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THE CELEBRATION.

We publish a letter from Mr. Shakespeare, chairman of the celebration committee, taking umbrage at the editorial remarks appearing in yesterday's issue on the celebration.

Similar remarks apply to the discussion of the holding of the fireworks at the Gorge, which have also been criticized.

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It is possible that had not these two men lived at all the result would have been the same; but it is very improbable.

President Jefferson may properly be regarded in the United States as the genius of the West.

ney, had, in 1793, reached the Pacific Ocean at Bella Coola; but the great central West of America at the time was wholly and absolutely unknown, except to a few hunters and trappers who became in many ways practically identified with the native races among whom they lived.

applied and would have extended to the Catholics greater privileges than they will enjoy under the amended clauses of the proposed constitution.

the knowledge of this fact can be spread broadcast, the result will be far beyond our capabilities to handle.

WAS THERE EVER A MINT IN CANADA? Sir—To settle a wager, will you kindly answer the following question affirmatively or negatively: Did there ever exist in the British North America a mint?

THE CELEBRATION AND A SUGGESTION. The celebration is over, and as citizens sympathized with or were opposed to the programme of the present year, so will opinions be divided as to the success achieved.

THE EASTERN END. The Globe of Toronto, while it is not pleased with the turn of events at Ottawa, is nevertheless delighted to know that the transcontinental railway has been built.

FRUIT GROWING PROSPECTS. We have frequently called attention to the possibilities in fruit-growing in the Province and to the excellent progress that is being made.

THE LEWIS AND CLARK CENTENNIAL. The opening of the Lewis and Clark exposition at Portland next month marks the 100th anniversary of the coming to the Coast overland of the intrepid explorers in commemoration of whose services the fair is being held.

THE EXPLANATION OF AN EXPLANATION. Hon. Mr. Fitzpatrick's carefully worded explanation of the modified intention of the proposed Constitution Bill which he read in the House of Commons, is double-barrelled and is aimed at two Provinces—Ontario and Quebec.

ALASKAN. I presume you want me to say "yes" or "no" to the question of whether or not I must answer in the affirmative.

THE V. V. & E. Sir—I am somewhat surprised that you should have regarded as having been a "Victorian" those who lived in the latter part of the 19th century.

WHOLESALE MARKETS. Wholesale Market report, corrected daily by the Wholesale Trade Co. 97-98 Yates street, Victoria, B. C.

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