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British Columbia Pioneers Revive Early Provincial Days at Their Annual Banquet.

Excellent Spread, Interesting Remoiniscences, Entertaining Songs; and Speeches.

and the days of gold, the days when prominent business men of to-day wielded the pick or delved with the shovel; when Boston Bar was a place of importance and pork and beans were a necessary item on every wellregulated menu; the days when those seeking the yellow metal scoffed at the unpromising looking rock of the Kootenay district; when no railways had pierced the Rocky mountains or pierced through the still rockier Cascades; the days when everybody had plenty of money; when the Q. C.'s of today and even the wearers of the ermine made money easily by carrying on an intinerant practice among the miners of Cariboo and lost it just as easily to the miners in the seductive game of draw poker or seven-up; the days when Victoria was a free port and no one feared the tax collector-the early days of the province were all brought back from memory's casket and were lived over again by those who were present at the twentysixth annual dinner of the British Columbia Pioneer Society which was held in the Occidental Hotel last evening.

The place for holding the dinner was fitting in more ways than one. The building itself is a pioneer, having been the first brick structure in Victoria, and its host, Mr. Walter Porter, did everything that could be done to make the banquet a success. The capacious dining room showed the work of the master hand. The decorations of flags, flowers and evergreens were tasty, and hung over the tables was a large lithograph of Sir James Douglas, a pioneer of pioneers. The tables were conveniently arranged, the menu was excellent, and an efficient staff of waiters anticipated every wish

of the guests. Much regret was expressed at the absence of Mr. T. J. Partridge, the newly elected president who through serious illness in his family was unable to be present. In his absence the vice-president, Postmaster Noah Shakespeare, occupied the chair. On his right was Hon. J. H. Turner, Mayor Beaven and Ald. Humphrey and on the left Mr. Eure, U. S. vice-consul, and Messrs Prior and Earle. At the other end of the table, the treasurer, Mr. E. J. Thain presid-

After the inner man had been amply satisfied with the many good things, including "Lillooet Brown Beans cooked over night with bacon," Vice-President Noah Shakespeare read a letter of regret explaining the absence of the president. He then proposed the toast of "The Queen, the Prince of Wales and the Royal Family," which was right loyally received.

Vice-President Shakespeare also pro-

ple of Victoria to include the President of the United States in their toast lists at all banquets. He hoped the custom would prevail and that nothing would happen that will compel that toast to be obliterated from future lists. He trusted that the policy of settling disputes by international arbitration would continue and that the friendly relations between both countries would be permanent. Mr. Eure paid a glowing tribute to Grover Cleveland, the retiring President, and referred to the recognized ability of Major William McKinley the Presidentelect. Mr. Eure's eloquent peroration extolled the work of the pioneers in this country and also in the United States. Mr. E. J. Thain referred to the Gov

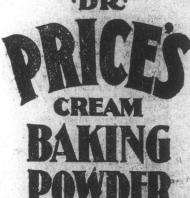
ernor-General as a British Columbia farmer in proposing the health of that gentleman and hoped he would be present at the next dinner of the Pioneer Society

Mr Charles Holtz sang a patriotic song in his own inimitable style, the audience joining in the chorus.

Mr. C. E. Redfern in proposing the toast "The Lieutenant-Governor," pointed out that Mr. Dewdney was a pioneer of the province and that all regretted

his absence from the banquet. The next toast "British Columbia" and the prevince found an able champior in Mr. J. Clearibue. He cloquently described the hardships of the early pioneers in traversing the districts along the mighty Fraser in their search for the yellow metal. He referred to the growth of the province as a whole—a province progressive and taking her stand among the sister provinces. The toest was received with the utmost enthusiasm and Mr. Helmcken responded. He also paid a glowing tribute to the past of the province and pictured for it a bright future. Mr. Fisher then sang a song which was so favorably received that he was forced to respend to a spirited encore to obtain and grant funds for expending need will be sufficient reward for my forced to respond to a spirited encore. Mr. A. Graham had charge of he next toast "The Dominion Senate, Commons and the Local Government." He de-

scribed the work of the late Governor Awarded Highest Honors-World's Fair, DR:



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Prior was the first to rewas anxious to grow old in order to qualify as a pioneer. In history the man who owned the first claim on Williams Creek or had the first pack train in the mountains would hold a more important position than a member of the Dominion house of commons.

