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A CRISIS, AND THE CITY'S INTER-

Citizens of Victoria are vitally inter-

ested in the apparent crisis which has developed in the relations between the British Columbia Electric Railway water at Goldstream for power purposes and that unless an understanding can be reached for the conservation of the water remaining in the resentirely dissipated.

plant, unfortunately not of sufficient of its rapidly growing business, which capacity to meet all the requirements the stress created by the shortage of the water company cannot agree as to the terms upon which this plant shall derstanding proves incapable of immediate adjustment, something not at all improbable in view of the wellknown relations between the two conzerns, then the interests of the citizens at large will become involved and it litical pilgrimages. will be the duty of the representatives of the people to intervene with a view to protecting such interests.

The statements of the representashort of the estimate, the value of the the House. property should be reduced proportionately if the terms of the transfer of the works from the company to the city should be adjusted by a court power house or down the waterways ly unlimited prospects of the country. of the company could be collected and The present administration succeeded present population of Victoria has no direct bearing whatever upon the issue. point is that the capacity of the plant prosperous conditions laid. For this We have heard of experienced pilots as offered to the city for a certain figure has been demonstrated to come short of the estimate of its proprietors. placed upon it. Nature has come to

umbia Electric Railway Company, the ways through the Northwest. ultimate result will be beneficially to It is contended that the government the interests of the people of Victoria. in which Hon. Alexander Mackenzie It has shed a new and interesting light and Hon. Edward Blake were the most shall not have very far to fall however

or enter into an agreement which would

much easier the long-cherished pur-

pose of that company.

erty: it has proved to the directors of preciate the resources of the West, and the tramway company the absolute manifested their lack of faith by oping requirements of the city of Vic- kenzie nor Blake opposed the construchappened to be in the city just at the government work. They did not apthe extremities of the situation here. cate which built the road because they Mr. Gifford can report to his company considered the endowment proposed by what he observed and make recommen- the Macdonald government was too be developed independently, and in the R. as a government road with all the utmost Victoria should be placed in a because the resources of the treasury position just as favorable as Vancouver at the time were limited. The consoliporary inconvenience with equanimity. approval of the people of that time, as

The end-man of Mr. Borden's com-Even when off the stage and beyond given a fair trial. The Liberal party certainly large. A shipment of Kings came in yesterday from the state of the glare of the inspiring footlights the artist from the province of Quebec ervoirs the energy necessary for the never fails to play the part assigned generation of light for domestic pur- to him by his far from humorous chief. The British Columbia Electric Rail- katchewan hotel in which the company way Company has an auxiliary steam of Mr. Borden lodged that M. Bergeron appeared in the smoke-laden atmoshis brush and comb to a place of safety. might be utilized for a time to relieve It is not stated in precise terms that tell the world ballooning is not danger-

the statements of the representatives told in Victoria about his political forto the maximum capacity of its works. Quebec who could not be defeated. If perienced pilot the airship is capable may not be even more niggardly in this as a statesman and humorist and well respect this year than she was last satisfied that the public is strongly deyear? As we understand the mat- sirous of securing his services, as we Goldstream property as submitted to harnois he thrust himself upon a conthe civic authorities is based upon a stituency in Montreal and was rejected capacity of fifteen million gallons of with emphasis there. The truth is that water per day for either power or do- M. Bergeron was out of Parliament for mestic purposes. Consequently as the four years and only succeeded in getexperience of the present year has ting back in 1904 by a very small mademonstrated that the capacity of the jority. He is not regarded by either works falls several million gallons side as a person of any consequence in

FAITH AND WORKS.

