The Chinese Minister Says Li Hung Chan Not Left.

No Very Late News Received From Yet.

Kang Yu Wei Is Repo tively Preparing Rebellion.

London, Aug. 30,-(3:30 the growing difficulties of the broglio, Mr. Broderick's emp ation at Thorncombe last ev that the British government any cause to depart from the icy originally decided upon, taking no responsibility for

tration of China. Mr. Broderick said he hon not be supposed that the gov pusilanimous in this respec ject was to maintain British was quite ready to take its white man's burden, but coul that the nature of that b where the difficulty of select comes in. We cannot decam

Sir Chih Chen Loh Feng nese minister in London, as nese minister in London, ass is in constant communicatic Hung Chang, who is still in Despatches this morning by Pekin news. A Shanghai te that Li Hung Chang has ser al begging the Empress Doy point Prince Ching Yung Yang Tse viceroys as joint rang Ise vicety as joint ers with himself.

There are conflicting rumor battle in which 1,500 Boxers Tuan were killed.

The Reform party, under Wei, is said to be actively prebellion.

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to lend him one million tae curity of certain vice-regal idertakings.

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district is being treated wiseverity. Eye-witnesses criminate slaughter of neand the reduction of the civicinity of Port Arthur to ter desolation.

London, Aug. 29.—Mr. John Broderick, under-secr for foreign affairs, speaking at Thorcombe, says the China was considerably in there was no Chinese gow which to negotiate.

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Berlin, Aug. 29.—The tung has received a despathai, saying a plot has bee burn the whole city. It burn the whole city. It Europeans consider the after nightfall, and the gis described as critical. The German naval Taku telegraphs that, a returns asked for by the of the allied fleets, the have been landed up to British, 189 officers an British, 189 officers and American, 155 officers and American, 155 officers and Italian, 13 officers and 12 ese, 573 officers and 19,500 ese, 573 officers and 11,500 me spatch from Chee Foo at telegraph cable between Shanghai will be ready tember 7. The command man gunboat Jagular remunication with Pekin is interruption.

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