Mr. Earle believed that the mem of both the senate and the house of cou-mons worked for the welfare of the reo-ple. He believed the legislatures of the Dominion would bear comparison with the legislatures of other countries of

Hon. J. H. Turner complimented hose who had spoken on their speeches, par-ticularly Mr. Eure. He believed that the nearer this country and the country which Mr. Eure represented, got together- so long as they remained eparate—the better it would be for both. Mr. Turner humorously referred to the time he started business in Victoria and got a corner on potatoes. The provincial legislature had a great work before it and could do much to develop the great natural resources of this province. Mr. Turner dropped into remmiscences and gave many interesting aneclives of

Capt. John Irving, M.P.P., in a short but forcible speech referred to the possibilities of the province. He was neigher a Liberal or Conservative, but a British Columbian and would atways support a party that did most to develop a province. The provincial legislature should make liberal expenditures with this object in view.

Mr. H. D. Helmcken, M.P.P., also briefly responded. He referred to the days when he and "Captain John" went, to school together and what the latter had afterwards done towards developing the province. Mr. Helmcken referred to the great work ahead of the provincial legislature and believed that every member will seek to do what will be in the best interests of the province. Mr. Charles E. Redfern sang "The Old

Black Mule," a song descriptive of early Mr. J. J. Austin proposed the "Army, Navy and Volunteers" in a neat speech and Col. Prior and Mr. Wilsie replied in

appropriate speeches. Mr. J. B Lovell proposed "The Mayor and Council of the City of Victoria" which he described as the "best abused men in the community" Mr Lovell pointed out the difficulties the corporation of the city had to contend with. Mayor Beaven in reply gave Sir James Douglas the credit for laying the foundation of the city of Victoria. He referred to municipal matters and gave way to Ald. Humphrey, who replied

Lieut.-Col. Prior gave the "Midship Mite" in excellent style and was loudly Mr. Thomas Flewin proposed the "Sister Societies" and Mr. John Robertson and Mr. H. D. Helmeken replied for the St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society. Mr. Flewin also sang "The Maiden Fair.'

briefly.

Ald. Humphrey also proposed the toast "The Bench and Bar," whose members, he said were almost as bad as aldermen. Mr. Helmcken again replied.

Mr. Pearson proposed the toast of posed the toast "The President of the "The Press" in a forcible speech in

Mr. E. J. Thain proposed "The Ladies" and Mr. Eure's eulogy in reply was most eloquently delivered. Mr. Thos. Flewin again favored the audience with a song, and his selection was a most appropriate and popular one at a pioneer dinner-namely, "Forty

Mr. Shakespeare proposed "The Host" and complimented him on the excellence of all the arrangements. Mr. Porter replied

"Auld Lang Syne" and 'God Save the Queen" brought to a close one of the most successful of the many banquets given by the Pioneer Society.

# ADMIRALTY HOUSE.

Mayor Beaven Posts a Notice of Motion Regarding the Matter.

The following notice of motion bearing the signature of his worship the rayor was placed on the bulletin board at the city hall last evening.

"Whereas it is desirable that a resicommander-in-chief of the Pacific naval station; and whereas the expenditure necessary to secure the same may fairly be distributed between the federal and provincial governments and the corporation of the city of Victoria; be it therefore resolved that the provincial government be requested to contribute towards the above object and in to urge upon the government of the Dosistance for the same purpose, and that enact such legislation as will enable the be ture for the same purpose, and further, that the representatives of the city and district in the parliament of Canada and the legislative assembly of the province be also requested to use their influence to bring about the same obiects."

