LOCAL NEWS.

(From Tuesday's Dally.)

Rev. J. P. Hicks yesterday perform-

ture of one of her arms and some rather severe bruises. She is progressing favor-

-Dr. Lewis Hall is a temperance man,

an ardent prohibitionist." Last night was Hallowe'en. Both these facts were

known to the coming men of Victoria

fore breakfast time-and down it came.

-The receipts of the inland revenue de-

partment for the month just closed were

Spirits\$ 12,632,69

—An inquest is being held this after-noon at the Naval hospital, Esquimalt,

upon the body of a man found dead yesterday in the bush by Dr. Kirker

The identity of the man has not bet been discovered, but it is probable it

will be learned during the proceedings before the coroner. The body was that

of a man about fifty, five feet in heigth,

with grizzly black hair and bearn.

He was clothed in blue overalls, la

-Although the police used the most

strenuous endeavors to prevent them, the boys of the city were not to be de-

ferred from honoring Hallowe'en ine a manner time honored among their kind

and bequeathed from mischievous sire to son. In the outlying disariets, Vice

toria West, Oak Bay, etc., where the juvenile population had not the fear of

the law before their eyes, a wholesal disappearance of garden gates occurred during the night.

jumper and a stout pair of shoes.

ably towards recovery.

as follows:

R. S. Day.

The Legislature Will Convene on January 5th for the Transaction of Business.

Other Announcements of Public In terest in To-Night's Gazette-The New Agent General.

The Official B. C. Gazette to be published to-night is one of the most important in many months. The first item which will be read with interest is the proclamation convening the legislature for the dispatch of business on Thursday, Januay 5th. It will be noticed that the date is much earlier than usual, which is not unexpected in view of the urgency of the matters which will be dealt with.

The appointment of a successor to Hon. Forbes George Vernon as agentgeneral in London is also announced, the appointee being William Walter, of 15 Sergeant's Inn. Fleet street, London. Mr. Walter is the secretary of several well known British Columbia mining and investment companies.

Another appointment of interest is that of Thomas Morgan, of Nanaimo, to succeed Archibald Dick in the position of inspector of mines.

The Governor-General's proclamation fixing Thursday, November 24th, as a day of general thanksgiving is publish-

The list of appointments is unusually heavy. They are as follows: Alfred C. Nelson, to be clerk of the office of mining recorder at Fort Steele, vice C. M. Tulloch: Wm. Mitchell, of Cumberland. to be government agent, assistant com-rissioner of lands and works, assessor, collector and collector of the Compx electoral district, B. Anderson; Walter E. Heal, of Lake District, to be collector of votes for South Victoria, vice J. W. Mel-dram; Alex. Gilchrist, of Wharnock, to be a special provincial constable; Don-ald J. Dewar, of Trail, to be a notary public for the province; Joseph Clement Dockerill, of Vancouver, to be deputy district registrar of the supreme court Vancouve. judicial district, Walter J. Thicke: Geo. M. Bebee. of Agassiz, to be a provincal coroner; James J. Murray, of Mission City, to be a coroner; Augustus Carney, of Kaslo, to be a registrar under the Marriage act for that city, and also to be police magistrate, vice Alex. Lucus, and Geo. Gleadsey, of Chilliwack, to be dis-t registrar and collector of votes, vice Sam Millard.

The resignation of Washington Grimnier, of Pender Island, as a J.P. for the Islands electoral district, is accepted. The lands and works department sent out two notices. One is to the effect that hereafter no lands or timber will be sold or disposed of by the government except under special circumstances. Intending purchasers are advised to apply to the department showing special cirmstanc's before going to any expense. The other notice requests all persons in terested in obtaining government aid for roads, trails or bridges to send to the department the following information: Description of work desired, reasons which make the work desirable, in cases cf roads or trails a rough sketch of roads in the neighborhood of proposed works, estimate of cost, and information as to whether any persons or companies interested are willing to pay any part of e cost of same.