upon the value of the Goldstream prop- conspicuous figures also failed to ap- far they may be thrown,

necessity of procuring a new source posing the construction of the Canof power supply, if the rapidly increas- adian Pacific Railway. Neither Mactoria are to receive the attention war- tion of the Canadian Pacific Railway. ranted by the circumstances of the The government of which they were case. Fortunately, one of the leading members undertook the task of pushdirectors of the tramway company ing that road through Canada as a time when he could perceive personally prove of the contract with the syndilations accordingly. The public may lavish. It will not be denied in the erefore rest assured that no un- light of events that their judgment ecessary time will be lost in inves- upon that point was sound. They could tigation and negotiation. Power will not push the work of building the C. P. course of a couple of years at the speed the West considered desirable n respect to the cost of light for do- dated revenue of the country up to the estic purposes and of power for man- year 1878, we believe, was less than a ufacturing purposes. If such be the quarter of what it is at the present onsummation, as we are convinced it time. But if the policy of the Macwill be, we shall suffer a trifle of tem- kenzie government had met with the would assuredly have been endorsed M. BERGERON, HUMORIST, IRRE- by the people of the present day, the C. P. R. would have been constructed as a government road, and, much as has never at any stage of its history displayed lack of faith in the future of Canada. Given a fair chance, it has government inspired by a spirit of optimism.

> IT WILL NOT DO. Now an uathority comes forth to

water. But the tramway company and humorous feat attired solely in his the possibmilities of something going the end-man performed this highly ous. It is imagination dwelling upon nightle-that feature of the perform- wrong with the delicate machinery, ance was left entirely to the imagina- the gas escaping as a consequence of is on just now, so that it is impossible be placed in operation. If the misuntion of the reader. Doubtless M. Ber- an inconvenient puncture, one of the to say when cars will be obtainable. geron enlarged upon his experience in wings becoming disabled, or one of the meetings held later and vastly amused planes failing to take the atmosphere his audience by his "witty" references at the proper slant, followed of course to the most notable episode in the his- by an abrupt descent and a sudden tory of the dreariest and driest of po- stop, that causes all the terror that rises in the heart of the novice who And, by the way, we notice by reports | backs away from the airship. In the in the newspapers that Mr. Borden's case of any of these things happening end-man, who of course as a humorist there is little comfort in the reflection is not meant to be taken seriously, has of the Hibernian who averred it was tives of the water works company and been diligently repeating the fables he not the fall that hurt, but the sudden of the tramway company differ consid- tunes-about the Grits recognizing him itiated look upon the balloon as a sort erably as to the amount of water con- as a particularly dangerous man and of country fair attraction. "Quite the sumed per diem during the past year. making dead sets upon his seats with contrast," as the old lady said when This divergence of statement may be the object of keeping him out of the she meant quite the contrary. The undue to different methods of computa- House, an enterprise which was never initiated cannot be persuaded just yet tion. But it is evident that the water successful. M. Bergeron, according to that the balloon is going immediately works company has not delivered the his own veracious memory, was imquantity of water it has contended it pregnable. He was one of the seven portation affairs of the world. It may could deliver if called upon, according members from the great province of be true that in the hands of an ex-If may be contended on behalf of the anyone had considered the statements of meeting all the exigencies of a voywater company that the conditions of the member for Beauharnois ought age through the clouds. But in case prevailing during the present year to have been taken seriously and had of a sudden storm arising, as storms have been exceptional, and that con- taken the trouble to consult the records sometimes do, the experienced pilot sequently the situation as revealed in he would have found that that strong cannot take his frail airship into a the relations between it and the tramway company have no bearing what- been defeated not once, but many times convenient hards being the cannot scud in behind per regions. He cannot scud in behind ever upon the value of the Goldstream -and all within the compass of a very a cloud and wait on a sheltered leeproperty as a domestic source of supply few short years—in fact, four times in shore until the squall exhausts its fury for the corporation of Victoria. But as many years. He went down in his in vain efforts to tear something to would not a disinterested authority own constituency of Beuharnois in the pieces. It may be said the experienced take the position that the value of the year and again suffered defeat in bolloonists never go up in unfavorable Goldstream property for any purpose a contest for the same seat two years weather. In that case, of what use can depends absolutely upon its capacity later. But he is evidently a very deduring a year of minimum rainfall? termined as well as a most confident transportation of anything, animate or What guarantee is there that Nature man, confident in his own qualifications inanimate? And what becomes of the contention that we shall soon be transported as regularly through the air as we are now conveyed over the surface ter, the estimate of the value of the find that when turned down in Beauface of the waters by steamships? Any machine which aims at becoming a Pastry Floursthing of utility in the transportation business must make up its mind, or its inventors must make up their minds, that it must run on schedule time if this intensely practical business world is expected to utilize it in place of the agencies of demonstrated utility. Consequently we are not in the least impressed by the statement that "the The Colonist acknowledges that the pilot, who is willing to go up only in of arbitration. The fact that if all the former government of Canada failed favorable weather and to come down water passing through the pipes of the to impress the world with the practical- at the proper time, need never endanger lives He knows he has only to open the valve and he can descend, he has utilized for the purposes of the city where the other failed. It did this by and he can prevent his balloon from only to throw out a handful of sand there would be sufficient to supply a an exhibition of its own faith. The coming down, or can send it up. When population exceeding several times the world was impressed, listened to what he is ready to land, he picks out a we had to say on our own behalf, the favorable spot ahead of him, lets his Nor is it material that Mr. Lubbe contends all the resources of the water- population from outside sources. Thus ground, cuts loose the anchor which shed have not yet been utilized. The was the foundation for the present stops his progress, then opens the valve again if necessary.