# LAW INTELLIGENCE.

The trial in Crause v. Lawrence was ended this morning before Mr. Justice Walkem, who gave plaintiff judgment for \$75 and costs. Thornton Fell for plaintiff and J. A. Aikman for defend-

This morning Mr. Justice Walkem gave his reasons for judgment in Johnston v. Lawry. The judgment is for the plaintiff for \$225 and costs. Application was then made on behalf of the defendant for a stay of proceedings under the judgment pending an appeal. The application was adjourned until after the taxation of costs. J. A. Aikman for plaintiff and George E. Powell for defendant.

R. J. Skinner, J. R. Brown, A. H. Herman and C. F. Forbes, Vancouver, are among the recent arrivals at the

Hon. L. H. Davies Arrives From Seattle on the Quadra This Morning.

Next Week.

Hon. Louis H. Davies, minister of marine and fisheries and his private secra this morning; and are quartered at had already gone in for the many telegrams relating to business con-nected with his department, and the courts of common law. whole forenoon was spent in attending to this correspondence.

26th of last month. They proceeded to commissioners had intimated that as to the Sault, where Hon. A. G. Blair, the admission of evidence they were minister of railways and canals, care largely in the hands of counsel, and if travelled by the Great Northern. They to pursue were delayed several days by snow Judge Putnam said they had kane on Thursday last. Here the minis-Domville, M.P., going to the Kootenay country in the "Ottawa," and Hon. Mr. Davies came to Tacoma by the Northern ling by rail. Scattle was, however, their case. reached last evening by the steamer Flyer. The Quadra left there shortly after midnight and arrived here at nine

clock this morning. Hon. Mr. Blair will remain in Kootenay for several days. He will gather all the information possible concerning the proposed railway through the Crow's Nest Pass and also regarding the railway situation in Kootenay generally. Hon. Mr. Blair will return to Spokane and will travel by the Great Northern to Seattle where the Quadra will probably meet him. Mr. Davies will remain in Victoria until Mr. Blair arrives here. This morning Hon. Mr. Davies visited the new parliament buildings and attended the sitting of the Behring Sea Commission. In the afternoon Esquimalt and other places of interest were visited. The minister of marine and fisheries, the members of the Behring Sea Commission and the counsel for both sides will dine with the Lieut.-Governor at

Carey Castle this evening. During the week which Hon. Mr. Davies will spend in Victoria he will attend to many matters connected with his department. A visit will be made to as many coast lighthouses as possible. Several conferences will be held with those interested in the sealing industry, an address will be presented by the British Columbia Board of Trade, and in all probability a public meeting will be United States" in a next speech, which he pointed out the great work the held under the auspices of the Liberal a year ago shipping masters were ap-It was found during the present season that the Indians in a measure disregarded the articles which they had signed, thus entailing considerable loss to the sealing schooners. Many of the captains are now in favor of going back to the old method of bringing the Indians to Victoria and having them shipped from here. Hon, Mr. Davies will inquire into the matter with the object of making any changes necessary to promote shipping interests in this direction.

#### A MESSAGE TO MEN. Proving That True Honesty and True Philanthropy Still Exist.

If any man who is weak, nervous and of the various troubles resulting from will take heart and write to me, I will send him confidentially and free of charge the plan pursued by which I was completely restored to perfect ed as a feeler.

Vigor and Organic Weakness. I have nothing to sell and therefore want no money, but as I know through my own experience how to sympathize with such sufferers, I am glad to be able to asist any fellow being to a cure. I am well aware of the prevalence of quackery, for I myself was deceived and mposed upon until I nearly lost faith mankind, but I rejoice to say that I am now perfectly well and happy once mirion the desirability of granting as more and am desirous therefore to make this certain means of cure known to all. the legislative assembly be moved to If you will write to me you can tely on ng cured and the proud satisfaction trouble. Absolute secrecy is assured. Send 5 c. silver to cover postage and address, Mr. George G. Strong, North' Bockwood, Mich.

