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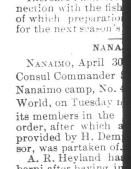
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known.

frame residence, Carey road. Owner and occupant T. W. Pierre. Cause un-Outside city limits. April 17-1 p.m. Fire at two-story frame residence, 107 Qudra street. Occupant Rev. S. Cleaver. Cause, sparks.

April 20-10:30 p.m. False alarm. April 24—9 p.m. False alarm. April 25—Brush fire outsidecity limits. April 28-10:45 p.m. Fire caused by

ashes igniting rubbish corner Amelia April 29-6:30 a.m. Fire at frame



application to be called to the bar of the British Columbia Supreme court.

THOMAS W. FLETCHER, of 88 Government street, dealer in sewing machines, of which Mr. F. S. Barnard is president. pianos, organs, etc., has made an assign- The whole system of the Consolidated ment to Mr. John J. Austin, for the Railway Company, which includes the benefit of his creditors. oria division, is under the management few days ago, had a peculiar experience.

THE finance committee in connection with the Queen's Birthday celebration had a meeting last evening, when a total collection of \$2,500 was reported. It was decided to make no appropriation for visiting militia, so that the Mainland companies of the Fifth Regiment will not be invited. of the Victoria branch.

THE board of the B. C. Stock Exchange yesterday passed amendments to their by-laws to admit brokers other than members to all the privileges of the floor on equal terms with members. To-day the committee of management meet to arrange details for the opening call day, which is next Wednesday.

Diamond. Rev. Solomon Cleaver, of minutes at a time. After discharging Considering the large number of maring clergyman; Miss Emily Belway, of an overhauling. riages during April-probably the busiiest month of the year with the matri-Calgary, supported the bride, and Mr monially inclined-there have been re-Frank Smith made a model groomsmarkably few weddings entered at the man. A wedding supper was served registration office, the official returns after the ceremony in Mr. Jones' best Survey has issued a new edition of the Le Roi, copper and iron pyrites and rebukes for that kind of remarks, style, and this morning Mr. and Mrs. charts Nos. 8500, "The Northwest Coast been registere l. In the same month 19 births and 13 deaths were recorded.

A VICTORIA company with a capital stock of \$500,000 has been organized and incorporated by Capt. John Irving, Mr. that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor made in the hydrography of the upper has been pleased to appoint William L. part of Cook Inlet. Wm. Wilson and Mr. L. Goodacre, to Fagan, of Vancouver, as assistant asses- Kachomak Bay has also been consider acquire and systematically develop the sor and collector under the assessment ably changed. Freeman claims, regarded as one of the act, and collector of revenue under the best groups of mines in the Trail Creek revenue tax act, for the County of Van-The company is titled the couver; Charles Cunliff Fisher, of Westdistrict. Freeburn Gold Mining Co., and the stock minster, to be assistant assessor and is in shares of a par value of \$1 each. collector under the assessment act, and

collector under the revenue tax act, for HAVING in view the improvement of the County of Westminster, except the the standard of horseflesh in the dis-Hope and Yale polling divisions; Edwin Ablett Bird, of Alert Bay, to be a justice trict, Messrs. Joseph Jordan, Frank Kirkland, Wm. Goudy, W. H. Ladner and Wm. McKee, of Ladner's, have orof the peace for the County of Nanaimo; and Thomas J. Derby, of Crow's Bar, to ganized and incorporated the Delta Horse Breeders' Association, with capi-of Cariboo. be a justice of the peace for the County tal of \$2,500. The well known stallion 'Karbout'' has already been purchased THE April statistics of the Victoria and will head their stud.

by the association from Mr. E. B. Hill, custom house show that the trade of the port is more than holding its own, as sum-

LAWRENCE MOONEY and George Bone, arrainged on several charges of petty	will be noted from the appended sum- mary of receipts:
thieving, were tried summarily before Mr. Justice Walkem yesterday, Mr. A.	Duty collected \$63,576,87 Other revenues 7,144.36
G. Smith, deputy at/orney-general, ap- pearing for the crown. For the first	Total\$70,721.23
theft of some clothing Bone got one month with hard labor, and Mooney, as	VALUE OF IMPORTS. Dutiable\$180,409
an old offender, three months. Bone was sentenced to an additional term of	Free
three months for stealing blankets from an Indian woman's cabin, and Mooney	Total\$239,885 VALUE OF EXPORTS.
for still another offence had three months added to his sentence. As	Goods, produce of Canada\$ 58,082Goods, not produce of Canada18,469
already Mooney is serving a term of	Total\$ 76,551

they could stay inside and not take the galena averaging about the same as in five years of public life, of being coerced

by and after to-day the business of the yound stay inside and not take the chances of being driven out to sea again. Ow and after to-day the business of the Yictoria Electric Railway and Light-ing Company will be carried on by the Started for Juneau, and on reaching Stephens' passage were picked up by the Started for Juneau, and taken to Juneau.

this splendid showing there is enough gentleman?

