

he Lower Deck.

SATISFACTORY PROGRESS. ivic Improvements Are Being Well Advanced-The Rock Bay Roadway.

Should this fall be long and favorablefor construction work it is possible that most of the permanent sidewalk improvements contemplated by the city council will. be laid this year. The work is advancing in a very satisfactory manner.

Yates street from Blanchard to Cadborg-Bay road, and Fort street from Blanchard. to the Oak Bay junction on one side and. from Blanchard to Stanley avenue on the other, have been receiving attention. The work on Yates street is nearing completion. and the force of laborers there employed will shortly be transferred to another part of the city. When both thoroughfares have been finished, King's road and Hillside avenue will probably be the next to be im proved. There is, as previously reported, a long walk to be laid on the south side of Hillside avenue, reaching from Douglas to Fourth street: The new walk on King's road will extend only from Douglas to Second street.

City Engineer Topp stated this morning that the permanent walks were building with all possible dispatch, and he expected to see the most of that already outlined carried out this year if the weather per mitted.

The B. C. Electric Railway Company will begin the laying of its permanent tracks across Rock Bay next Tuesday, and probably in a few weeks hence the Esquinait cars will be running regularly over this new roadway.

Before the roadway can be used for vehicular traffic it will have to be mac adamized, which work the city council will

IMPROVED GRADE.

J. J. Hill Is Diverting the Main Traffic of the Great Northern

St. Paul, Minn., July 29.—In sixty days the Great Northern railway will abandon 100 miles of its present main line in Montana in favor of a new rout covering the same distance which strikes north from Columbia Falls to a junction with the Fernie, B. C., branch at Rexford, thence back again over the Fernie branch to the main line at Jennings.

The existing main line will become a

branch to all intents and purposes and fourteen prosperous main line towns—Lat Salle, Kalispell, Batavia, Sedan, Athens, Marion, Haskell Pass, Lucerne, Pleas ant Valley, Lake View, Melbourne, Atlanta, Sterling and Fisher river will cut off from the principal channel of the

through business. By the abandonment of the 100-milesection President J. J. Hill will secure minimum grade for the Great Northern which he claims to be slightly less than that of any of the American trans-continental routes. The new route will be sed by all through trains of heavy tonnage, while lighter freights and local old roufe, which will still be kept up.

STEEL FACTORY DEAL.

Purchase Made by Company of Extensive Wire Plant.

New York, July 29.-It was an ounced to-day that the wire plant of the Trenton Iron Company has be chased by the United States Steel Company. The price was in the form of 5 per cent. second mortgage bonds of the steel corporation. There are now of these about \$107,000,000 outstanding The plant was founded by Cooper in 1847. The Trenton Company is capitalized at \$2,000,000, with about \$600,000 issued.

The bamboo has been known to grow two

ANNUAL PICNIC HELD YESTERDAY

MERCHAN S' OU ING WAS GRAND SUCCESS

About Fifteen Hundred Spent the Day at Sidney - Some Prize Winners.

City band. Ideal weather, a prompt ion government from the decision by Mr. train service to the grounds, and an ener Justice Martin which gave the title to getic management committee were the Deadman's Island to the province. three features to which may be attributed the unqualified success of the outing penred for the Dominion, and A. E. Mefrom every standpoint. Although the Sidney depot throughout the forenoon, ose who left in the early afternoo

ommodation sufficient for all. On arriving at Sidney pleasure-seekers were not allowed to wait long for entertainment. In order to run all the races ncluded in the lengthy programme, which has already appeared in these columns, it was found necessary to call the first contests in the morning. By lunch time the opening competitions had been com-pleted, enabling the starters and judges to continue the sport without delay.

The first event was a baseball match between teams selected from the whole-sale and retail merchants. These aggre-

gations lined up almost directly after the arrival of the early train, and put up a fairly good exhibition of ball. Only five innings were played, however, before it became necessary to discontinue play, and in that time the wholesalers were in In the afternoon another game was played between the Fernwood and Hill-

Another tombola for a prize presented by J. H. Todd & Son was won by Mrs.