August Anderson has commenced an Adgust Anderson has commenced an action against the Bolaider Mining, Milling & Smelting Co., in which he claims \$1,307 for work and labor done between Sept. 16th, 1897, and March 1st, 1898. An appearance to the writer than the control of the property of the september of the property of may be entered on or before Nov. 7th at deputy registrar's office in Nelson. Robert Hall, of this city, has been appointed attorney for the "Arctic Express Co." in place of F. M. Rattenbury; and W. H. Sandford, M.E., of New Denver, for "The Northwest Mining Syndicate, Limited." The head office of the latter company has been changed from Vancouver to New Denver.

Henry Fry McLeod, of Nelson, plies for admission as solicitor supreme court of British Col ambia, The Jewel Development! Syndicate, Limited, is licensed as an extra provincial company, with head offices in London, Eng., and a capital of £6,000. Gilbert Mahon is the attorney for this province, and the B. C. office will be at Nelson. The Waterloo Mining & Milling Company, of Camp McKinney, is also registered as an extra provincial company, with head office at Spokane and a capital of \$100,000. The local office s at Camp McKinney and Thos. Gra-

ham is the attorney.
T. H. Worsnop, Fred G. White and Lyman P. Duff give notice of their desire to form a company under the name of the Atlin and Surprise Lake Tram-Company, Limited, for the purpose vay Company, Limited, for the purpose of building a railroad or aerial tramway from the mouth of Pine creek on Atlin lake, thence along Pine to where it joins Surprise lake

At an extraordinary general meeting of the Columbia and Kootenay Steam Navigation Co. Limited Liability, held on Oct. 6th and Oct. 27th, D. M. Rogers, Victoria, was appointed liquidator for

A. R. B. Hearn, of Revelstoke. has been appointed attorney for the French Creek Mining Company and the Stone-eigh Mining Company eigh Mining Company in place of A. G. M. Spragg, and for the Columbia Hydraulic Mining Company in place of

Creditors of the Columbia and Koot-Steam Navigation Company, Lim enay Steam Navigation Company, Limited Liability, are notified by the liquidators' solicitors, McPhillips, Wootton and Barnard, to send their claims to D. M. Rogers, Bank of Montreal cham-

The Nahmint Mining Company has leen registered as an extra provincial company. The head office is at Portling. Ore, and the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible and the supply is practically inexhaustible. All the latest colling the supply is practically inexhaustible and the supply inexhaustible and the supply is practically inexhaustible and the supply is pra company. The head office is at Port-lard, Ore., and the subscribed capital

8100 000 Hon. J. Fred Hume notifies assessors that the time for the completion of their assessment rolls has been extended from November 1st to December 1st, and that the duties of all courts of appeal and revision must be completed before the 15th of January, 1899.

legislature, for a private bill to incorporate a company to construct a railroad from Quesnelle Forks and thence by a convenient route to a point at or near Hazelton, near the junction of the Buckley and Skeena rivers, with all the powers usually granted in such cases.

IN HONOR OF THE EMPEROR. The Japanese of the City Royally Honoring Their Ruler's Natal Day.

The Japanese of Victoria are celebrating with fervent loyalty the day of Emperor Mutsuhatio, under whom the little kingdom has made such marked progress, and who is regarded by his Victorian subjects, at least, as the greatest ruler who has ever sat on the throne of the Chrysanthemum Kingdom. It is nine-teen years since he ascended the throne, and during that time the little island has leapd into an prominent position among the nations of the world and become the Britain of the Orient. As he is still in his forties his subjects predict increasing prosperity for Japan during his future regime.

egime. Most of the Japanese places of business were closed to day in honor of the event, and those who did not observe the day as a holiday took the afternoon for celebrating.