change in attitude and situation the going up in what looked like favorable government is entitled to credit. And weather down below and became any-It is therefore not worth the figure in connection with this subject it may thing but favorable up aloft. We have be observed that Canada has merely heard of them being blown out to sea, the assistance of the people of Victoria entered upon her period of unexampled and doubtless if anyone had been so and brought to confusion those people expansion. When the new transcontiof hasty temperament who, whatever nental railway is finished and in opertheir metives, insisted but a few weeks ation we shall realize in British Colum- for a favorable spot upon which to ago that the corporation should either bia what it is to have millions of acres cast anchor and land. The trouble is ago that the corporation should either purchase the property of the Esquimalt Water Works Company at the exorbitant price fixed by its proprietors open to settlement. We understand open to settlement. We understand other people who love excitement and dimly what the in-rush of population sensation to play with. It may serve finally have had the effect of making to the Northwest means to us commuch easier the long-cherished purpose of that company.

Whatever the immediate result of the whatever the immediate result of the matural industries of British Comercially and industrially. But we well enough for "sports" to race with; present power crisis as it affects the lumbia which will follow the stimulus mankind, you cannot do it to-day, and relations of the Esquimalt Water imparted to settlement by the comple- the chances are you never will be able Works Company with the British Col- tion of two new transcontinental rail- to do it. It and the element with which it has to do are altogether too unstable and capricious. The people of ling that if anything goes wrong they

APPLES ARE ON

QUALITY OF FRUIT

Alberta Hay Is Not Coming Owing to Lack of Cars--Local Prices.

The general weakening of the supply market has not yet affected the local market. The prices are still holding Butter (Creamery), per lb. good, and it may be some little time before it is felt here. That a falling off of prices is coming in the near future is apparent by all who have studied the condition of affairs and the Barley, per ton over inflation of prices.

Apples are moving up slightly in the and Light Company and the Esquimalt

Power Company. It is admitted by pany of political artists, M. Bergeron,

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private corporation, it might have been market fust now are very fine. When both parties concerned that there is a has been maintaining his reputation as prospect of an immediate shortage of a humorist right through the circuit. Hon. Alexander Mackenzie had been row of eleven inches the apples are Figs, Cal., per lb. Washington, and they are fine apples but not as fine as the local product.