Following is a list of the winners in Retail Drivers' Race, 100 yards-1st, S.

Herd, silver cup, by S. J. Pitts; 2nd, A. E. Clark, 1 sack flour, by R. Baker & Son, Bookkeepers and Salesmen's Race, 100 vards-1st. S. Mason, sparklet and syphon; nd, B. Gray, quarter lamb, by R. McFadson Bay Co.

Sack Race, for married men-1st, M. Coldwell, box cigars, by Turner, Beeton & Co.; 2nd, Mr. Salter, bottle booze, by Dixi Ross; 3rd, H. Kirkham, 10 cakes White Swan Soap, by W. J. Pendray. Retail Grocers' Race, managers and book-

oast of beef, by L. Goodacre; 3rd, W. Deaville, sack flour, by J. Renout. Three-Legged Race, 75 yards-1st, A. Gray and V. Gray, 2 sacks Hungarian flour, by

Wilson Bros.; 2nd, Sweeney and Nason, 5 Ds. tea, value \$2, by T. Redding. Bicycle Race, one mile-1st, P. McQuade, goods \$2.50, by F. Carne; 2nd, H. Lester, ox peaches and 1 doz. fruit lars. Hardress Clarke; 3rd, N. Petch, 1 lb. Tetley tea, by am in a position to say that I write with Wholesale and Managers of Wholesale

Houses Race, 75 yards—1st, S. Nason, box cigars, by R. P. Rithet & Co. Retail Grocers' Race, 200 yards-1st, T. Evans, cup. by Wilson Bros.; 2nd, H. Kirkiam, quarter lamb, by Pacific Market, R.

Porter & Sons. of coffee, by A. J. Morley. Boys' Race (100 yards), under 20 years, employed by retail grocers-1st, Mr. Hurd, silver cup, by Hudson Bay Co.

Travellers' Race (440 yards), for whole-sale houses—ist, S. P. Moody, ½ doz. Kopp's liqueur, by Hudson Bay Co.; 2nd, S. Nason, ox apples, R. S. Byrns; 3rd, W. Sweeney, 6 tins peaches, by Simon Leiser. Consolation Race, 100 yards—1st, B. May-

nard, 6 tins peaches, by Simon Leiser; 2nd, A. McGregor, 20 cakes Pendray's soap. Bakers' Race, 200 yards-1st, T. Luscomb, silver cup. by Bakers' Association; 2nd, A. Combes, box cigars; 3rd, H. Wille, 20 cakes Pendray's soap. Wives of Grocers and Butchers' Race, 50

yards—1st, Mrs. Parker, side of lamb, by B. C. Market, value \$3; 2nd, Mrs. Speed, sack of flour, by Wilson Bros.; 3rd, Mrs. Galbraith, 1 lb. Tetley's tea, by Hudson Bay Co. Wives and Sweethearts of Bakers' Race

tins baking powder, by Speed Bros. Tombola, for wives of grocers—Mrs. Wat-son Hall, prize by J. H. Todd & Son. Drivers' Race, quarter mile-1st, M. Caldll, 1/2 doz. Kopp's liqueur, by Hudson Bay Co.; 2nd. G. Shallard, 20 bars Pendray's soap: 3rd, A. Clark, 3 tins peaches,

Horse Race, one mile-1st. W. Dickson. case of claret, by Pither & Leiser, and bridle, by W. Duncan: 2nd. Rennie & Tayer bit, by C. Goodwin, and whip, y F. Norris & Sons: 3rd. J. Murch. fly net.

by a large number. An orchestra, which had been engaged for the occasion, provided a splendid selection of music, and everyone, it is safe to say, spent a thoroughly enjoyable time. When the last train left the grounds, at about midnight, every car was thronged. Members of the committee in charge, the judge and starters, and others who assisted, deserve commendation, as the success of the pic-

nic was large owing to the thoroughness I IN THE SCHOOLS JUDGMENT IN LUDGATE CASE

Full Court Allow the Appeal Which Vests Title to Deadman Island in

The Full court at noon to-day deliver ed judgments on a number of important appeals. In Attoreny-General v. Ludgate, It is conservatively estimated that over a case which has attained a marked de-1.500 attended the Merchants' basket gree of celebrity, the appeal was allowed noon under the auspices of the Victoria that the appeal was taken by the Domin-F. Peters, K. C., and Mr. Howay ap-

of the preparation.