### THE SEAL COMMISSION. A Little Variance Between Counsel in Regard to Evidence.

Yesterday afternoon after the cross examination of Mr. Turpel W. G. Walker was called and examined by Sir C. H. Tupper. The witness said he had served a five years' apprenticeship in shipyards in Scotland, and subsequently had worked as a ship carpenter in Eastern Canada and Californa. In 1875 he came to Victoria, and since then had continued in the same line of business until 1884, when he was appointed measuring surveyor for Victoria. As such he was called in to measure for the customs authorities the alterations that had been made to the Carolena, and he then examined the schooner thoroughly. A fair value would be \$4,000, and he could not have built and fitted out a vessel so well for that money. In 1886 schooners suitable for sealing were difficult to obtain in Victoria.

To Mr. Dickinson he said he thought

the only sealer built here up to 1886 was the W. P. Sayward. Here builders consider Douglas fir better than Oregon pine; it is harder and makes a better and more durable vessel.

Alexander Watson, a shipbuilder, said he thought the Carolena in 1882 was This morning Daniel Warner, a ship-

wright who had done work on the Car-Hon. Mr. Blair Goes to Kootenay

But Will Reach Here

Hone will around the Horn in 1886, Mr. Peters raised the objection that the matter was new and the witness had already said he could not fix dates.

Mr. Dickinson said the objection was was highly technical, and remarked that if the commissioners were going retary Mr. E. B. Williams, arrived by to be technical he would like to know the Dominion government steamer Quad-, what they could say about much that the Driard. Awaiting Mr. Davies were side, and which certainly was not in accord with the rules of evidence in

Mr. Peters said he had no intention of being technical, and further that it The trip across the continent was a was quite open to his learned friend series of delays, caused by snow and to offer objections to any evidence of-washouts. The party left the capital in fered by the British side.

the government car "Ottawa" on the Mr. Dickinson then stated that the fully inspected the new canal on the they were now to be bound by strict Canadian side. The party then took the jules he would like to know so that

blockades in Montana, reaching Spo- thought it well to lay down any strict rules and Indge King said the same. ters separated, Hon. Mr. Blair and Col. but added that counsel must keep the case within the limits of the pleadings. The commissioner for Her Britannie Majesty complimented Mr. Dickinson on Pacific. Travelling difficulties were not the fair way in which he had conducted yet ended, as it was found that wash-the case for the United States, and also outs on the branch line between Ta- spoke in terms of praise of the mancoma and Seattle precluded their travel- ner the British counsel had conducted Captain Sabiston said that in 1884

a rew vessel as good as the Carolena could not have been built for less than 95,000 John Clark, the well known sealing

man connected with the long pending case of Ward vs. Clark, gave evidence as to the price of building schooners in 1891 and 1892. The commission then adjourned until Monday.

HON. MR. TARTE'S TOUR.

He Talks to a Reporter of His Western Visit.

The following is from the Winnipeg Free Press of Nov 28th. Hong J. Israel Tarte, minister of publications, and the chief lieutenant of micr Laurier, arrived in Winnipeg morning from his western tour.

After shaking hands with the reporter, Mr. Tarte queried: "You want to know something of my trip west," and ecciving an affirmative reply he contipued: "Well, I want you to say in the Free Press that it was the most pleasant and the most interesting tri of my life. I learned a great deal of he wants, the resources and the wonderful prospects of this vast Northwes! centry and go home brim-full of in- During the first six months in the hos-Mr. Eure, the vice-consul replied. He thanked those present for the hearty thanked th where I went unbounded confidence. pointed there in order to expedite the and this confidence struck me articling of Indians for sealing craises. as being one of the most encouraging and hopeful features. No

piere satisfied people at all points received us with the greatest kindness, and made our stay with them most agmost interesting trip of my life.' After this evidently sincere outburst of enthusiasm the reporter venyou tell me regarding the school ques-