Canada. Given a fair chance, it has the market at fifteen cents a pound Canade's prospects, and the progress retail, the Eastern berries still remainposes within the city may shortly be We are told by press correspondents of the past ten years has demonstrating at 20 cents. California new walthat when fire broke out in a Sas- ed what can be accomplished by a nuts are in and are put on the market at 22 cents wholesale, the Eastern nuts going yet at 15 cents. Figs are also coming from California, the new crop oing at from ten to twelve cents. Eggs are keeping their price and it s thought they will be even dearer before the season ends, as this is not

> Hay has not come down any because t is impossible to get cars to the Alberta product. The wheat rush

by any means the month when they are

The following is the retail list: Garden Produce-Turnips, per lt Tomatoes, 4 to 7 lbs. Green Tomatoes, 8 lb Green Tomatoes, 8 lbs. Egg Plant, each Sweet Potatoes

Hams (B.C.), per lb. ulders, per lb. on (long clear), per lb. Beef, per lb. Pork, per lb. Mutton, per lb. ... Lamb, hindquarter Lamb, hindquarter Veal, per lb. Farm Produce-

Fresh Eastern Eggs ... Butter (Creamery) Hungarian Flour-Ogilvie's Royal Household, Lake of Woods, per sack ..

Okanagan, per sack Okanagan, per bbl. Calgary Hungarian, per bbl .. Moose Jaw, per sack Moose Jaw, per bbl Hudson's Bay, per sack Hudson's Bay, per bbl. Enderby, per sack Enderby, per bbl.

Snowflake, per sack Snowlake, per bbl.

O. K. Best Pastry, per sack.
O. K. Best Pastry, per bbl.
O. K. Four Star, per sack.
O. K. Four Star, per bbl. Drifted Snow, per sack Drifted Snow, per bbl.

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Rolled Oats (B. & K.), 45-lb. sk Cracked Wheat, 10 lbs. Wheat Flakes, per packet Whole Wheat Flour, 10 lbs.

Straw, per bale Middlings, per ton .. Bran, per ton Dressed Fowl, per lb.

Spring Chicken, per lb. Turkey, per lb.

Codfish Rock Cod ... Bananas, per doz. Pears, per box ... Pears, per lb. ... Water Melons ... Cocoanuts, each Apples, per box

Oranges, per doz.
Cal. Grapes, per basket .
Celery, per bundle
Valencia Raisins, per lb.
Sultana Raisins, per lb.
Pinsennles each Cranberries, Eastern

WHOLESALE MARKETS. ns, per lb. bers, per doz Cantaloupes, per case Bell Peppers, per crate Bananas, per bunch Lemons Walnuts, Cal. Apples, per box Pineapples, per doz. Comb Honey, per 1b. Cabbage, per 1b. Grapes, per crate

Eggs (ranch), per doz. Eastern Eggs (selected) Pomegranates

A PRETTY CHURCH **WEDDING YESTERDAY**

Mr. B. Schwengers and Miss Connie Jay United in Marriage at St. John's Church

(From Thursday's Daily.) Two of the most popular of the young people of Victoria were yesterday afternoon united in marriage in the St. John's Anglican church, Mr. Bernard Schwengers and Miss Connie Jay. There was a large gathering of friends There was a large gathering of friends of the young people to witness the ceremony which was conducted by large partial large satisfied by Rev.

Rev. Percival Jenns, assisted by Rev.

Stanley Ard.

As the bridal party entered the church the organist, Mr. C. Jennings Burnett, played a prelude by Adolphe Jensen. The bride wore her traveling dress of cream chiffon cloth with hat a shade, and a stole of the character of the constant of the constan Jensen. The bride wore her traveling ganizat dress of cream chiffon cloth with hat for Vic white rosebuds and trailing fern, and her only jewel was a pearl and amethyst pendant, the gift of her father.

The bridesmaids, Miss Phyllis and
Gertrude Jay, sisters of the bride, were gowned in cream crepe de chine, and carried bouquets of pink rosebuds. Each wore a pearl brooch, the gift of the groom. There was also one little flower girl, baby Goward, who carried a basket of daisies. The groom was supported by Mr. Edgar Brown and Mr. Jack Lawson. The service was full choral, appropriate music being sung at intervals.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the wedding party drove to the home of the bride's parents on Elford street, where the wedding repast was served which showed the esteem in which both of these young people are held in the city and surrounding country. Mr. and Mrs. Schwengers have gone to

MEMBERS ADDED TO ORGANIZATION

Local Branch of Canadian Club Received Many Additions at the Last Meeting.