The Japanese consul at Vancouver is giving a dinner, to which he has invited prominent men, the list of guests not being confined to natives of the Island Kingdom. Among the passengers to Vancouver on the Islander this morning were Messrs. Wainbe and Korenaga, who went

Messrs. Wainbe and Korenaga, who went over to take part in the festivities. High revel will be held at the Commercial hotel this evening, when the Japanese factions of the city will properly honor the event by a banquet. For two days they have been engaged in decorating the entrance and interior of the hanqueting hell with evergreens and Chinese land entrance and interior of the inadustring hall with evergreens and Chinese lanterns, and have produced a very pretty effect by a happy blending of the two. Owing to the detention of the Aorangi in quarantine a number of Japanese who otherwise would have been able to participate in the celebration were prevented from dollars so.

from doing so. A FORTUNE IN A DAY.

Robbins & Long, of Rossland, Made \$200, 000 on Tuesday.

Two hundred thousand dollars in a single day is pretty good, and yet that much was made by a firm in this city yesterday, says the Rossland Miner of November 1st. This shows that when matters come the right way in mining the profit is very great. The fact that fifteen feet of \$200 ore had been struck in the Republic mine in the Republic camp on the reservation, and the consequent rise in it and the other shares of the same camp added at least \$200,000 to the wealth of Robbins & Long, of this city, yesterday! Parsy Clark, president and one of the principal owners in the Republic mine, telephoned to the firm yesterday morning that there were 15 feet of \$200 ore in the Republic mine, and that they were still drilling. were 15 feet of \$200 ore in the Republic mine, and that they were still drilling. The result of this announcement here and at Spokane was to send the stock up so that all that was on the market was withdrawn and it could not be had for love nor money. The price has not been withdrawn and it could not be had for love nor money. The price has not been fixed yet, but it is certain to advance over \$1, but put it at 75 cents and look how much the company will make. Messrs. Robbins & Long own 150,000 of these shares. Our these the firm made at least \$100,000 by the advance in the price consequent upon the news of the strike.

The firm also owns 200,000 shares of the Jim Blaine. The shares of this company, owing to the recent developments in the property and the rise in the price of the Republic stock, advanced yesterday from 50 to 90 cents, and this made the firm richer yesterday than it was the day before. Two hundred thousand dollars is a pretty good amount to make

day before. Two hundred thousand dollars is a pretty good amount to make in a single day, but it is doubtful if one were to offer the firm that sum for its profits if it would accept.

Messrs, Robbins & Long have been interested in the Republic camp from the time the first claim was staked there, and they have had faith in its ultimate profitable outcome from the first. They have made many sacrifices in order to retain their interests there and now their faith and perseverance have been rewarded. They are in receipt at present of an income of about \$4,000 per month from the dividends from the Republic, and mow dividends from the Republic, and now that a strike of such importance has been made it is certain that the dividends will be increased. The Jim Blaine they consider to be a very valuable property, and it seems certain that it will make one of the Republic camp.

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All Economical Homes.

here in our own Canada, and worked for the benefit of all economical homes.

found reliable, true and genuine.

These diamonds are known as the

Diamond Dyes, celebrated all the world over for their brilliancy, purity and dur-ability. These Diamond Dyes possess

accompany each one they give new life, and beauty to all faded, dingy and dead-looking garments. Each of these Dia-

diamond mine! Where? Right

-M. J. B. Thomas, of Oak Bay, is as there is not the slightest doubt but that the ore body of the Republic continues into the property. and was certainly a very fine sample what can be done near the city in that line. Although exceptionally large, this one is not the only specimen which would be well worth exhibiting as a sample of British Columbia's possibilities for the average of the total or its large. ZINC BEARING ORES. Mr. Arthur Brown, who is the repre-

