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CANDIDATES FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE OAKLANDS SATURDAY

Spoke on Matters Pertaining to Education in the City-Alds. McCandless and Grahame.

Residents of Oaklands district turned ac present in use. Switzerland had many things in advance out in a body on Saturday evening to of other countries, they were lacking in hear the views of Trustees Dr. Lewis on. He agreed with Dr. Hall that some the most essential principles of socialism, Hall, A. Huggett and Geo. Jay, who are viz.: a working class government, and the abolition of the wage system. The reason for this was because canitalism. Ald. McCandless, "the people's candidate reason for this was because capitalism had not reached that stage of intensity if or the mayorality, had to say on muni-cipal matters.¹ The fire hall, in which it is a state of intensity the meeting was theld, was taxed to its utmost Throughout the proceedings a cheerful harmony and unanimity pre vailed, and after the different candi-dates had spoken the ladies served cofthe form of a pleasant social gathering. Watson Clarke was voted to the chair, and addressed the meeting briefly. The next year he said would likely be one during which considerable expenditure would be made in general improvements, and in carrying out those already commenced. He advised those who had votes to think well before casting their

> Dr. Hall, the first candidate to speak, expressed pleasure at meeting the peothat district by the labor candidates the present system of paying teachers was criticized. He believed in equal salary had advocated that system ever since crimination shown in fixing the salaries dates based their contention was not reliable. In fixing the salaries of teachers the nature of the certificates held, ability and length of service were the The best teachers in his opinion should teach the junior grades, as education foundation was of the best. Education and having completed his apprenticeship was much the same as a building; a a good superstructure. There were 62 teachers on the city staff. The lowest salary paid in the primary department was \$500, the highest \$800, and the average 0596.36, the average to male teachers, \$600, being just a little above the general wage. In the intermediate grade the lowest salary paid was \$520, highest \$750, and the average \$625.70, average for male \$620 and average for female \$626. From this it would be seen that the ladies were favored in the intermediate grade. In the senior grade the lowest salary paid was \$540, highest \$900, average \$745.33, the average for male teachers being \$772. The reason some were lower than others Dr. Hall explained was because they had not been on the staff as long. The present system he claimed was one of equal

The schools were never in a better ndition than" at present, and he quoted figures showing how favorably the number of students passed at the recent High school entrance examinations compared with those passed by other cities of the province. He had always been in favor of free books. Three years ago the government had been waited upon to see whether the books needed could be copyrighted it was impossible. Personally he wished to see a more practical

ther creditors. In Northern Counties vs. Munro et al, would, if elected, advocate any practic-explosion of several sticks of dynamite

of the board, in having been instru-mental in bringing this about. The byiaw for the erection of the High school had been passed at the same time as that sanctioning the construction of Point Ellice bridge, and the former had been completed and in use for six months, while the work on the latter had not commenced. (Laughter.) He closed with a plea for support, promising if elected to give all educational matter careful consideration. Before Trustee Jay took his seat one of those present asked whether the board had power to buy the school books

and sell them at cost. Mr. Jay an-swered affirmatively, but explained that the educational department authorized the books used. Considerable loss would be incurred if a radical change in the list was ordered by the educational authorities after the board had gone to the expense of purchasing a supply of those Trustee A. Huggett was next called

of the subjects on the carriculum made compulsory should be optional. Children should be given a practical commercial education. Eighty per cent. of the pupils didn't complete the High school course. They should have an opportunity of equipping themselves with a commercial The question of the segregation of the

Victoria. Ald. H. M. Grahame, aldermanic can-

didate for North Ward, referred to the area and population of North Ward, and A stron considered that that district did not re- it was decided to use Jones's cigar store ceive enough of the expenditure in pro- as the headquarters for the labor candiportion to the other wards. Oaklands had got a total of \$500 expenditure durdates. The various candidates were then calling the year. He favored abolishing the ward system. In regard to the exhibiyet been paid because of the lack of tunity to express his views, being well Sunday by the American tug Sea Lion funds. The exhibition was a good thing received. for the city, and should be continued. More money should be spent on street improvements. Before closing Ald, Grahame promised, if elected, to do his best to have a sidewalk laid from Edmonton road to the foot of the Jewish cemetery hill.