Phillips K. C. Robt, Cassidy, K.C.; and crowds that flocked to the Victoria & Harold Robertson represented the provi ince. This judgment vests the title to the land in the Dominion government, and those who lerr in the rank were larger than the most sanguine had anticipated, there was comfortable accurately according to the composition of the composition o In Williams v. Bank of Montreal, the

appeal was dismissed with costs.

In Barrett v. Elliott, the appeal was allowed with costs.

In the appeal taken by the Nelson & Fort Sheppard and Kalso & Spokane railways, against the assessment of its property, the assessment is set aside and the companies are to have the costs of appeal.

FIRE FRIDAY MORNING. Roof Blaze on Toronto Street-Car Ran Over Hose.

A telephone alarm followed by another side intermediate teams. This was won by the former.

For the third consecutive time R. Fell captured the silver cup offered by the retail grocers, and will now hold that trophy permanently, the rule being that when won on three successive occasions by any individual, it passes out of competition. The handsome silver tea set, valued at \$50, which was put up by the Tetley Tea Company for the lady holding the winning number in a tombola, went to Mrs. Ford, with the number 653. Another tombola for a prize presented side intermediate teams. This was won tinguished the blaze, which was confined through all streets, lanes and alleys."

NEW SHORTHAND SYSTEM.

in Victoria.

The 20th century shorthand has evidently come to Canada to stay, as is evidenced by its growth. The system has taken root most firmly in Victoria, and owing to the number of applications and postal pupils at keepers, 100 yards—1st, R. Fell, silver cup, by Brackman & Ker; 2nd, W. Speed, \$2 are many pupils that are doing over sixty words a minute after three weeks' study, taken in a go-as-you-please and easy may ner, and one gentleman has accomplished the full course of 20 lessons and is able to take down any ordinary speaker. This pupil had been working hard for over four months on another system, and as he him-self states in writing: "Within ten days I greater ease and freedom than I did after they wanted to cultivate that sympathy. four months, and find it very much easier

to read." The pupils look upon the study as a wanted to enable a willing person to learn and Winnipeg will be No. 3 branch. The Victoria and Vancouver, in fact all branches, once opened will remain open, and be conducted by some competent pupil

BABY'S DANGER.

The summer months are a bad time 50 yards—1st, Miss Skinner, sliver cake tray; 2nd, Miss S. Lines, berry set, by for babies, and an anxious time for Bakers' Association; 3rd, Miss Thrall, 3 mothers. Fermentation and decomposition in the stomach and bowels are the cause of the many summer complaints of babies and young children. This is the reason why the hot weather months are more fatal to little ones than any other season. Baby's Own Tablets should always be found in every home, where there are young children, and their prompt use during hot weather may save a precious little life. The tablets cure constipation, diarrhoea, and stomach troubles, and are guaranteed to contain no opiate or harmful drug. Mrs. Walter Rollins, Sissons Ridge, N. S., says: "Be-Guessing Match—1st, S. P. Moody, ½ fore using Baby's Own Tablets my little cord of wood, by Burt Bros.; 2nd, W. Acton, 50 cakes Pendray's soap; 3rd, F. stomach troubles. I can truthfully say Dean, 20 cakes Pendray's soap; 4th, A. I never had any medicine act so promptly

ABOUT THE NAVY

LOCAL LEAGUE WANS

Deputation Explains Need of Stimulating Greater Interest on the Part of Younger Generation.

