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THE CITY.

MR. J. GERHARDT TIARKS has prepared plans for new premises to be immediately erected at Kamloops by E. G. Prior & Co., Ltd., to replace those recently destroyed by fire.

AN application, under the Winding Up Act, will be made on behalf of Green, Worlock & Co. for a winding-up order in the matter of the Point Comfort Hotel Co., Limited.

THE Police Commissioners having investigated the charges preferred against Sergeant Hawton in connection with his recent visit to the Central school, commend him for his action in regard to the catapult nuisance. The sergeant denies having searched the boys or ordered them to produce their pocket knives.

WORD was received from Ottawa last evening that Capt. P. Æ Irving and Capt. W. J. Quinlan have, by Militia General Orders, been promoted to the rank of Major in the B.C.B.G.A., and that the former takes command of No. 1 company, in place of the Adjutancy which he has held for some years. The promotions are an outcome of the recently authorized increase in the strength of the brigade, and the provision then made that each of the five companies should be in command of a Major.

THE robbery and "kidnapping or murder" affair at the Admiralty Head lighthouse is still shrouded in mystery. A supposition, at first generally discredited, but which is now gaining acceptance, is that Harry Evans, the missing son of the lighthouse keeper, robbed the place of everything valuable and went off alone in the lighthouse boat. It appears that in this, as in many other cases of recent date, British Columbia Indians have been blamed for something with which they had no connection whatever.

THE San Francisco Call has the following on the now celebrated Lee Fook Bow case, which is again before the courts: Lee Fook Bow, the Chinese who brought the woman Chummee Yung from Victoria, B.C., into this country last April, is being examined before United States Commissioner Heacock on a charge of perjury. Chummee Yung, it may be remembered, was finally sent to China after she had almost become a fixture on the steamer Umatilla. The order of the court deporting her was that she should be returned to the steamer upon which she came, and as the Victoria authorities refused to let her land there without the payment of a head tax of $50, and the courts would not let her land in this country, she enjoyed a number of trips between this city and Puget Sound. The charge of perjury against Lee Fook Bow is based upon his representation last June before United District Judge Hanford at Seattle, upon habeas corpus proceedings that the woman was his wife. He said that she was born in this city twenty-five years ago, and that he had been married to her five years. According to the story she had simply gone on a visit to Victoria to visit her mother. The Federal authorities are endeavoring to show that Chummee Yung was one of four Chinese women who went to British Columbia from Hongkong on the steamer City of Japan last January. The three others were Sun Que, Wong Guay and Dong See. One of these, Sun Que, is also said to have been a wife of Lee Bow, at least it is told he brought two women from Victoria, Sun Que being one and Chummee Yung the other.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

The sixth annual meeting of the Northwest Baptist Convention began at the First Baptist church, Seattle, on Thursday. The convention embraces all the churches in Washington and British Columbia West of the Cascades.

The following officers and members of the board were present: First Vice-President, Rev. W. F. Harper, Tacoma; Corresponding Secretary, Rev. D. D. Proper, Seattle; Recording Secretary, Rev. S. W. Beaven, Quartermaster, Wash.; Treasurer, C. A. Cavender, Tacoma; Historical Secretary, D. J. Pierce, D.D., Seattle. Members of the board—Thomas Haughton, Victoria, B.C.; G. W. Ward, Seattle; H. M. Butler, New Whatcom; R. S. Greene, Seattle; G. A. C. Rochester, Seattle; J. E. Coombs, Victoria; W. C. Weir, Vancouver, B. C.; Rev. W. F. Harper, Tacoma; C. A. Cavender, Tacoma; Rev. A. B. Banks, D. D., Everett; Robert Knipe, Seattle; A. Hull, Seattle; Jesse R. Francis, La Conner; G. A. Hill, Tacoma.