(From Thursday's Daily.) At the business meeting of the Can-

ship was reinforced by the addition of preciate the work done by the club. The additions to the membership has brought the total up to 278 members. The new names received yesterday

T. Monteith, P. Oldham, W. G. Cameron, T. S. Gore, Max Leiser, J. G. Hands, E. A. Hinton, A. C. McCarter Williams, A. W. Vowell, Rev. Riddell, Herman Robertson, F. Jones, Rev. C. E. Cooper, Thos. Barton, P. R. Brown, Jr., C. Ladd. B. S. Heisterman, Julius Brethour, A. W. Howard, John A. Watson, J. T. McImoyl, A. F. Appey, W. Garland Foster.

EVA MARIE RETURNS.

First of Independent Sealing Schooners Arrived in Port This Afternoon.

The three-masted sealing schooner Eva Marie, owned by Victor Jacobson returned to port this afternoon from the Behring Sea, bringing 400 skins. The Eva Marie is the first of the in dependent sealing schooners to return port. Three others are at present 20 in the north, the schooners Thomas F. Bayard, Jessie and Umbrina.

15 NEXT TIME

YOU GO TO THE GROCER'S HAVE A PACKAGE OF

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SENT WITH YOUR ORDER. THE QUALITY IS SUCH THAT YOU WILL NEVER MAKE ANOTHER CHANGE. LEAD PACKETS ONLY. AT ALL GR OCERS.

RESIGNATION OF HERBERT CUTHBERT

Secretary of Tourist Association Will Enter Real Estate Business on Vancouver Island

(From Thursday's Daily.) In January next a new secretary will be appointed for the Victoria Tourist An Open Sea Cock Caused Trouble and Development Association, the resignation of Herbert Cuthbert who has occubied the position for the past six years, having been filed, to take effect at the end of the month. The annual report of the association

will be prepared by Mr. Cuthbert for presentation at the meeting, which takes place in the third week in January next, at which time the selection of the new official will probably be matter of pumping her out to have her made. The announcement of Mr. Cuth- floating again in normal shape. bert's resignation was made at the This morning there were nine feet of meeting of the tourist executive yes-terday afternoon, those in attendance her after hold. being Mayor Morley, Ald. Vincent, J.
Arbuthnot, A. W. McCurdy, Sam Sea,
jr., J. H. Lawson, jr., H. Kent, John
Nelson and F. Pauline.

The Mayor Mayor Morley, Ald. Vincent, J.
By to-night as she is operating two large pumps. The main deck cabins were

It is Mr. Cuthbert's intention to engage in the real estate business in this city. in which enterprise he will have city, in which enterprise he will have day or not. the best wishes of many friends. Mr. Cuthbert says he looks for a big de-

GOLD WAS GONE

Loot in the Great Yukon Robbery Hidden Beneath Public School Building.

Dawson, Oct. 24.-Mail sacks and locks from which \$40,000 in gold was stolen at Dawson by Kincaid and his associates, were found yesterday by and the guests had an opportunity of Turner Towns, hidden beneath the iring the many valuable tokens public school building. This proves the theory of the police that the gold from the registered mail was actually ROCKEFELLER TO THE RESCUE. taken here and then cached at this Vernon for their wedding trip, and on point. Several smaller canvas sacks their return will make their home at which were inclosed in larger sacks were also found, but only one can of fifty ounces of gold was discovered

> It now appears Kincaid got the gold from the post office building here, and then hid it at the school building under a pretense of working on the founda-

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

Victoria Union of Christian Endeavor Held Meeting Last Evening in Emmanuel Church.