Ald McCandless the people's candi date for the mayoralty, was accorded an enthusiastice reception. He had served on was now out for mayor. The principa argument of Mayor Hayward when he ran against Mayor Redfern was that three years was a long enough term for anyone. In Mayor Hayward's remarks in the same hall that gentlemen had at a critical period of the young pergone into history to find mayors who had son's life, and unless prompt steps are The fire engine, which had been hurried occupied office for four terms. John taken to enrich the blood and thus down to the wharf, was returned, and Grant was one of those referred to. He strengthen the system, decline, and most eventually only the Sadie's syphon was able to keep the water down. At the terms Mr. Grant was mayor. Mayor that acts directly upon the blood and the from the Albion works is being erected

on the Indian reservation question. The Ryan says: "About three years ago the probably by the steamer touching council had recommended the paying of health of my daughter. Birdie, became ground as she was being towed to he exhibition accounts, but as funds were so bad that I was seriously alarmed. ot available it was impossible. The She was pale and almost bloodless, had Mayor should long ago have called a meeting of citizens and explained the severe headaches. I took her to a docmeeting of citizens and explained the shortage so that it could be fully and tor, and although his treatment was folpublicly discussed. At the night of the banquet at the board of directors the her. I then tried some other remedies, beating anything in these waters, or inbacking anything in these waters, or in-secretary announced that he expected a shortage of \$2,000. But the president of the association, Mayor Hayward, had quoted figures to prove the contrary, side down the stated that the Victorian self. At this stage I was advised to give her Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and between Skagway and Port Townsend. would be all right. The speaker also printed and sold to pupils at cost. The held that there had been a waste of reply had been that as the books were money in arranging for the reception of came back to her cheeks, her appetite is beautifully furnished and con considers easily make the run h the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall, He improved, the headaches ceased to trou- considers, easily make the run between believed that it was fitting to give the ble her, and by the time she had taken Sidney and the Mainland in two hours.

Tribune Confirmed. Argument was finished of the appeal in O'Britoshe before the hand futupies the problem of achool board. The hand futupies that she do spectra future and was thus able do spectra the section of the section board in the she of the section of the section of the section board in the section of The following N. C. O.'s are detailed to

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sent north.

VANCOUVER NOTES.

The death is announced of Mrs. J. M.

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disgrace on my family, on you and on all

spected in this world. Oh! why was I

not killed in the late war! Then I

would have had an honorable death." The

letter was signed "Albert." Another let-

ter, addressed "Mien Liebe Mama," and

Old Country, was dated December 18th.

rowed to help them out of financial dif-

soon to take up a piece of land, and ex-

merry Christmas and a happy New

Year, and hoped that 1903 would be hap-

letter there was no ring of despondency

His Bligineers Busy Surveying Lines in

Boundary-Rumored Work on

Myers Tunnel.

That the coming summer will with

active work on the part of James J. Hill

win is now there, in consultation with the two engineers Pollard and Ham-

mond, who have been in the field for the

whedhave been surveying a line from

Curlew to Midway, and thence on to

It is also runtored that work on the

two tunnels on Myers Creek will be

in that part of the country are delighted

People

nced within a fortnight.

or suggestion of any suicidal intention.

og lo HILL AT WORK.

Times.

Myers Creek.

evidently intended for his mother in the

The deceased, who was 67

ONE OF FIREMEN WAS INSTANTLY KILLED

The Earnings of Canadian Pacific, Grand Trunk and International Railways Last Year.

Toronto, Jan. 10 .- The Globe says Toronto, Jan. 10.—Ine Globe says couver Builders' Exchange the following that the three great railway systems of Canada, the Canadian Pacific, Grand Trunk, and Intercolonial, earned during 2000 for the ensuing sident, S. J. Crowe; treasurer, H. A. the year 1902 the enormous sum of \$75,- Bell; directors, Messrs, Jas. Young, E. 675,842, the largest earnings by far in G. Baynes, C. W. Purdy, C. P. Shindler the history of Canadian railways. This J. P. Matheson and Hugh Wilson, A. E. amount was distributed as follows: C. Carter, was nominated as second vice-P. R.-\$39,584,000; an increase over president of the B. C. Lumber & Shingle 1. 1. - \$55,501,000; Hi India Trunk, Manufacturers' Association and R. H. Last year of \$5,521,000; Grand Frank, Stander, was appointed secretary. \$30,036,470; an increase of \$1,082,419; Alexander, was appointed secretary. Albert O. Lohman, who committed the rest of the world had arrived at the therein of the normal secret wave system into Intercolonial, \$6,055,363.

Fatal Collision.