The address on home mission work was delivered by Miss Fannie Allan, of Spokane, general missionary for the state. She briefly explained the great need for an increase in energy by the servants of God. The forces of evil have arrayed themselves against God with an energy rarely ever before equaled and require the efforts of all Christians to defeat. God has signally blessed their efforts in every country where they have planted the banner of Christ.

The Women's Baptist Home Mission Society covers a large field where no line is drawn, but is open to all races. This society has been organized sixteen years, and the good work done in other lands is commendable to the untiring efforts of the mothers of the land.

A paper on foreign mission work was read by Miss Carrie E. Kalloch, of New Whatcom. It gave an excellent review of the work.

Yesterday's session was an interesting one. The annual sermon was delivered by Rev. W. C. Weir. The address of welcome was delivered by Rev. Thomas Baldwin, being responded to by Rev. P. H. McEwen, of Emmanuel Baptist church, Victoria.

SEATTLE, Oct. 14.—The second day's session of the Baptist convention opened yesterday at 9:30 o'clock with a praise service of thirty minutes, led by Rev. J. Cairns, of Snohomish, who read Psalm 46. The lesson was followed by numerous short prayers. At 10 a.m. the convention was called to order by Vice-President W. F. Harper, of Tacoma. Rev. C. F. Bromley, of New Whatcom, led in prayer. The convention then proceeded to the enrollment of delegates numbering about 100. Twelve new pastors who have been at work in Washington for the past year were introduced by the moderator, and all followed with responses along the line of their work.

Rev. Thomas Baldwin, of Seattle, welcomed the convention. This address, as already announced, was responded to by Rev. P. H. McEwen, of Victoria. The annual sermon was preached by Rev. W. C. Weir, of Vancouver, who took for his text Matthew xxviii:18-20. The chair then appointed the following special committees:

On religious exercises—Rev. Thomas Baldwin, W. O. Hardin, Dr. A. B. Banks.

On nomination of officers and members of the Board—J. Cairns, P. H. McEwen, G. M. Woods, M. M. Miller, and C. A. Cavender.

At 2 p.m. the devotional exercises were led by Rev. F. K. Van Tassel, who read from Romans xii, discussing the main features.

Judge G. A. Hill, on behalf of the Seattle Baptist University, extended an invitation to the convention to attend a banquet at the University on Saturday. The report on nominations was adopted as offered. The officers of the Board elected were:

President, W. F. Harper; First Vice-President, T. Haughton (Victoria); Second Vice-President, G. A. C. Rochester; Corresponding Secretary, Rev. D. D. Proper; Recording Secretary, C. F. Brownlee; Treasurer, Rev. C. A. Cavender; Historical Secretary, Rev. D. J. Pierce, D.D. Board of Trustees, one year—Rev. J. H. Best (Westminster), Rev. J. E. Coombs and Thomas Haughton (Victoria), G. W. Ward, H. M. Butler, R. S. Greene and G. A. C. Rochester. For two years—Rev. I. W. Read, Rev. C. F. Brownlee, Rev. W. C. Weir, Samuel Everson, Rev. W. F. Harper, Rev. C. A. Cavender and George W. Fowler. For three years—Rev. A. B. Banks, Robert Knipe, A. Hull, L. Erickson, J. D. Goodwin, J. R. Francis and G. A. Hill.

The sixth annual report of the board was read by Rev. D. D. Proper, and adopted. During the first quarter fifteen missionaries were appointed; second quarter, twenty-two; third quarter, twenty-four; fourth quarter, twenty-five. The amount collected for the convention was $1,550. Nine new churches were organized, seven new churches were built in mission fields of the convention. Baptisms numbered 171, and 210 were added in other ways. A summary of statistics for the denomination in this field shows 75 churches and 4,644 members—an increase of 10 churches and 659 members for the present year. The number of baptisms for the year is 546, which is 64 more than for the preceding year. Other additions were 582. Women's work has not been a secondary matter, for the sisters have contributed $310. The year was begun with a debt of $391. The year previous to this showed a deficit of $1,000. The total receipts from the churches from all sources for the year is $2,562. This is $302 less than last year. But there are pledges to liquidate all the indebtedness of the home mission.