Mr. Fairbairn-You referred to every that the Lily May is a great mine, for Mr. Fairbairn—You referred to the house. Railway Company, which includes the Vancouver, New Westminster and Vic-toria division, is under the management. I did not refer to every faw agreed a peoplic reprinted at the one body has steadily increased in size with depth. The names of the men who are at the member from Ontario. I said there origin, in shed at rear of Dr. Crompton's of Mr. Barnard as president. Mr. W. C. She sailed on February 18, and two days head of the company are a guarantee of Were members.

of Mr. Barnard as president. Mr. W.O. She salled on reordary 10, and two days Cheney is superintendent of the Vic-toria branch, but he will also supervise the construction of the water power is that a butt three feet under the water is trustee of the Le Roi, and is the choice is trustee of the Le Roi, and is the choice Mr. Fairbairn—You alluded to me, when you looked at this side of the house. Mr. Wallace—The hon. gentleman

plant and improvements which are to be line had started, and an effort was made of the Republican party of Washington made in Vancouver and New Westmin-ster. Mr. J. B. McKilligan is manager of the Victoria branch

sent enjoying the hospitality of the Do- couple of pearl divers, and in less than tary and treasurer, and Mr. Frank Wat- a few years ago, and when Sir Adolphe minion, were united in marriage at that an hour these men had located the leak well known hotel last evening, Miss and patched the hole up with a piece of a shaft at once 200 feet deep and to cross-Miranda Kendall, of Kent, becoming the lead. The men went down stark naked, cut to strike the walls of the big ore in the absence of our leader, Sir John bride of Mr. George W. Parsons, of Black and would work under water a couple of body

Mr. Watson received a wire yesterday the Metropolitan church, was the officia- the Seminole will go on the dry dock for of his election as secretary-treasurer of the Commander mine, a great property on the North Belt, which has just been

NEW AND USEFUL CHARTS. acquired by himself and associates. The United States Coast and Geodetic carrying the precious metals. The vein when it comes near home. I have given Parsons will take steamer for their new of America from Icy Bay to the Somidi has been stripped for a distance of 1,500 a vote, and I have given it consciention has been stripped for a distance of 1,500 and without hairs asked by anyly diverse of 1,500 and 1 have given it consciention. Islands"; and 8651, "Kachomak Bay, feet, showing ore all the way, besides Cook Inlet." On chart No. 6500 a num-YESTERDAY'S issue of the Gazette notes ber of important changes have been the ore body, which has proved to be enormous in width and extent. The chart for

shown no new features, though North-ern and West Coast business has considerably improved. Oriental trade also promises to pick up immediately, and in fact has greatly increased. Apart from this the condition of shipping affairs

locally has not changed during the past month. There have been comparatively few clearances and entries, those foreign being: Entries 89, and clearances 87.

Coastwise, there have been 108 entries,

MARINE NOTES.

They are for the Boca del Juadra, where ship and on by-laws were appointed,

59.476hetti. 239,885

and 100 clearances.

SHIPPING TRADE FOR APRIL.

18,469

cupant F. M. Yorke. Cause, defective fireplace. Loss \$20. April 29-2:30 p.m. Fire on Devon-

April 29-9 p.m. Fire at one-story

frame residence, corner Collinson and Vancouver streets. Owner and occupant Hon. R. Beaven. Cause, sparks. Loss \$50.

April 30-8 p.m. Alarm from box 23. Fire at L. White's commission warehouse, Yates street. Cause, unknown.

residence, Gordon street. No loss. The last fires of the month gave

Mr. Wallace—The hon. gentleman the department a very busy even-ing, the second alarm sounding while the brigade were busy at the Mr. Fairbairn-I wish to tell the hon. fire in Mr. White's commission house, then decided to run for the island of Tongreva, which place he reached on Two popular residents of the neighbor ing State of Washington, who are at pre-March 25. For a few dollars he hired a before the useful chemical arrived son, trustee. The intention is to sink Caron assembled his whole forces for the When the firemen reached the scene of relief and saving of the hon. gentleman, the more expensive fire, the smoke was pouring from the premises in great vol-Thompson, who was absent on that most ume, the entire back part of the store important mission in connection with burning briskly. The chemical with the Behring sea question; and it comes three streams of water-two from with bad grace from him to speak in the engines and one from hydrantthe way he does to-day of men who take were brought into service and in 25 mintheir political lives in their hands utes what had threatened to be a very The ore on this mine is similar to that on behalf of justice. I offer my regrets serious fire was a thing of the past. The premises had been closed "at 6 o"clock and as there was then no sign of fire in the building it is difficult to determine ously without being asked by anybody. the origin of the blaze. It appears After the argument made by the hon. to After the argument made by the hon. Secretary of State upon the second read-ing of this hill is seems to no that them. to have started in the good draft ing of this bill, it seems to me that those developed strength quickly. The dampeople in Manitoba should have settled age is estimated at \$500, while on the