The Grand Trunk and Wabash freight trains were in a head-on collision near Port Robinson, south of St. Catharines, to the coroner's jury on Saturday. It Miss to-day. The Grand Trunk was a double-header, South-bound, and the Wa- 792 Van Ness avenue, San Francisco: ble-header, South-bound, and the main of "virtue 8 bash was running North from Niagara Falls. Fireman Rebert McHarg, of Fort Erie, was killed instantly. Both I have always been the one that brought the G. T. R. engineers were uninjured. Several cars of both trains went over the the friends. Lebe wohl, mein liebe Ada. embankment. The accident is supposed to have been caused by the failure of the I would then be better off and more reair brakes to work.

Roberts Cannot Come.

At a meeting of the Irish Protestant Society a letter from Lord Roberts was read announcing his inability to visit Canada this year.

winter, there now arises, for next sum-mer, a possibility of a famine in ice. The stormy weather during New Year's son has prevented the freezing of Lake Simcoe to more than an inch or so in thickness, and local ice men do not expect to be able to put their men to ork before February 1st, and may be prevented then by mild weather.

Fifty Thousand Damages London, Jan. 10 .- The loss to the Mc-Clary Manufacturing Co. caused by fire last night is placed at \$50,000. Store Gutted.

Hamilton, Jan. 10 .- The departmental store of Stanley Hills & Co. was completely gutted by a fire which started about 8.30 last night. The loss is be tween \$50,000 and \$60,000.

Editor's Valedictory. London, Jan. 10 .- Rev. J. A. Macdon ing farewell to the readers of that paper, having accepted the editorship of the Toronto Globe, save duty and of conscience seemed to be involved in the acceptance of the new position which he contends no man can disregard without hurt or loss.

Instantly Killed.

Granby, Que., Jan. 10 .- Robert Ennis, was instantly killed by a broken fly wheel in Thomas Dougall's saw mill last night.

NO ONE INJURED.

Man Intended to Shoot the .Duke of Sotomayer.

Madrid, Jan. 10 .- As King Alfonso the Dowager Queen Christina, and the court were returning from church this sourt were returning from a difference of the organization of the his name as Feito, fired a pistol at one of the carriages in the Royal procession. The bullet we one was injured. The King heard the shot and put his hend out of the carriage window, but he was immediately dragged back into his seat by the Queen mother, who was seated beside him in the carriage. The escort of civil guards immediately set themselves upon the would-be as-sassin and overpowered him. Feito was taken to the police station, where he said he did not intend to kill the **the Won't Die** King, but the grand chamberlain, the Of consumption" is a remark often made

King, but the grand chamberian, the Duke of Sotomayer, at whose carriage he had aimed. He was searched, and in his pockets were found unmailed letters marked "Registered" and addressed to United "Registered" and addressed to United States President Roosevelt, King Ed-ward, the Emperor of Germany, and the President of the High Court of Justice ing diseases are beof Mexico, and also receipts for a number of registered letters; besides a visiting card of the mayor of Madrid. Teito insisted that he was not an an-

archist. MR CHAMBERLAIN.

Some of London Papers Thing He Has Been Too Outspoken.

Loudon, Jan. 10 .- Colonial Secretary Chamberlain's stay in South Africa is and pounds of in-Chamberlain's stay in South Africa is beginning to attract greater attention. Both at Pretoria and Johannesburg he received ovations, an interesting feature of which was the intermingling of the Stars and Stripes and Union Jacks as a compliment to Mrs. Chamberlain. The secretary's outspoken replies to the Boer suggestions, however, are creat-ing a feeling of uneasiness among the government supporters here, who pub-licly express doubt whether any good will come out of the trip. Briefly, Mr. Chamberlain so far has not only practic-ally declared that no further concessions can be made by Great Britain, but he has also upbraided the Boers for their lack of appreciation of what Great Bri-tain already has done. To use the ex-pression of a paper which has always been his warm supporter, Mr. Chamber-lain "allowed himself to be drawn into the game too early." The family of the Archduke Leopold Ferdinand, brother of the Crown Prin-Stars and Stripes and Union Jacks as a compliment to Mrs. Chamberlain. Mr.Will H.Wh

\$600,000 provided he will renounce all claims to the estates.

ing cured. Eniaciated people with obstinate coughs, bleeding lungs, night-sweats and weakness, have been perfectly cured by the use of (M) Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The several steps cure were re corded in ounces

will not return to Washington.