In the evening a survey of the field was given by the corresponding secretary, Rev. D. D. Proper.

A paper on "The Heritage and Duty of the Baptists of the Northwest Baptist Convention," delivered by Rev. J. E. Coombs, of Victoria, was a fair description of those who have become members of the church.

Following came remarks on "How to Secure Larger and More General Contributions from Our Churches," by Rev. W. T. Fleenor. He dwelt on systematic giving and the need of giving, saying it was the key to success in religious work. There was virtue in honest giving to the cause of religion. The pastor should possess stronger and larger convictions in benevolence. Churches must give largely and regularly to missionary work.

RUSSIANS IN FRANCE.

Reception of the Czar's Fleet by the Mayors of Paris and Toulon.

An Enthusiastic Welcome Accorded to the Naval Visitors by the Populace.

TOULON, Oct. 14.—The Russian squadron arrived in the outer roads yesterday morning. As soon as the visitors arrived the French officials and the Russian consul, with many distinguished officers of the army and navy, went on board the Russian flagship to welcome Admiral Avelan in the name of the French Government. The usual salutes were exchanged, and on landing the Russian officers were welcomed by the Mayor of Toulon and the council. The whole city is in gala attire. The Russian colors are conspicuous everywhere, and the city is thronged with people bound to take part in the demonstration. Incoming trains are crowded. The population greeted the visitors with shouts of "Vive la Russie," coupled with "Vive la France." The stay of the visitors will be a continual round of entertainment.

In the address of welcome Mayor Ferrero said he represented all the departments of France, and it was their desire to express the sympathy felt by France toward Russia and to show that the hearts of all Frenchmen beat together and were animated by one feeling. Continuing he said: "Your visit cements the friendship between the two nations and proves the fidelity existing between them."

Later the Russian officers, surrounded by French officers, proceeded to the Maritime Prefecture to visit the Minister of Marine, who said he was deeply sensible of the honor of receiving the distinguished visitors in behalf of France. The Admiral, in reply, said he was unable to express all he felt at the cordiality of his reception, but he knew the Russian people were grateful for the welcome accorded his command. At the Mayoralty there were similar scenes of welcome.

The President of the Paris Municipal Council waited upon Admiral Avelan and presented an invitation to him and his officers to visit Paris. The Admiral accepted the invitation on behalf of himself and the officers of his command. Admiral Avelan then proceeded to the balcony and stood there between the president and the Paris municipality and the mayor of Toulon, acknowledging the plaudits of the crowd below. Deputations presented addresses of welcome to the admiral, and Mme Adam, the well-known writer, in behalf of the ladies of France, presented to the admiral a diamond brooch for his wife and various pieces of jewelry for the wives of his officers. Admiral Avelen received the offerings with a polite compliment for the French women generally, and after renewed handshaking with the mayor returned to his ship. A banquet was given in honor of the visitors at the maritime prefecture this evening.

CANADIAN NEWS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

RAT PORTAGE, Oct. 14.—A telegram from Milton, Ont., was received this morning stating that Judge W. D. Lyon had died there yesterday.

QUEBEC, Oct. 14.—Hon. Chief Justice Wood, of Bermuda, formerly Attorney-General of British Columbia, occupied a seat on the bench of the Superior Court, on invitation of Hon. Justice Routhier, while an interesting case was going on.

AMHERST, N. S., Oct. 14.—Sentence of ten years in Dorchester penitentiary was passed upon Thomas McCoy by Judge Meagher for the manslaughter of Paul White at the Joggins mines.

STOUFFVILLE, Oct. 14.—James Smith, a marble cutter, suicided by taking poison. The act was committed in the presence of his wife, with whom Smith is said to have been living unhappily.

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THE CITY.