The seventh quarterly rally of the Victoria union of Christian Endeavor was held last night in Emmanuel Baptist church, there being a large number of members present. An address was given adian Club, held in conjunction with by Rev. Christopher Burnett, and the the luncheon yesterday, the member- officers installed by Rev. Le Roy Dakin. Besides that a short musical programme forty-eight names. The interest in the had been provided. The following officers organization, therefore, shows no vice-president, A. Arthur Deaville; treaabatement and the public seems to ap- surer, Mrs. R. A. Ogilvie; secretary, R W. Coleman. Rev. E. Le Roy Dakin was called upon

o instal, the officers. In doing so he said:
"You have been greatly honored by your
rethren here to-night. You have now by The new names received yesterday were as follows:: Stuart Williams, M. B. Carlin, J. G. Billings, J. G. Smith, A. T. R. Blackwood, J. Fred Ritchie, R. W. Eaton, J. F. Jeameret, J. S. Ballantine, Horace G. Ross, R. H. Swinerton, A. J. Cohen, E. Rogers, W. S. Goodson, Otto Weeks, Geo. C. Howell, Thos. Cattarell, A. H. Mitchell, Geo. McCandless, C. W. Blackstock, Geo. S. Russell, F. P. Pemberton, Dr. C. F. Newcombe, A. T. Monteith, P. Oldham, W. G. Camyoung manhood and womanhood, and in an improvement after the second box. prayerful dependence upon the Holy Spirit for strength and wisdom. You have not been chosen for honor, but for work. The success of the year's work rests largely with you as leaders. You have been chosen because of control to the proper because of the year's work rests largely with you as leaders. You have been chosen because of our belief in your fitness for, and your devotion to, this

particular work.' The retiring president, Mr. Lampshire, asked the members to give their support to the newly elected officers, and the new president, Mr. Hume, promised to do all he could to further the interest of the union, and urged the members of society to do his utmost to forward the

The retiring executive made the following recommendations which were unani-necessly adopted:
Resolved, that the incoming executive made me stronger than I had been stronger than I had be instructed to draft a new constitution;
Resolved, that the various societies elect
a member to represent them on the new
executive, said representative to hold

No blood remedy exists that has the office for one year;

Resolved, that the incoming executive

EMPRESS SANK AT VA. COUVER

PACIFIC LINER MET ACCIDENT AT WHARF

-- Vessel Is Being Raised To-Day.

Vancouver, Oct. 24.-The Empress China, which sank at her dock last night is being raised this morning. She was off the bottom at ten o'clock and it is just a

water in her forehold and twenty-four in rumps. The main deck cabins were flooded. The company has not yet an nounced whether the steamer can be

belongings they could find and tried to gain the shore, but the officers detained them and kept them, a jabbering, excited herd, on the upper deck forward until after ten o'clock, when they were landed and placed in the detention shed.

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The news that the liner was sinking spread like wild-fire through Vancouver, and two fire engines were rushed to the wharf in the hope of clearing the water from the steamship's holds. All efforts proved unavailing, however, and the liner was soon resting with her stern on the mud and her upper works aft only a few feet above the water. The liner was partially loaded at the time, as her scheduled tially loaded at the time, as her scheduled sailing was for Monday. It is anticipated rly 1,000 bags of flour have been

As soon as the news of the liner's pre dicament was wired to Victoria the B. C. Salvage Company hurried together a number of local divers, who, with their gear, left on the Princess Victoria this morning for Vancouver.

Is Prepared to Lend Large Sums to

New York Financial Institutions. New York Oct. 23 -John D. Rockethe financial situation, and he has arranged to loan very large sums to a number of New York financial institu-

"I think." said Mr. Rockefeller to a reporter this evening, "there is a great alarm among investors, although not warranted, and I hope the good common sense of the American people will control the situation."

IMPURE BLOOD

CLOGS THE KIDNEYS. SLOWS THE HEART. FAGS THE BRAIN.