Mr. Arthur Brown, who is the representative in this country of the Smelting Corporation of Liverpoot, arrived at the Hume on Saturday with Mrs. Brown. Mr. Brown informed a Miner reporter on Saturday that though he had been looking for zinc bearing ores, yet, contrary to the supposition of many, it was not zinc he desired to buy. The fact of the matter was that the company he represented controlled a new process, by means of which silver could be extracted from zinc just as easily as from lead. Mr. Brown declined to describe the process, contenting himself with saying that it was a smelting process, and the flux used was sulphate of sodium, known to commerce as sait cake. The introduction of this process will render valuable hundreds of silver properties which are now worthless ties, for the average of the total crop is exceedingly large. -Another chapter in the history of the uted against Mrs. Nunn by Mrs. Keats, out only formal evidence was taken this afternoon, owing to the depositions of the assault trial having been mistaid. ver properties which are now worthless ver properties which are now worthless owing to the presence of an excessive amount of zinc in the ore. For instance, ore hearing 36 ounces of silver, 30 per cent. lead and 30 per cent. zinc, can be handled by the new treatment so to leave the mine owner a handsome profit. The works of the company are situated between Manchester and Liverpool, on the Manchester ship canal and have now a deliver.

Manchester and Liverpool, on the Manchester ship canal, and have now a daily capacity of between 350 and 400 tons, a capacity which can be increased indefinitely as circumstances may require. Mr. Brown has entered into several provisional contracts for large amounts of ore, and the only thing that remains to be settled is the freight rate. If he can obtain a reasonable rate, and he has every confidence in being able to do so, the liew industry should attain large proportions. It is the intention of the company to have the ores sampled at the nearest sampling works, and the full value of the ores, after deducting freight and treatment charges, will then be paid in cash at current English prices to the nine owners. discovered a man red-handed. The midnight despoiler of the roost had already wring off the heads of four plump chickens when he was captured. The police were summoned, and the man, who is a well known resident of the city, was conveyed to the lock-up. A com-promise of the affair was subsequently been prompted to the extraordinary conduct by over-indulgence in alcohol and Mr. Smith was willing to be lenient in rranged, as the man claimed to have pressing the case.

-Thomas Kinsey, driver of the Kingston street hose wagon, expired this morning at the Jubilee hospital after a short illness. The deceased was a native of Newtown, Montgomeryshire, Wales, and was a member of the 6th Rifles, which he joined at Winchester, England. He was transferred to Halifax, and on his return to England served six years in the army reserve. He armyed in Victoria in 1890 and became a member of the fire department in 1891. The late Thomas Kinsey was respected by his associates in the fire department and a large circle of friends. He leaves a wife and five children to morn a loving husband and father. The funeral will take place at 2 o'clock on Thursday afternoon from the residence. Quebec they are of the first water, and under the most severe tests they are always street, James Bay. Since the organiza-tion of the paid fire department this is the first death, and the officers and men

feel keenly the loss of their comrade. -E. O. Madden and Frank Susey, of the Dease country, are at the Queen's. The latter made a trip during the summer through a district which has never been prospected by white men. They as-cended the Tooya river, crossed Tooya

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STATE OF THE STATE

Angeles to note the enthusiasm and enterprise of some of the citizens, and when it is learned how the possibilities of the place are attracting capital from other centres, the certainty of the town ed the eeremony which united in mar-riage Mr. George 1. Ballau, of the Eum, Wash, and Miss Mar. on Eugena Thomson, of Seattle. Mr. and Mrs. Ballau are spending the honeymoon in being a large and thriving one becomes pronounced. Lately Mr. John M. St. Peter, an experienced glass manufacture. West, are descrying of notice. They er, has decided to invest in the erectare of the twenty-ounce pippin variety -During the month just closed the collections at the customs house amounted to \$65,828.85, of which \$55, 127.51 was daty. The exports amounted to \$520,717,10f which \$417,187 was the produce of Canada and \$49,530 not produce of Canada. has recently returned from a trip to the custern states for the purpose of organizing it, in which he has been completely successful. The sand which will be used can be secured in abundance, although at some little distance from Port accident which it was at first —An accident which it was at first feared would have more serious results happened to Miss knight yesterday while she was driving alone on the Cedar Hill road. One of the front wheels of the vehicle came off, and as a result Miss knight sustained a frac-Angeles. The wonderfully good harbor and consequent shipping facilities have served largely as inducements to the for-

> (From Wednesday's Daily.) -According to J. H. Rose, who has just returned from the Stikine, a val-uable seam of lignite has been located about three miles from Glenora and east

mation of the company.