THE sealing boat recently stolen from Capt. H. R. Foot has been recovered by the Provincial police, who discovered it accidentally at Darcey island. Fortunately the lepers had not thought of using it to make their escape from the lazaretto.

AT a meeting of the directors of the Tramway Company last evening it was resolved to borrow £70,000 with which to extend the general works of the company, in the way of perfecting the service, increasing the power and trackage, and improving and adding to the rolling stock.

THE award to sealers for losses experienced through the enforcement of the *modus vivendi* of 1891 has, with few exceptions, been paid by Collector Milne. There is still about $5,000 forthcoming to the sealers, the majority of whom are absent from the city. Some, however, have died since 1891, but in cases of this kind the money will be forthcoming to the proper relations.

AT the last regular meeting of the Victoria Teachers' Association, Miss Agnes Deans Cameron read a paper criticising the "readers" at present in use in the public schools, and a resolution supporting her views as to desirable changes was adopted. A debate on corporal punishment followed, Messrs. Netherby, Paul and Ross, and Miss Cameron holding the rod to be a necessity, while Messrs. Sallaway and Russell, and Miss Lawson, argued contra.

HALIFAX CHRONICLE: As might be supposed the story published the other morning in a city contemporary, wherein it was stated the King's regiment would shortly go to British Columbia, and be succeeded here by two other regiments, was a fake of the worst kind. It appears that the reporter went up to the barracks to secure some information concerning the regimental sports. He was invited into the sergeants' mess and two sergeants put up a job to "pull his leg." The reporter, thinking the sergeants were in possession of information from the Horse Guards which had not been communicated to the general and staff, opened his ears and took it all in. The whole garrison enjoyed a good laugh the next morning.

IN response to an invitation from the Labor Bureau to the Victoria Trades' and Labor Council to assist in gathering the labor statistics of this city, the Council has passed the following resolution: "Whereas the Provincial Government has established a Bureau of Labor Statistics and Council of Conciliation and Arbitration, and whereas it is the opinion of the Council, that efficiency in the work of the department demands that the interests of labor be recognized in an official capacity; be it resolved, that this Council refuses to recommend the trades affiliated with this body to take any action with regard to the collection of labor statistics, but this Council, at all times, will endeavor to induce the trades to take advantage of the services of the department in the settlement of disputes through the Board of Conciliation and Arbitration."

FORT RUPERT JOHNNIE is an Indian of an inventive turn of mind who is at present registered at headquarters in Stronachville. His visit to the city is for the purposes of gain, and the method he proposes to adopt in enriching himself is explained in a neatly written notice adorning the roof of a skilfully carved dance house which he yesterday exhibited to an admiring audience. This little building is a perfect model of a Northern Indian council house and, within, it contains 230 carved and costumed figures, with forty different kinds of images in four rows, besides many models of gods, each having some particular power assigned to him. All the many grotesque figures are arranged on strings and wires and take part in the Tamonas or winter dance—a distinctive festival of the tribe. Johnnie offers the ingeniously constructed attraction for sale, asking $100 cash for it, or will exhibit it at 50 cents per look.

ATLANTA, in Georgia, furnishes a story which is promised to develop in a tragical manner at this city shortly. It is told by Sing Wah, a laundryman and a Christian, of Atlanta, whose motive is that he has suffered from the attempts of the Chu Gi, of whom he speaks, to terrorize the Chinese colony. Chu is now in jail. This is Wah's story, put into English: "We are going to have Chu Gi taken to Victoria, B.C. Some of our people know that he killed a Chinaman there about two years ago. He killed him with a hatchet and got away. Chu Gi has an own cousin here who knows all about it. He killed this Chinaman at a town called Reynolds. There is no mistake about it. We have notified the Sing company at New York, and they will pay a lawyer to see that the police at Reynolds come and get him. We want them to take him to British Columbia and hang him, for if he stays here he will kill some of us when he gets out. It will do no good to send him away. The Highbinders will follow a man all over the country to kill him."

TORONTO TOPICS.

(Special to the COLONIST.)