this difficulty in three hours. As a stock there was insurance of \$500 with THE Y.M.C.A. membership contest of juror of this country, I fail to see that companies represented by A. W. More the Reds and Blues closed last night at the argument laid down by the non. & Co. The simultaneous fire in rear of 8 o'clock, with 21 for the Blues and 14 Secretary of State has been answered or Dr. Crompton's was located in a pile of The shipping trade during April has for the Reds, making a total of 35 new confuted yet. I, as a juryman, if sworn paper and sacking and was evidently of members. Mr. A. G. Hay, captain of the Blues, secured 13 members, thus be-the verdict I did, according to the evi-discovered and extinguished before any dence presented to this house. Every damage had been accomplished. fair-minded man would have to admit

A MEETING of fruit grovers of the the same thing, if he was a sworn juror. Cedar Hill district was held at Gordon Head on Wednesday evening, when it the opposition that I regret exceedingly honored within the last few months was decided to form a local organization that I, as an Orangeman since the year with a number of official appointments to be known as the Cedar Hill Fruit 1855, have to stand on the floor of this which, if a few more are added, will Growers' Association, having for its ob- house and vindicate the rights of the make him without dispute the Pooh Bah Growers' Association, naving for its ob-jects "the collection and distribution of information, and the establishing of uni-form methods of producing and disposing to the the rights of the minority of his information and the establishing of uni-teader of the opposition will not stand up for the rights of the minority of his information and disposing The steamer Al-Ki arrived here from of fruit and other products of the farm upon the Sweena, the Sound at 3 o'clock yesterday after-the Sound at 3 o'clock yesterday after-

noon and proceeded to Alaska about four mer, provincial fruit inspector, explained and having the courage of my conhours later. About twenty-seven China- the working of similar organizations and victions, that it is greatly to be Harry Harris of the Colonist hotel is hours later. About twenty-seven Onlina-men from Seattle and thirteen from Ta-submitted by-laws and rules governing regretted that a man would sacrifice the arranging a boxing tournament, amcoma occupied berths in the steerage. them. Committees to work up member- rights of his own church and his own ateurs only, for the evening of May 25, they have obtained work in the can-their reports to be presented at the next capital. I pity the hon, gentleman. I middle and people for the sake of a little political prizes being given in the feather, light, they have obtained work in the can-neries. Among the passengers from Victoria were R. Sylvester and N. Fiene-N. P. D. D. St. Luke hall, Cedar Hill. The opening of this debate, when I was to be erected at once, seating 700 people. Mr. Paimer, for the able manner in standing up in defence of the hon. gen- and in addition there will be exhibitions The steamer Maude, which sailed for which he presented the subject to the tleman, and saying that I was pleased of club swinging by Professor George West Coast points last evening, was meeting, received a vote of thanks. The to see him in good health and good form Bloomfield, champion of America, and West Coast points last evening, was meeting, received a voie of thanks. The to see fifthing good health and good form provisional officers of the association are freight. having a sympathy for the "under pionship in his special line.

berni after having on the Nanaimo-A perty, for the purp report to the d China creek," said struck the Catarac where they are pu quarter of fluming ture 4x2. A fine d also been built the height. Both the Duke of York, wh wards have sawin flume at last nan composed of sawn the bluffs from height. From h Constance, WIII Nana the Mining Co. bedrock, with in a long drift : being the onl the rest are Alberni Co. o acres and the gold. At bedrou coarse gold and at Wil staking off Alberni Conwhere for a (the ledge the lat inches to 3 feet easily percepti specimens would ton. The prospe erally are un draulic and quart prospectors are s time and a ho everywhere. There is said to ing on account of sons holding bon property. NANAIMO, May 1. for April were: Bi 3; deaths, 2. It is estimated th given at the Queen tion will amount t A mass meeting in the opera hou matters concerni discussed. It is r intends to resign William Jackson on Wednesday after in his stall in No. 6 ton colleries. The next meeting receiving the repor nection with the p of a militia con Monday evening a the Y.M.C.A. hall The provincial April are: Unlawfu lion to run at large icants to Indians of game act, 1; u the supply of intox total. 7.

The bark Oregon.