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THE LEGISLATIVE SESSION.

The session of the legislature which has just closed indicates clearly two things. The first and most important is that the present government is ready to take advantage of the position in which the people have placed it by concentrating power in its own hands, and like the government of the Central American countries of Mexico, making itself secure for the next election.

It would be egotistic for anyone to say that nothing of value had been done during the session. The regulation of auto-car traffic, if enforced by the provincial authorities, should prove of value.

"LET WELL ENOUGH ALONE."

The cry of the Conservatives to-day, as always in the past, is "Let well enough alone." This is the motto on which the country is to grow. This is the policy which is to place Canada in the forefront of nations.

Old Victoria was in a good way to become fossilized into the new spirit of "advance Victoria" eventually killed out the other. Had we clung to the old motto we should still have been a city with 25,000 inhabitants, resembling an unpretentious village.

TORONTO PATRIOTS.

Nineteen well-known Toronto Liberals, we are told, have placed themselves on record as opposed to reciprocity with the United States. The names of these so-called well-known Liberals have been published in the Conservative press, and it must be said for them that if they have been prominent in the councils or on the platforms of the Liberal party they have succeeded in keeping their lights for the greater part of their lives under a most accommodating bushel.

MR. SIFTON'S TRADE VIEWS.

So the bowels of Hon. Clifford Sifton are also moved to compassion at the bare idea of what may befall Canada should the reciprocity agreement with the United States be ratified.

REDUCED TO A SKELETON

DOCTOR SAID SHE WOULD DIE

"Fruit-a-tives" Saved Her Life

Riviere a Pierre, Que., May 9, 1910. "I look upon my recovery as nothing short of a miracle. I was for eleven years constantly suffering from Chronic Dyspepsia, Indigestion and Constipation. The last two years of my illness, I was confined to my bed nearly all the time. I was so thin I weighed only 80 pounds, and I vomited everything I ate. Even water would not stay on my stomach.

IN MEMORY OF PATRON ST. DAVID

Cymrodori Society of Victoria Held Successful Banquet

The memory of St. David, the patron saint of Wales, was fittingly celebrated last night in the Broad street hall, when the Cymrodori Society of Victoria, to the number of about 100, gathered to sit around the festive board at banquet.

THE SAANICH TRAMWAY.

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LORIMER GETS SEAT.

Washington, D. C., March 1.—William Lorimer, senator from Illinois, was exonerated of the charge that he was corruptly elected by a vote in the United States senate to-day. Forty-five votes were cast against the resolution that the senate declare Lorimer's seat vacant.

CITY ENGINEER RESIGNS

Vancouver, March 1.—Like a bolt from the blue, causing consternation in the council chamber, the resignation of W. J. Clement, city engineer, was received by the city council. In handing in his resignation, Mr. Clement addressed the following letter: "As arrangements with relation to re-organization of the engineering department have been made, I now place my resignation in your hands, and ask to be relieved of my duties on March 31."

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Pauline & Company

Men's Furnishings and Wholesale Drygoods

Distributing Agents Stanfield's Underwear.

VICTORIA, B. C.

THE CITY MARKET

Table listing market prices for various goods including Meats, Eggs, Butter, and Flour.

WHOLESALE MARKET

Table listing wholesale prices for various goods including Bacon, Hams, Eggs, and Flour.

LAND REGISTRY ACT

In the Matter of an Application for a Duplicate Certificate of Title...

LAND ACT

DISTRICT OF COAST RANGE...

NOTICE

Pursuant to the by-laws of the...

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S.P.

Officers' Num...

THE DOCTOR

"An' yes, restles and feverish. Give his Steadman's Power and he will soon be all right."

Steedman's Soothing Powders

CONTAIN NO POISON

Don't Torture Your Feet

Bowes' Corn Cure

Now, while you wear your heavy winter shoes is the time to get rid of corns.

Cyrus H. Bowes CHEMIST

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