TORONTO, Aug. 14.—At Osgoode Hall, yesterday, Justice McMahon made an order for Robert McGreevy's release from Carleton jail where he has been languishing on account of his inability to secure bail, on his entering into recognizance for $1,000, with two sureties in $2,000 each, to the satisfaction of Sheriff Sweetland.

A terrible wind and rain storm passed over the city last night, uprooting trees, blowing down fences, and doing other damage. Telegraphic communication was seriously interrupted in all directions.

Miss Clara B. Martin, a law student at Mulock & Co.'s, appeared at Osgoode Hall yesterday, and obtained a writ, the first ever issued in Canada to a woman.

Acting for an English syndicate, a local legal firm has entered suit against the Thomas Davies Brewing and Malting Co., of this city, for $50,000. The plaintiffs allege that defendants have violated an agreement, and ask for possession of their premises and assets.

Yesterday the stock and equipment of Cooper & Smith, manufacturers of boots and shoes, were sold at auction to J. C. Hammond & Co., Montreal, at 55 cents on the dollar.

Cameron Brown, son of Gordon Brown, was married here last night to the daughter of Hon. G. W. Ross.

The infant of Mrs. W. Malone, of Vaughan Road, was encased in a thin coffin for burial, and sent to Prospect cemetery, when it was heard to cry. Being taken from the coffin and given medical care it lived for several hours, then expired and was buried. The body was exhumed in the afternoon, and an inquest held. When first sent for burial it was accompanied by a certificate of death.

The eighth anniversary of the battle of Queenstown Heights was celebrated on Friday. Patriotic songs were sung in all the city schools, and in the afternoon 2,000 cadets paraded in Queen's Park.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Annual Field Games of the Fleet—An Afternoon of Unqualified Pleasure.

Albert Deeming Wins Many Dollars for Northfield—All Canada v. Australia.

AT THE Fleet athletic meeting yesterday the clerk of the weather held back the rain just long enough to allow the sports to take place. A threatening cloud hung overhead, but considerately kept from letting a drop of rain fall till after the last event came off and the spectators got under shelter. There was a very large crowd from Victoria, the cars being comfortably full on the downward trip during the afternoon, and uncomfortably so on the return journey.

The programme was not long, but it was well arranged and admirably carried out in matters of detail, one thing noticeable about the entire proceedings being the abandonment, for the time being, of strict naval discipline and decorum. The officer smoked his cigar or pipe, taking a light faom Jack with the same good nature as he would from a brother officer on the quarter-deck. Jack smoked all the way from an old black clay pipe, which he put in his cap when not smoking, to a silver mounted article ten times the value. The door of the canteen was never without a shadow, while the officers and middies entertained themselves and lady friends in the "Club." All the officers who could possibly be spared from duty were there, as were also His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Dewdney, His Worship the Mayor and Mrs. Beaven, and a large number of other prominent people. Although there prevailed a certain spirit of rivalry among the different ships' crews as to the result of the various events, it was a good-tempered rivalry, and a good point or performance was generously cheered all round. Captain F. P. Trench was president of the sports, Captain R. F. Hughes-Hallett time-keeper, and Lieutenants E. H. Blair and A. Y. Mogridge starters. The last named, however, was detained on board, so that all the work fell on the broad and capable shoulders of Mr. Blair, who worked very hard indeed, and contributed in no small degree to the general success of the day.

The first event was the long jump, which was taken by A. Tyrrell, of the Champion, at 17 feet 6 inches. Several entries were made for the mile race, which was a good exhibition and created a lot of excitement, F. Reedes (Champion), coming out of the crowd towards the close and crossing the mark in 5,57; P. Bradley (Garnet) and Private Codock (Nymphe) trying for second place.

In the contest for putting the weight, C. Boyle (Champion), threw 28 feet 5½ inches, and R. Foley (Garnet), 27 feet 4 inches.