"I can tell you that everywhere in the west the people of all creeds and politics receive it with entire satis-faction. Since the terms were mad: joint in his body was swoilen and dis-torted, and he suffered the most excuknown I have met people of all races and creeds at points widely remote and in the entire west I did not find a debilitated, or who is suffering from any man who was dissatisfied with the settlement. They all want peace and youthful folly, excesses or overwork, harmony and have become weary of this unceasing strife and contention. "But Archbishop Langevin is not satisfied," the newspaper man remark-

dence should be provided at or near health and manhood, after years of suf-Esquimalt harbor for the use of the fering from Nervous Debility, Loss of who is dissatisfied. Why out in the French settlements of Edmonton, St. Albert and elsewhere I talked with my own people very freely and found them all pleased with the arrangement. can tell you, Mr. Richardson (this to the member for Lisgar who was seated at his elbow) the Archbishop will find all people against the attitude he is taking, both French and English."
"Yes, I think so," said the Lisgar "Mr. Laurier will have all the

English speaking people with him and he will at 'east divide Quebec" "Divide Quebec!" exclaimed Mr. Tarte, "My dear man where have you been? On that set-Tarte, tlement we can sweep Quebec. Didn't we do it at the last election? Archbishop Langevin came down there then, he made speeches just as violent as he is making to-day, and what was the result? Just what it will be again.

Quebec is with us solidly. We could carry every constituency on the fairness of that settlement." After this vigorous exclamation Mr. Tarte opened a telegram which a bellboy delivered. It evidently related to what he was talking about for a surprised look came over his face and he

asked: "Is it really true that Archbishop Langevin told the people to be Catholies before they were Canadians? "Oh, yes, quite true," said Mr. Rich-

'Well, well," mused the Minister, reding the telegram the second time, would not have believed it. But Archbishop is a young man. think His Grace will find as he grows older that people want reason and not violence. I am sorry, very sorry, he is taking the attitude he is."

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We suppose that there is not a resident of Newmarket who does not know "Soo" line to St. Paul and from there in future he would know what course Mr. J. A. Moffatt, who does not know of his years of suffering and who has at Eau Claire is really the stage of the not heard of his release from a life of helplessness and pain through the medium of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Indeed we doubt if in the annals of medicine there is a more remarkable restoration than has been accomplished in Mr. Moffatt's case, and he deems it his duty to mankind to make the facts known through the columns of the Advertiser. Ten years ago Mr. Moffatt was working in the Newmarket hat factory. Through the influence of the damp room and possibly some carelessness in regard to his health, he was attacked with a severe cold which eventually settled in his limbs. For some years he was an almost constant sufferer from rheumatic pains and spent much money in

treatment for the trouble, but with no under the mass of ice. result beyond an occasional temporary release from pain. Finally, to make matters worse, he was attacked with malaria and rheumatic fever. He was then forced to go to the Torouto gen-