West, and to show that they were the youths took down the big semi-circular sign of the Globe hotel and put it up on the doctor's residence, where it remained until he discovered it shortly be resulted in a verdict of death from heart disease. Nothing was discovered to lead to the identification of the re-

-This is the last month in which the voting register will be kept open for elections. The qualification necessary is the payment of a monthly rental of Potal \$17,141,59 \$5 for a house or for rooms. Captain Owens, late of the City of

-Death to-day found a victim in the Captain Owens, late of the City of Nanahao, was arrested last evening by Constable Murray on a charge of assault prefetred by the passenger who is said to have been struck by the captain when returning from the exchrsion to fort angeles on Sunday morning. Cash ball of \$100 was put up and the case will be heard on Monday afternoon, commencing at 2.15, in the provincial police court.

—Bev. W. D. Barber officiated yesterday at the funeral services of the

be heard on Monday afternoon, commencing at 2.15, in the provincial ponce court.

The monthly meeting of the Victoria branch of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was held in Dr. Holden's office last night. The secretary's report showed six cases of cruelty tary's report showed six cases of cruelty disposed of by the society duving the month, in one of which the defendant was prosecuted and fined. New members enrolled were Miss Saunders, Mrs. Geo. Stevens, Miss A. Saunders and Mrs.

-C. Harrison, J. P., of Masset, has reported to the provincial police super-intendent the facts in connection with on the public treet, the suicide of Mr. Poudrier in Septem-L. Belyea, J.P., se ber, they being substantially as given in the Times. He also encloses the verdict of the coroner's jury, of which E. C. Stevens was foreman, saying that the cause of death was a gunshot wound the head, inflicted by the deser-

very proud of some monster potatoes grown on his place. He brought one to the Times office this morning which weighed twenty-eight and a half ounces, and was certainly a very five relations. Of regret at his severance of the relations hitherto existing between them and the presentation to him of a handsome meerscham pipe by the peutle of Clarconot.

From the public library there were issued in October 2,176 books; to ladies 1,148, to gentlemen 1,028. The greatest number issued in one day was 129 the Vancouver until late this evening the average number 83. Fifty-one new Islander will not leave her wharf here members have joined the library, 26 until seven o'clock to-morrow morning. been added to the library shelves "Shadows and Sunbeams," "A Veldt Another chapter if the instory of the squabhles between Mrs. Keats and Mrs. "Shadows and Sunbeams," "A Veldt Nunn of the Work Point barracks was Official," "Battles With the Sea." "At opened this afternoon in the provincial the Back of the North Pole," "Rival police court, before Mr. Shotbott, Jr. Belles, or Life in Washington." Canada Proceedings for perjury have been insti- Statistical Year Book, 1897; B. C. Year "Shadows and Sunpeams, "At Official," "Battles With the Sea," "At North Pole," "Rival Book Compendium.

-William Keller, with his wife and the assault trial having been mistaid. An adjournment was ordered for one week to enable those responsible for the depositions to place their hands upon them.

—with the manual Release and a few weeks ago horses being lost in that time. The chicken thief has been getting in his nefarious work in the suburbs, and the other evening the proprietor of the Colonist hotel. Denver Ed. Smith, those of the Reller family enjoyed a of the board of trade to secure more discovered a many red hand the Keller family enjoyed a of the board of trade to secure more

officially in connection with the sitting instead of the ten-cent per pound disad-of the courts. The trial of Bruno at Nel-vantage hitherto suffered by Victorians. son, on a charge of murder, was there will in future a source of considerable delay, two juries tion of 2½ cents. failing to agree and the case having finally to be laid over. The fact that the evidence was circumstantial was the reason of the disagreements among the jurymen. Mr. Jones found business to cike capital, tenders for which were asserted to the following the winder of the contract for carrying the mail during the winter to the Klon-cike capital, tenders for which were be good all through the Kootenay councilled some time ago. About half try and the people very hopeful redozer tenders were received by the control of the following the future of the fu garding its future.