Weakens Every Part of the Body, Causes Organic Diseases,

ome of pure blood, so is debility and sickness the result of impure blood. To know how quickly, how surely and restores, you have only to read the following letters-read them carefully—see if the symptoms resemble

ally cleared my skin. As the result of plexion and can recommend it to all other young women similarly affect

Another young lady well known in society circles of Springfield, who, de-rived exceptional benefit from Ferrozone, says: "I felt it my duty to make known the values of Ferrozone. trouble was poor weak blood, and as my cheeks had no color. I wasn't at a strong, and required a bracing tonic cheeks, improved my appetite and made me stronger than I had been in

Ne blood remedy exists that has the power to cure, to heal, to restore like appoint an evangelist, a missionary and an organization committee, drug store.

WEEKLY WEATHER ST

Victoria Meteorolo October 16th t The chief feature of the we orecast district during the p heen the continuous heavy the barometric pressure v high in British Columbia, this area had passed eas middle west provinces a pressure areas from the veloped on the northern c and and crossed the anadian provinces; the me time remaining over this southwestern fall has been unusually caused chiefly by den steady rain only falling of Barkerville and Port Sin itation was much hea orth, at Atlin and Daws out only in moderate qures have been about vince, except at Atlin, fell to 2 degrees above Dawson on the same nigh Winds have been light to

In the North Pacific states In the prairie provinces the peen unusually fine, with no p ight to heavy frosts at nigh

day temperatures. At Victoria, there were rs and 48 minutes shine; highest temperature, lowest, 35.5 on 18th; rain, .21 At Vancouver-Highest, 63 est, 36 on 18th; rain, .01 inch At New Westminster-Hig th; lowest, 36 on 18th; rain,

At Atlin-Highest, 46 on 20 lowest, 2 on 16th; precipitat The following is a sum eather for September, 1907

Chilliwack . Barkerville (2.92 rain, 3 in. sr Hartley Bay Beaver Lake Crawford Bay .

Victoria-The total am Victoria—The total amount sunshine registered, was 166 i minutes, and the mean proportion of the state of the n the electrical anemogra and the direction as follows northeast, 270; east, 450; sol south, 985; southwest, 1,429; northwest, 148. Vancouver—Highest tempera 8th: lowest, 41.5 on 12th; me Westminster-Highes

on 8th; lowest. 8th; lowest, 39.0 on 13th; mes her of hours' bright sun

Kamloops—Highest temperath; lowest, 40.8 on 13th.
Rossland—Highest tempera Alberni-Highest tempera 9th; lowest, 31.9 on 13th; mes

lowest, 36.0 on 20th an Chilliwack-Highest ten 10th; lowest, 47.3 on 24th. Quesnel—Highest temperatu th; lowest, % on 12th; mean, Barkerville—Highest temper th; lowest, 26 on 11th. Chilcotin—Highest temperatu

and 9th; lowest, 20 on 12th; m Kitamaat-Highest tempe Port Simpson-Highest temp on 2nd; lowest, 38.5 on 17th; n Rivers Inlet-Highest temp on 8th; lowest, 38.3 on 17th. Vernon-Highest temperatu vernon-Highest temperatur lowest, 36 on 13th. Tzouhalem-Highest temper on 9th; lowest, 35.4 on 13th; m Salmon Arm-Highest temp on 1st; lowest, 39 on 20th; mes Atlin-Highest temperature,

owest, 25.0 on 15th.

Denman Island—Highest ter

n 8th; lowest, 36 on 11th LOCAL NEW

-W. F. Drysdale, late of Drysdale, is now open to given all kinds of contracting ing work.

-The chrysanthemum she given in aid of the Protesta age will be held in the Carn about the middle of Nove date is fixed.

-In the police court thi -0two drunks appeared. Tharge against Sam, a Chi is alleged to have attacke was again laid over as a I preter could not be found.

-The number of names r lhe city voters' list up to was only 625, a much sma han at the same time last who are not property hold lity should see that their na the list before the end of th hey will not be allowed to

-H. E. Beasley, assistant to Agent Marpole, of the C. F ver from the mainland last vent out on the E. & N. th inspect the work now lear the right of way for on to Alberm extension, wh s progressing satisfactorily