The family of the Archduke Leopold Ferdinand, brother of the Crown Prin-cess of Saxony, has decided to pay him for the cloth-bound volume or only 31 stamps for the book in paper covers. H. Law Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. contra.

Vancouver, and was the mother of Messrs. T. E. and J. M. Atkins, of the utmost capacity last evening on the occasion of a lecture by W. F. Best on McDowell, Atkins, Watson Company, and R. Q. Atkins, of Messrs. Atkins & "Advances Towards Socialism Switzerland." The speaker prefaced his remarks by tracing the history of the MET THE ELECTORS OF An early start is being made in pre ountry, and explained the conditions liminary arrangements by some of the men who are interested in connection which led to the formation of the Swiss republic. Several lantern pictures of lead with the Bulkley valley colonization schemes of last year. It is expected ing cities were shown as well as many beautiful lakes, glaciers, mountains, etc., that within a few days a meeting will much of the scenery being likened to that of British Columbia. He described be held of those interested in the plans of the party represented last season by Messrs, J. W. McIntosh, Elliott, Davies the Swiss as being a happy, contented lot. They possessed many things which and others, and plants for what is to be were socialistic, viz.: direct legislation. done this year will then be discussed. through the initiative and referendum Another investigating party may be nunicipal ownership, etc. After the address and the usual ques At the annual meeting of the Vantions five-minute speeches followed, in which it was pointed out that thoughcouver Builders' Exchange the following that it had in other countries. Switzer-land undoubtedly would come to it when

ADVANCES TOWARDS SOCIALISM

By Swiss Nation-Lecture on Subject at

Socialist Party's Meeting.

Labor hall was again taxed to its

turning of the present wage system into suicide on Saturday, will be given a nilitary funeral by the Sixth, D. C. O. A duet was played by the two little Miss Winns, and a recitation given by Miss Belle Chapman on "Virtue Sacriwas addressed to Mrs. Ada Reichers,

Next' Sunday evening a paper will be read by W. B. Christopher on Principles of Socialism."

Committee of League Waited on Hon.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 10.-International reciprocity between Canada and the United States was the theme of a conference between Hon, Clifford Sifton, May Be Ice Famine. As an offset to the coal famine this As an offset to the coal famine this soon pay him the money that he had bor- the National Reciprocity League. The committee was strongly in favor of reciprocity, and some of its members went ficulties. He also said that he expected so far as to advocate absolute free trade pressed the hope that his mother would between the countries. Hon. Mr. Sifton come out to British Columbia, if only said that when the reciprocity commisfor a few months. He wished her a mergys-Christmas and a happy New Washington five years ago, it was a sad blow to reciprocity sentiment in Canada. pier in every way than 1902. In this He thought that an education campaign must first be undertaken in the United States before public sentiment would be aroused to a point where the matter could be urged to a definite conclusion.

Being Wounded in Train

Lacrosse, Wis., Jan. 9.-Four men alin the Boundary country seems to be leged to have been members of the gang demonstrated by information which has which held up a Burlington train six been received from Midway by the months ago at Marcus, Ill., have been arrested. One of the prisoners says a thore to a member of the Times staff, states that Hill's engineers are busily engaged on the opposite side of the river the robbers unhitched the engine, and the wounded man on board. Riverside addition of that town, and it seems likely, from their movements, that the grounds and yards will be situated was shot to death and his body thrown there. Chief Locating Engineer Bald- off.

ROSSLAND CAMP.

Giens Northern for some time past, and Last Week's Shipments-Le Roi Mine Increasing Its Output.

ments of slightly over a thousand tons per day last week, all the mines having been closed on Sunday, January 4th, and Kootenay, 30.

The Kootenay shipped its first car of

Nothing of special interest has occur red in connection with the actual work-ing operations of the big mines, saving the decisions to increase the Le Roi tonnage.

ROBBER KILLED. He Was Shot by His Companion After Hold-Up.