Timerto the Baptist congregation of exceeds the limit to which the post-in the Saanich district have been sup-lied in the way of preaching services of authorized to go with-dit authority of order-in-council, and by Tocal talent from the city churches. It is now intended to enlarge the work in that district, and yesterday evening Rev. H. H. Saunders, of Nova Scotia, accompanied by his wife, arrived to take charge of the churches in the dis-trict. The stipend of the new incumbent will be paid partially by the congregation under his charge and parthe

on Monday on her way down they came | Corp. Richardson, Borear losing it. Mr. and Mrs. Lucie Bodley, Bomb. Carey, drove around town, and it did not on and Gunner Duncay. A special general meeting of the shareholders of the Grand Forks Townsite. Each of these Diamond Dyes gives a return to the work of the purpose of considering, and if deemed advisable, disposing of the whole or part of the assets, etc., of the whole or part of the assets, etc., of the company, and for the transaction of any other business lawfully brought before it. A special general meeting of the Rathmullen Consolidated Mannager and Application will be made by Wilson and Senkler, of Vancouver, solicitors for the applicants, at the next sitting of the applicants, at the next sitting of the applicants, at the next sitting of the special general meeting of the shareholders of the Rathmullen Consolidated Application will be made by Wilson and Senkler, of Vancouver, solicitors for the applicants, at the next sitting of the applicants, at the next sitting of the applicants, at the next sitting of the shareholders of the applicants, at the next sitting of the second the applicants, at the next sitting of the shareholders of the second the applicants, at the next sitting of the applicants, at the next sitting of the applicants, and then struck through an unexplored tract of country, coming out at the stanct five. Mr. Susce says that he found good colors on the the purpose of considering, and if deemed advisable, disposing of the whole or part of the assets, etc., of the whole or part of the assets, etc., of the whole or part of the assets, etc., of the whole or part of the assets, etc., of the whole or part of the sasets, etc., of the whole or part of the assets, etc., of the whole or part of the season of the purpose of considering, and if deemed advisable, disposing of the whole or part of the assets, etc., of the whole or part of the assets, etc., of the whole or part of the assets, etc., of the whole or part of the assets, etc., of the whole or part of the assets, etc., of the whole or part of the

-Although it would be dangerous to undertake to make mention of all the large potatoes and apples produced in the vicinity of Victoria, it would seem that some gigantic apples grown by T. W. Williams, the florist of Victoria West, are deserving of notice. They er, has decided to invest in the erection of a factory in Angeles, and commence, the industry by the manufacture of window glass. Two buildings will be erected, one 140 feet long and 100 feet wide, the other 100x100 feet. The name of the company is the Port Angeles Window Glass Company, and Mr. St. Peter has recently returned from a trip to the evistern states for the nurses of the virtues associated with the trip of the evistern states for the nurses of the virtues associated with the final recent of the evistern states for the nurses of the virtues associated with the tains the virtues associated with the pippin variety, Mr. Williams has good reason to be proud of his orchard.

> Humphreys were the bridesmaids and Mr. James Ross acted as groomsman. At the conclusion of the ceremony the wedding march was played by Miss E. wedding march was played by Miss E. V. Humphreys. The costumes and ornaments of the bride and her maids were all charming, the bride's gold locket and chain set in pearls, and the diamond rings of the maids being the gitts of the groom. Mr. Humphreys is a son of the late Hon, T. B. Humphreys and Mrs. Humphreys is a phreys, and Mrs. Humphreys, is a daughter of Mr. Ross, late of the 93rd Highlanders and commissariat and transport corps. The newly-married couple left for the mainland this morning en route for Nelson, where Mr. Humphreys is in business.