The winners of the first, second and third places in the veterans' race were Bombardier Glover (Champion), H. Groves (Royal Arthur), and W. Stag (Champion.) This was an interesting meeting from the fact that it was open only to men who had seen fifteen years' service.

J. Ripley (Royal Arthur) won the quarter mile race after a pretty exhibition of running, with F. Reedes (Champion) and R. Hill (Nymphe) second and third men.

A. Tyrell took the high jump with an "elevation" of 4 feet 4 inches, H. Thompson (Royal Arthur) doing out one inch less.

J. Course (Royal Arthur) took the sack race, and W. Elston (Garnet) second, after the competitors had created roars of laughter by their absurd antics.

The hundred yards race did not take long to get over, F. Reedes taking first place and prize, J. Ripley and H. Thomas second and third.

Next to the field gun competition, the tug of war was probably the event which created the greatest interest. The teams numbered eight men each, and after several trials the final result rested between a team of marines and one from the Nymphe, all great strapping fellows, the pictures of manly health and vigor. They were very evenly matched, and but for the advantage which was found in one end of the ground, they might have repeated the late performance in the Market hall. The sailor boys got this end first and pulled Tommy Atkins over the line. On changing ground for the second trial, Tommy pulled Jack across, and in the third Jack reciprocated, winning for the Nymphe amid great cheering from the boys at the ring side.

The midshipmen's bell race was taken by Mr. A. H. Abingdon of the Royal Arthur. The field gun competition was a splendid display of skill and quickness. There were three guns entered, which had to be completely unshipped, parted some thirty yards, the gun and carriage being left out in the field. The work of the Nymphe crew in each case was admirable, being both clean and expeditious. They fully deserved the prize ($20) although the Champion crew ran them very close for first place.

Captain Hughes-Hallett won the officers' race of 220 yards, with Major Burrowes (Royal Arthur) second, and Mr. Brown, of the dockyard third. The wheel race was taken by R. Lawless, of the Champion, and the consolation race by A. Robbins, of the Nymphe.

Mrs. Dewdney distributed the prizes after the last event, her kindness being rewarded by three cheers from the men.

THE WHEEL.

DEEMING WINS AS HE PLEASES.

VANCOUVER, Oct. 14.—(Special)—The two-mile solid tire bicycle race between Albert Deeming, of Northfield, and Milne, of Vancouver, was not as exciting to look at as was the eager crowd of sports betting every cent they could rake and scrape together, prior to the event. The Nanaimo boys had notified Milne's backers that they would bring over a barrel of money, and the Terminal City sports came prepared to bet the sports from the Smoky City. Fully $4,000 was up before the race started, and Northfield's little Sandy wanted to pawn his gold ticker and chain for a hundred to keep the ball rolling. The Vancouver men were cock-sure and jubilant, but the folly of betting more than one can afford on a "sure thing" was again illustrated. Deeming won as he liked. He got fifty yards start and increased it every lap until he went over the line seventy-five ahead. The first mile was made in three minutes and the second in 3:06. Deeming was trained rather too fine, and nearly fell from his wheel from exhaustion after the final lap. He said to the COLONIST after the race:

"I feel pretty sick; if it had been any further I could not have stood it in."

Milne was fresh, but had not enough speed to catch the Northfield flyer in the distance. Referee, J. A. Fullerton; judges, Bowell, Vancouver, and R. Scott, manager of the Northfield mines.

AND GREAT IS NANAIMO'S JOY.

NANAIMO, Oct. 14.—(Special.)—The news of Albert Deeming's victory over Milne in the two mile bicycle race at Vancouver this afternoon was received here with great satisfaction.

YACHTING.

THE THIRD AND FINAL CONTEST.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—America wins in a gale that splits two spinnakers on Lord Dunraven's Valkyrie; the Vigilant wins the third of the international yacht races, and the cup is ours for another year. The trophy remains in this country and Lord Dunraven goes home without a race to his credit. He goes with the satisfaction, however, of knowing that he led the Vigilant by almost two minutes in beating to windward 15 miles, and would in all probability have won to-day's race but for the accident to his canvas. As it was, the Vigilant won by forty seconds.