A private correspondent, writing from member of the gang was wounded by from Midway, on what is known as the put

The Rossland mines averaged ship in that part of the country are dengated fore, to five days' operations, Montay to over the prospect of at last securing the entrance of the big American line, and Friday inclusive. The figures are: Le Roi, 3,036; Centre Star, 1,110; War Roi, 3,036; Centre Star, 50; Velvet, 50;

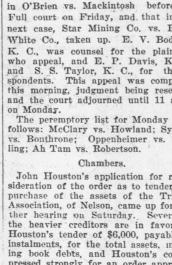
Ambassador Von Holleben was not The Le Roi is just commencing to inrecalled from Washington, says a Berlin crease its output and will send out about dispatch, but learning that his govern- 150 tons extra per day on the start. ment was not wholly satisfied with his work, and feeling ill and depressed, he ore on Thursday and shipments for a cabled for a long leave of absence, which was immediately granted. He

which are variously estimated as worth from \$3,300 to \$5,000. H. B. Robertson pupils. This was a project which, if appeared for Houston, A. E. McPhillips, K. C., for Deane; J. H. Lawson, jr., for the liquidator, and A. J. O'Rielly for the mathematical strength to the stren

that of the collective ownership of all the means of production and distribu-"The QUESTION OF RECIPROCITY. ballots on Thursday next. Clifford Sifton at St. Paul.

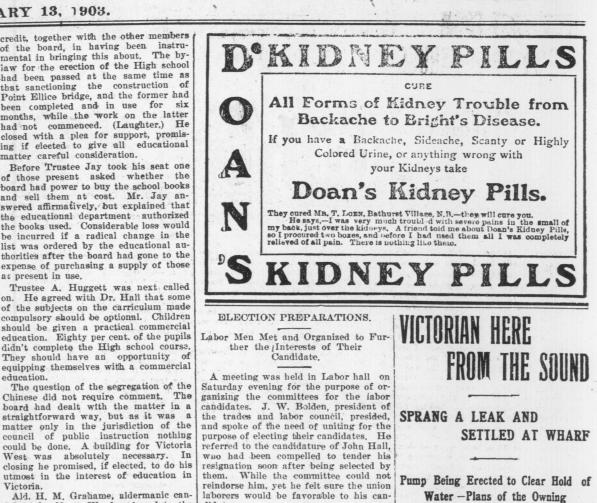
ple of Oaklands. At a meeting held in for equal work, regardless of sex, and elected to the board. There was no dis of male or female teachers, and the information upon which the labor candiprincipal points taken into consideration good foundation was necessary to ensure

salary for equal services.



other creditors.

LEGAL NEWS. Cases Before Full Court-Acceptance .f F. J. Deane's Tender for Nelson Tribune Confirmed.



ed upon to deliever short speeches. Ald, the vessel on the Canadian waters, has

Williams, who arrived at the meeting begun rather inauspiciously. The ves-

Company.

The career of the steamship Victorian,

WHEN YOU GROW WEAK AND YOUR CHEEKS LOSE THEIR COLOR. This Means Anaemia, and if Neglected Consumption May Follow-Dr. Wil-Anaemia, or poor or watery blood, is a trouble from which most growing girls. and many young boys suffer. It comes

A strong committee was formed, and

Cause For Alarm.

Cure.

The latest advices from Fez, Mor-

an order was granted for taking ac-counts. A. P. Luxton for plaintiffs, J. H. Lawson, jr., and A. J. O'Rielly contra.

and at the entrance to the harbor was taken in charge by the Victoria tugs Albion and Sadie, and taken to Spratt's wharf, in the upper harbor. Here she lay all night, and so far as any one aboard knew was perfectly tight. Early on Monday, however, four and a half feet of water was found in her hold. Those in charge of the steamer were immediately notified, and for a time it was feared the shin would sink at the wharf. The leak began, it is said, at 3 liams' Pink Pills the Only Certain siderable excitement over the condition o'clock, and by 7 o'clock there was con or the vessel. One of the city fire en gines was called into requisition, in ad dition to the steamers Sadie and Albion Fortunately, however, it was soon found that the services of all were not needed able to keep the water down. At the Hayward had had three years, and the perves, promptly restoring the ailing one on the main deck, and with this Engineer speaker proposed that he take a rest. (Laughter.) (Laughter.) Ald. McCandless then told of the er-roneous report drawn up by the Mayor in the interview with the government or the Indian recoveration for the value of these pills. Mrs. wharf in the upper harbor. He says that coming over from the her trial trip and was then laid up. She b) reply had been that as the books were comparing the wished to were morely in arranging for the reception but were made to were the and Duchess of Community.
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The Victorian adapts herself to all the needs of the work.