(From Thursday's Daily,) -Geo. Bawdry and William Hartly, the vagrants who came up on Tuesday, and whose cases were remanded till to-day, took the hint and failed to appear this morning when their cases, were again called. The usual formality of issning a warrant for their arrest was or-

-William Baird was up this morning for the third time in as many years on a charge of theft. The old man entered Moberley's store yesterday and helped himself to half a dollar. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was sentenced to four months' imprisonment with hard

—David Ross was arrested at Esqui-malt last night by Constable Campbell for using obscene and abusive language This afternoon A. L. Belyea, J.P., sentenced him to a mine of \$5 and \$2 costs, sentence being suspended for a week to enable Ross, who is an old offender, to leave the community.

The movement in Oak Bay real estate continues and this morning a very valuable piece of water front property,

will land her passengers at the outer wharf. The reason for this is that she has on board 150 men for the Icarus and will go into the Royal Roads with these as seen as the regular passengers are landed. On account of not leaves are landed. On account of not leaving Vancouver until late this evening the Islander will not leave her wharf here

During the summer they had penetrated the head waters of the Omineca country, into a district where, the Indians said, no white had ever before been. No placers of any richness were found, but quartz ledges of good prom-ise were discovered. The party went in

return journey on the Islander. Keller advantageous snipping rates via the C. is said to have come here from Na P.R. to North Bend and points as far naimo, but bids fair to be a permanent cast as: Calgary, have borne fruit.

-C. F. Jones, stenographer, has returned from a six weeks trip to the Kootenays, where he has been engaged to the board were directed towards getting an identical rate with that enjoyed by Vancouver shippers. This they have not so far, been successful in doing, but the lightly in connection with the circumstated of the tengent per payed disadwas there will in future be but a discrimina-

-Great interest is being taken in the partment here and these have been forwarded to Ottawa. The amount involv consequently there will be a little longer delay than customary in announcing the result. It is expected that many tende:s have been sent in to the department at

The Rifle Association of the Fifth Regiment met last night, Major Williams presiding. Arrangements were made for the match on Thanksgiving tially out of the mission funds of the church. Mr. Saunders will probably occupy the pulpit of Emmanuel Church for several Sundays.

The following committee was appointed to collect prizes for the event.

The following committee was appointed to collect prizes for the event. -Mr. and Mrs. Lucie, who were pointed to collect prizes for the event and Mrs. Lucie, who were passengers from Skagway by the steamer who are asked to liberally remember the passengers from Skagway by the steamer who are asked to liberally remember the battalion and its shots. Major Williams, capt. Munro, Lieut. Foulkes, Sergt. Mussell, Sergt. Winsby, Sergt. Niven, commonday on her way down they came rear losing it. Mr. and Mrs. Lucie Bodley, Bomb. Carey, Bomb. Futcher, drove around town, and it did not one and Gunner, punchs.

opinion that the country is one of great wealth.

The belated couple followed the Farallon on the City of Kingston, and dealer on Johnson street, who will be summoned for the serious offence of have to H. M. Navy.

-A cow this morning disclosed a dangerous washout beneath the street at the corner of Cook and Fort streets by slipping on the superficial crust, which immediately gave way below her, exposing a large cavity beneath the street Had the covering broken through under the street of th a house or vehicle the result might have been very serious.