It was a day to test seamanship as well as yacht architecture. It was just the day that Lord Dunraven and all the British crew had prayed for, and the kind of a day in which he still claims that his yacht can sail with the Vigilant. He had been beaten in two races, one in a light wind and the second still more easily in what Americans call a stiff breeze—his only hope was in a gale, and the gale split his sails, while the staunch Vigilant came home under a light cloud of canvas with the wind piping through her shrouds and without a mishap of any kind.

The Valkyrie had an additional 2,240 pounds of ballast in her hold, and Lord Dunraven and his friends knew that she would make a better showing a heavy wind and sea than she has yet done. They were even hopeful that with a wind she might head off the Vigilant in her run of victories. The additional ballast had increased her load-water line so that she had a time allowance of one minute and thirty-three seconds instead of one minute and forty-three seconds.

FOOTBALL.

A WIN FOR THE HORNETS.

NANAIMO, Oct. 14.—(Special.)—This afternoon the first Rugby football match of the season took place. The Hornets had an easy victory over the Royal City team, scoring one goal and three tries to nil. The Hornets have a strong team this year; the new captain, Quine, is a fine player.

A COLLEGE VICTORY.

In the Association football match between the Juniors and the Victoria College teams, yesterday afternoon, three goals were secured. Two were won by the College boys, whose clever tactics seemed to eclipse their opponents' good play. The match was very interesting from start to finish, and was witnessed by many spectators.

LACROSSE.

THE LACROSSE CLUB CONCERT.

The Lacrosse club concert will be held under the patronage of Lieut.-Governor Dewdney, who is the honorary president of the club and an ardent admirer of the national game. His Honor will also present the citizens' souveniers to the team on the 27th, the date of the concert.

THE TURF.

A GREAT MEETING PROMISED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 16.—The winter meeting here of the Pacific Coast Blood-horse Association, promises to be the largest ever given outside of Chicago or New York. James Riley will be presiding judge, and William Barnes, of Lexington, Ky., president of the board of stewards. Among the horses probably coming out for the meeting will be Vanneses' "Morello," Marquis Dalys' "Tammany," Johnson and Hawkins' "Rudolph," "Annie May," "Ragna" and "Rosiyn;" Charles Smith's "Notamble" and "Maid Marian;" B. Schribers' "King Mac" and "Pennyroyal;" E. Sulmes' "Broadhead," "Grutton," "Georgetown" and "Gessie;" L. B. Hales' "First Lap," "Cachuca," "Jake Allen" and "Johnny Payne;" Ed. Corrigan's "Cicero," and Blakely's "General Miles," Gustave Walbaum's "Lamplighter," and Swigert's "Post Scout." It is estimated at least two hundred and fifty eastern horses will be at the meeting, and Taral, Irving, Morris, Miller, Taylor, Blakely and A. Clayton, will be prominent among the jockeys coming.

CRICKET.

CANADA V. AUSTRALIA.

TORONTO, Oct. 14.—(Special)—The cricket match between the gentlemen of Australia and eleven representatives of all Canada, which was to have commenced here this morning, has, owing to the high wind and disagreeable state of the weather prevailing, been postponed until Monday morning, when it will start at 10:30 o'clock. The Australians leave for Niagara Falls to-night, and return to-morrow.

BROCKVILLE, Oct. 13.—John Hughes, alias Pat Shea, has been sentenced here to five years in the penitentiary for burglary.

KINGSTON, Oct. 13.—Rev. H. Jack, for many years city missionary, is dead, aged over 80. He was a Congregationalist minister.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 14.—The Union Pacific's statement for August over the whole system is: Gross earnings, $2,658,115; decrease, $1,417,175; net, $743,080; decrease, $870,719. For eight months the loss is $24,680,799; decrease, $3,122,914; net, $7,144,964; decrease, $2,561,377.