The stately legislative edifice across the Bay has received a number of delegations during the past two days, and it looks as grimages to the parliament building and today another crossed the causeway and Ralph Smith, Esq., M. P., House of Comsought the ear of the powers that be. This latter body was a committee of the Navy League, consisting of Chas. Hayward, James Thomson, C. E. Redfern, Capt. E. C. Clarke, J. K. Rebbick, and the secretary of the league, Joseph Peirson. Its mission was to submit to the superintendent of education the following requests: (1) That the reading books, histories and geographies amended as to give prominence to the fact that the security of the British Empire rests largely on the maintenance of an overwhelming fleet; (2) To ask if in the interests of the British Empire the education department would introduce at

The superintendent of education being called away from the city on urgent business, the deputation was received by Inspector Wilson, before whom was laid the matters just specified. Mr. Redfern ex-plained that the reason why the committee sought this interview was that a great deal of ignorance existed in Canada regarding the British navy. This was not to be from box 123 called the fire department to a big blaze in the roof of Mrs. Mc-Connell's house on Toronto street, James with the exception of those living on the Pacific and Atlantic seaboards but few the lead by a score of 7 runs to 5. They the reference of the respective of cigars offered by R. P. Rithet & Co.

Connell's house on Toronto street, James with the exception of those living on the Pacific and Atlantic seaboards, but few ever saw a warship. As an evidence of the apparatus, and conveyed the impression need of stimulating greater interest in the primary planoforte that there was a big fire in progress, need of stimulating greater interest in the Streams from hydrant and chemical exreferred to the unsatisfactory results which attended the league's action in offering the student, but for the efficiency of her attended the league's action in offering the student, but for the efficiency of her attended the league's action in offering the student, but for the ability of the student, but for the student, but for the student ability of t prizes for essays, there being only one three, but this is not surprising when the competitor on the last occasion, whose concerning the exacting character of the examinations and the H

the Fire Prevention By-law, says: "No person or persons shall run over, with any vehicle, the line or lines of hose in use at any fires, alarms or drills." The Following is a list of the winners in the most important contests included in the sports:

Refail Drivers' Race, 100 vards—1st. S.

Refail Drivers' Race, 100 vards—1st. S. they may study and appreciate its importance. In regard to the flag, Mr. Redfern The penalty attached to an infraction of the manner in which the chilthis by-law is a fine not exceeding \$50. dren of the United States were taught to revere their country's flag. This spirit should exist in the Canadian schools. If the government would have a Union Jack dates. to regard it as the emblem of liberty and greatness, and to realize the importance of

the navy over which it waved. Mr. Hayward suggested that the flag should be hoisted and saluted simultaneously throughout the province every morning. nbers of the committee spoke along similar lines.

Mr. Peirson said he had in his possession certain text books on the subject which he would place at the disposal of the depart ment for nerusal. He then explained fully he aims and objects of the Navy League and drew attention to the success which was attending the organization efforts of Mr. Wyatt, the special envoy of the league, who visited this place last year. He thankeff the department for its co-operation when the legue offered prizes for essays, and said

a minute. After all something was really In regard to the flag, he pointed out that many of the schools already had them, but a rapid system of taking notes and he advised that the committee interview speeches, quicker than the adopted and in- the teachers individually and the school vented style of many years back. The 20th board on the subject. He promised to recentury system answers every wish. The port the representations of the committee new branch at Vancouver is called No. 2, to the superintendent when he returned. Thursday a delegation representing the Victoria and Vancouver Tourist Association made a proposal to the government in an interview to the effect that the latter certificated and licensed to teach by Mr. should assist in the publication of a tourist book. The government promised to take the matter under careful consideration. The B. C. Logging Association, Vancou ver, also had a deputation at the parliament buildings who urged that the restrictions on logs be removed so that they could dispose of the supply they have on hand. They were informed that a full meeting of the executive would have to be held to deal

with this question. COTTON MILL STRIKERS. Many Canadians Are Leaving For Hom

-Distributing Assistan

Fall River, Mass., July 29 .- The fifth day of the cotton mill strike passed quietly. A settlement of the controversy appears distant. Attempts to operate the mills have been abandoned. Hundreds of the French Canadian ele-Hundreds of the Frenca-Canadian ele-ment among the strikers left to-day for Canada, where they will remain until the mills reopen, and still greater num-bers are expected to leave the city