eral hospital when it was found that he

was afflicted with torticollis (wry neck). weeks later a second operation was performed. The operations proved successful only in so far as they offcred tempoone is discouraged or discontented. A rary relief. He remained in the hospita from November, 1890, till January, 1892 when with all the modern remedies and appliances known to the staff recable. Without a doubt it was the of that well equipped institution no permanent relief could be obtained. He was then advised to go home, partly in the hope that the change might prove benetired to put the question: "What can ficial, but instead he continually grew worse, and in March, 1892, was again Coffee, 25c, per lh. forced to take to his bed, and those who knew of his condition did not believe he had long to live. At this time every torted, and he suffered the most excruciating agony. If a person walked across his bedroom it intensified the pain as though he was being pierced and torn with knives, and if touched would scream aloud with agony. In this state of hopeless suffering he remained in bed for eighteen months, all the while using all manner of medicines from which relief might be boped for. Then he was put under the treatment of a celebrated Toronto specialist, but with no better result. After this last experiment faired, he determined to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, at the same time discontinuing all other treatment. At the end of three months there was a very noticeable improvement in his condition, and so much so that his mother thought he could be lifted outside. He was still so weak, however, that he was only able to remain up a few minutes as before. When taken back to bed he felt a sudden tingling sensation going up from his toes and through his joints and spine. The next morning when he awoke pain had left the body and lodged in the arms, and then for some weeks the pain flitted from place to place in the arms and then disappeared, and he has not had a particle of pain since. All this time he was taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and slowly but surely regain ing his strength. Then an invalid's chair was procured, and he was wheeled out: eventually he was able to wheel himself about. The continued use of the Pink Pills constantly added to his strength, and then the chair was discarded for crutches, and then the crutches for a cane. At this time (September, 1895) Mr. Moffatt had so far recovered that he was a frequent contributor to the columns of the Advertiser, and procuring a horse and buggy he was engaged as local reporter for the paper. The once utterly helpless invalid is now able to go about, and to get. in and out of his buggy without any assistance, and is at his post of duty whenever called upon. Thus we find that after years of suffering and helplessness Dr. Williams'

Pink Pills have proved successful after all other remedies and the best of medi-cal treatment had utterly failed. With such marvellous cures as this to its credit it is no wonder that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the most popular medicine with all classes throughout the land, and this case certainly justifies the claim put forth on its behalf-that it "cures when other medicines fail."

THE WATER FALLING.

Danger is Past in the Cities on the Bank of the Chippewa.

Chippewa Falls, Wis., Dec. 4.-". ne river is falling at the rate of a foot a day, and there is no reason whatever for apprehension," said Col. W. A. Jones, U. S. A., to an Associated Press representative yesterday, after he had put in a busy day investigating the situation along the Chippewa river. Col. Jones, who is in charge of the government engineering works in the North-west had been called here by the local authorities, who sought expert advice on what seemed like an extremely critical situation. He continued:

"The situation of the river at Eau Claire and at Chippewa Falls is practical y the same, and the stage of water river, as the flood here is simply caused by the backwater. Most of the water is able to get away under the ice, and the backwater represents the amount of water that is unable to get away. As the river goes down more of this water will flow away under the ice, and the floods here will be over soon.

"The gorge extends about eighteen miles, and is made up largely of anchor ice, which is a sort of slush packed closely but not so hard as ordinary ice. Under this the river is running in somewhat cramped quarters, and as the water falls more the ice will drop down into the river bed, where it is likely to stop until the spring, the water still running along under the mass of ice.

"We seem to be starting on a regular old-fashioned winter, so that there is every reason to expect a continuation of the ice till spring, but there is no reason to apprehend any danger."

Col. Jones will visit Eau Claire and look into the aftuation further to-mor-row. The people of the Chippewa val-ley will undoubtedly feel much relieved, over such an opinion from such an authority. The water has been just about twenty-five feet above high water ma all afternoon. It has been snowing tonight, the ground being covered, but the cold weather continues with little change.

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# Land Registry Act.

In the Matter of an Application for a Duplicate of Certificate of Title to the South-west Quarter of Section 12 (twelve), Mayne Island, in the Province of British Columbia.

Notice is hereby given that it is my intention at the expiration of one month from the date hereof, to issue a Duplicate of the Certificate of Title of William Tomkins Collinson to the above lands, dated the 2nd day of June, 1882, and numbered 3,923 A. Land Regis ry Office, Victoria, B. C., Nov.

S. Y. WOOTTON.

## Registrar General of Titles. NOTICE

Notice is hereby given the t sixty days after date; intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described lands: Commencing at a stake marked "L. H.," on the shore line of the east coast of Princess koyal is and; thence westerly 40 chains; thence south rily forty chains; thence easterly firty chains; thence northerly forty chains to the point of commer cement, and containing 166 acre., more or less. 166 acre., more or less. J. HOMANS. October 7th, 1896.

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