A SURGEON of the National Surgical Institute, which treats all deformities, diseases of the spine, hip and knee joints, paralysis, club feet, and all chronic diseases, will be at the Oriental Hotel, Victoria, Monday, October 16, one day, to examine cases for treatment. No charge is made for examination. References: Governor E. P. Ferry, Olympia; Supreme Justice Jno. P. Hoyt, Olympia, Ben E. Snipes, banker, Seattle; D. Waite, contractor, Vancouver, and hundreds of others. oc10 dy1-wy2

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A WALL STREET REVIEW.

Henry Clews & Co.'s Financial Circular Says That Fears Are Unduly Exaggerated.

Little in the Way of Recuperation Except the Silver Bill.

Henry Clew's circular, dated New York, October 7, 1893, says: "There is no occasion whatever for indulging in feelings of discouragement. While it is true that we have passed through an extraordinary if not unprecedented period of business adversity, which may still have not completely run its course, it is equally true that signs of recovery are multiplying daily and that the worst is over. Towards the close of the year it is not impossible that some inconvenience may be experienced in business circles by the accumulation of obligations resulting from extensions made in August and September. There is also a fear that after the Chicago Fair is over the consequences of over-expansion in real estate and other directions will be more severely felt than now. But all of these fears are at present unduly exaggerated by the nervous and discouraged condition of business men, who frequently attach too much weight to the drawbacks and too little to the improvements. The number of manufacturing establishments daily starting steadily exceeds the number of shut-downs. Unquestionably there are many thousands less of the unemployed than a month ago.

"If it be said that wages are being reduced, it may also be said that the majority of these reductions have been about ten per cent; and, as wages have been unusually high and the majority of the necessities of life unprecedently low, such a moderate reduction as this cannot inflict real hardship upon the laboring classes. At most it will only deprive them of a few of the luxuries and pleasures which can be beneficially dispensed with. Moreover, the reductions in wages will put many manufacturers on a better basis for meeting foreign competition when a general reduction of the tariff is in order, and thus in the long run establish them upon a firmer foundation. Much of the fear about tariff revision is wholly unnecessary, for revenue necessities will prevent any radical changes, and few appear to be contemplated except in the woolen and iron schedules. Uncertainty will do more harm than the actual changes, and business men will do well to impress upon their representatives at Washington the necessity of exercising all reasonable dispatch in arriving at a decision concerning what shall be done, giving ample time for adjustment to the new conditions. This would immensely lessen present anxiety about the tariff question.

"Concerning the silver debate there is nothing new to say. The minority in the Senate continues its reckless defiance of public demands. All reports of compromise are absurd, for compromise would settle nothing, and President Cleveland is known to be stubbornly opposed to any sort of compromise whatever. The silver Senators are now fighting for nothing better than to make a record among their constituents, and this talk of compromise comes either from the few who want it or else from newspaper correspondents, who find the monotonous contest unfavorable to the gathering of interesting news. If the repealers will only preserve courage and show but a fraction of the endurance and perseverance of their opponents, success will reward them. Defeat would be impossible if every Senator acted strictly from motives of duty and not policy.

"As soon as the repeal becomes a fact, sentiment will undergo a strong reaction, in which both Wall street and the mercantile community would share. When the House passed the repeal measure confidence began to rise, only to fall again with Senatorial obstruction. When repeal becomes a certainty Europe will doubtless be a more ready purchaser of our stocks. Two other very important factors are on the side of improvement, viz., low prices and easy money. Bank reserves are piling up rapidly; and if any real change of sentiment follows (as it legitimately should) the repeal of the Sherman law, business ought to expand, industry ought to revive, credit ought to be restored and values generally improve. I am not one of those who believe that the late strain has been too heavy for prompt recovery. Our resources and energies are unequaled, and there is still little else in the way of recuperation, except the chief cause of panic, and that is the Silver bill."

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