WHOLDSALE MARKE	1.
The following quotations are wholesale prices paid for farm this week:	Victoria produce
Potatoes (new), per ton\$	12.00
Carrots, per 100 lbs	60
Turnips, per 100 lbs	50
Parsnips, per 100 lbs	1.25
Cabbage, per 100 lbs	1.00
Butter (creamery), per Ib	28
Butter (dairy), per Ib	20
Eggs (ranch), per doz	35
Chickens, per doz	3.50@ 6.00
Hay, per ton	12.00
Oats, per ton	23.50
Barley, per ton	26.00
Wheat, per ton	31.00
Beef, per ID	80 9
Mutton, per ID	9@ 10
Pork, per ID	9
Veal, per Tb	102 11
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PILL-FAME.-10 cents a vial for Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills would not make them the fame they enjoy to-day if the curative powers were not in them. Worth will get

THOSE LOST FROM WRECKED BA

DEAD MEMBERS OF PRINCE ARTHUR

Case of Smallpox Brought Fro Francisco on Ship Ancona N Quarantine.

Stripped of her rigging and ca the hull partially filled with kelp, the wreck of the Victor Norwegian barque Prince Arthu the rocks off Umatilla presents forlorn picture at luw tide. along the beach, it is stated, c around the remains of the il craft, but when the tide is flood e ly see it. The bottom being ou vessel she has been shorn of ancy, and she stands firmly on th According to news brough Neah Bay six bodies have com and have been buried by the The beach is being patrolled loo other bodies, but it is thought the are in the hull covered with s kelp, as it was in the night w struck and only those who were at the time of the disaster succ getting away from the ill-fated Others, it is presumed, were before they could reach the dec The survivors are Christoph

son, the second mate, and Kuird the sailmaker. The names of t ed are: Captain Hans Markussen, Fin

Harmon Doll, Lars Larsen, Godfrey Olsen, Eagle Anderson seamen; Gustave Moelenser Barnesen, Ferdinand Fredericks den, Frank Folkendal and Philip ordinary seamen; Anders, don Christian Christopherson, Charle topherson, Oscar Marlin and apprentice boys. Carpenter who unknown.

Capt. Markussen, who was mand of the Prince Arthur, ha a number of trips to the Sound account of this fact shipping n at a loss to conjecture how he to get his vessel so close in shore was familiar with the entrance Straits he should have been abl the lights on the light-ship anch Umatilla Reef. The opinion is a however, that he must have been a blinding snow storm, and that he was at a safe distanc

The Prince Arthur was an ancie She was formerly (the barque Houghton Tower and v at Birkenhead 34 years ago. Oscar Klocker acting for

Port Townsend will probably le day for the scene of the wreck vestigations in the finterest underwriters.

THE YEAR'S BUSINESS In commenting on the business the past twelve months R. P. R Co., in their regular report for ber, say:

"The general business of the y closed, while not as large in one leading industries as 1901. may. expansion of other lines, be put

very satisfactory. "The new mining fields of the have developed gratifying resu business is still increasing, but tinued low price of metals has the Kootenay district and busin that territory has not been up tations, although the outlook coming year is decidedly bright withstanding the fact that the the goods sent in last year to were imported by the large Yuke from Eastern Canada, a good has been done by British Col chants, and accounts have be satisfactory.

"The past year has been known as an 'off' year in salm cannot therefore be compared year, but, as this was expected ranged for, the higher values the short pack will probably allo profit. The figures for the yearshow a total of 625,982 cases. bination of a number of canno one management has been found more in the interests of the indu other combinations are now spe It is to be regretted that the diff between the Federal and provincernments have not settled so as the canners to meet the keen com caused by the use of traps, etc. Alaska and Puget Sound fish

"The forming of the Lumber tion embracing all the large mill coast, has placed this industry in flourishing condition as regard and at the same time has not the demand. The only drawb very bright outlook being scarcit which is likely to be a seriou in the near future. The influx tlers to the Northwest Territo opened up a new market in this and has also stimulated the dem shingles.

"Owing to many of the Indian to the salmon fishing and lea schooners short of crews; also to boisterous weather experienced coast and in Behring Sea, th catch this year was very disar The prices realized for the sk ever, were very high, and will measure relieve the situation. "The output of coal from Island mines during 1902 is al same, notwithstanding the use fuel in California, but prices are slightly lower. The mines Crow's Nest Pass, in West K are being actively developed an ready market for all their ou greater part being used to furn for smelting purposes.

"Grain freights remain in t stagnant position, while those ber show a slight improvement two voyages.

"We quote lumber freights as British Columbia or Puget ,Se