The remains of little Leslie Daw. son Clay, the infant son of Rev. W. Leslie Clay, were yesterday interred in Ross Bay cemetery. There was large attendance of triends to parents in the sad loss they have sustained. The tiny ceffin was burned tained. The tiny ceffin was burned amid a vealth of floral tributes, and the services were made than and wffe. Rev. A. B. Winchester performing the ceremony. The room was a mass of chrysantheum blooms and a magnificent bell antheum blooms and a magnificent bell antheum blooms and a magnificent bell antheum blooms. Rev. D. Reid took part in the ceremony, and Masters Douglas Hunter, John Lawson, Edgar McMicking, Class. McKilligan, Leslie Henderson and Grordon Jameson accompanied the casket bearing the last of the child to the little grave wherein it was deposited

-- Two residents of Victoria W. lowed their angry passions to rise a very trifling matter on Tu the machinery of the law had in motion to satisfy them. John a carpente, owns a house and joining that of Wm. Bowdon, an tenant was quitting entered bor's let to nail on several board had been knocked off by the ten fendant claims that in plaintiff tried to pull a nail other fence belonging to the and as a chastisement for de Gunn over the knuckles with causing a bruise thereon. T so trivial that Mr. Belyea both men for burdening the court records with a case which should never have came before him, and dismissed the case with costs upon the defendant.

-The funeral of late Fireman Kinsey this afternoon was made the occasion of a very sincere tribute of respect by his colleagues in the brigade. The casket was conveyed on the hose wagon which the deceased drove, and was crowded with a wealth of floral tributes. Rev. Dr. Campbell officiated at the church and also at the graveside, and the pall-bearers were selected from members of the fire department. The bells of the various fire halls were tolled during the progress of the cortege to Ross Bay, where the inter ment took place.

JUST LIKE AHAB.

Miners Want to Get to Work on the Reservation of the Metlakatla Indians.

veralls, 12 es.

Ver. Rithet. The application of the defendant was to virtice out certain portions of the statement of claim, alleged by the most them, be define, and a week was granted the plaintiff's counsel. Hon. Fred.

—A change has been made in the position of purser on the C.P. N. steamer will assign to for purser of the counsel. Mr. S. Perry Mills, is taking sition of purser on the C.P. N. steamer will properly way to Purser Brewster, lakely of the solutions of the west coast was defined and the positions of the relations hitherthe existing is not constructed by the construction of the purser of the purs ard group of seventeen claims on the Cleve-

Tange of precipitons mountains, 2.500 is 3,000 feet high, which runs from north t south and cuts off the west side from the east side, where the mineral discoverie have been made. If the Indians ever discoveries the contract the state of the contract the contract the state of the contract t Talander will not leave her wharf here until seven o'clock to-morrow morning.

A party of seven men who have been in the Omineca country for the Canada Devolpment Co, came in last night from Vancouver and are at the Deminion.

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The sole excuse for closing American white men," says Capt. Dyer, "is that the Vancouver and are at the Deminion. with the white men. Now they have no inducement to go away from their own settlement to other parts of the island for it has no game and no salmon streams. There are towns inhabited by white men much nearer than the mineral discoveries on the east side of the island, and they actually do go to these towns to work, and are more exposed to contamination the than if the east side were opened to prothan of the east side were opened to p pectors. They run the sawmill at Ket kan, and the white men do not seem contaminate them very much. In fi those Indians are pretty bright and themselves in favor of opening the islaw. There must be 100 claims which here located in good faith on the side of the island and duly recorded, the recording fees have been accepted the government. Those claims could worked without interference with the dians, for they would be separated by central mountain chain. Let the government give the Indians five or ten soundings and throw the balance open. miles and throw the balance open, for there is no reason why that whole group of islands, comprising 150 to 200 square miles, should remain undeveloped for the benefit of a few hundred foreign Indians who never use it."

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Dated the 26th day of October, 1898.
S. Y. WOOTTON.

Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

Notice is hereby given that sixty days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to nurchase one hundred and sixty acres of land, situated in Cassiar District, Province of British Columbia: Commencing at a post on the shore of Atlin Lake, marked "I H. Worsnop," N.E. corner, about one and a half miles northly of Atlinto river: thence westerly 20 chains; thence 80 chains south thence 20 chains easterly to point of commencement; containing if to point of commencement; containing if all one hundred and sixty acres (more of less).

Dated this the twenty-seventh day August, 1898.

T. H. WORSNOP.

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