BETTER MAIL SERVICE. Has Been Granted to Saanich District-

Adulteration Act to Be Enforced Also. Ralph Smith, M. P., has obtained, in answer to the wish of a number living in Saanich, an improved mail service to the

district. The mail formerly was delivered twice a week to Hagan Heal, Sluggett and Royal Oak stations, on the Victoria rand Royal Oak stations, on the Victoria Terminal railway.

H. E. Tanner, M. P. P., has just received from Mr. Smith the welcome news that the postal authorities will alter this, giving to each of these places a tri-weekly service. The mail will be sent by the Victoria Terminal railway. Some little time ago Keating station was fiven an improved service esting. was given an improved service, getting

a daily mail now.
Ralph Smith, M. R., also interested himself in the petition of the Fruit Growers' Association, asking for the enforcement of the Adulteration Act. As a result of his efforts he has been ashough the interviewing spirit was in the sured that the act will be enforced. The Thursday three committees made pul following letter, addressed to Mr. Smith,

ons, Ottawa: Dear Mr. Smith: "I'am in receipt of your letter of the 7th inst, enclosing a resolu-tion from the Fruit Growers' Association of British Columbia respecting the enforce ment of the Adulteration Act, more par ticularly as respects the adulteration jams and jellies.

In reply I may state that it is the intention of the department to enforce the prosions of the act mentioned. I note the recommendation of the assoers of jams and jellies to print the formula on their labels. This recom receive my careful consideration.

Yours very truly, L. P. BRODEUR. THOSE WHO QUALIFIED.

Results of University of Toronto Musical Examinations-Five Local Candi-

dates Passed. According to word received by Mrs. A. T. sity of Toronto, five of those who tried the musical examinations of that institution some months ago have qualified. division. This is exceedingly creditable, and not only speaks well for the ability of Instructor. There were a number of failthe fact that 60 per cent is required be-fore a pupil is passed is considered. In order to secure second class honors the student must attain an average of over 70,

ecured, as already mentioned. Following are the names of the success ul ones, together with their standing: Primary Pianoforte.

First-Class Honors-Class one, Miss T. Second-Class Honors-Class two, Miss D. Pass-Miss Berriman and Miss A. M.

Rawland. Junior Planoforte. First-Miss F. Spencer. In theory, Miss F. Spencer was the only one who qualified. There were six candi-

were the pupils of Mrs. Bridges and Miss Sill. The latter was responsible for the preparing of two of the successful candidates, Miss Spencer and Miss Pitts, and the former sent up Misses Few, Berriman

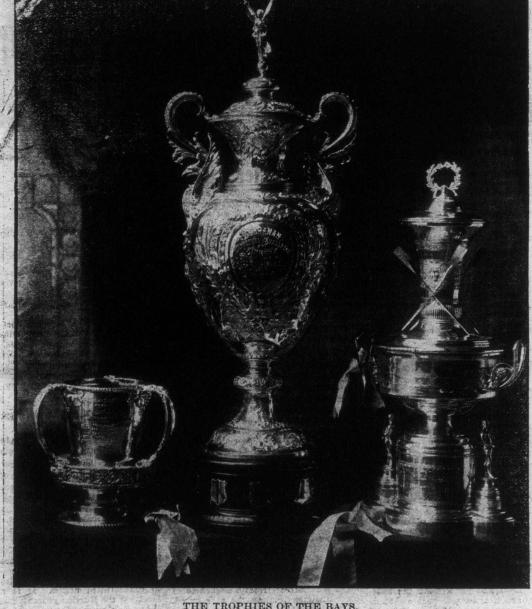
THE INDIAN RESERVE. Citizens' Committee Have Satisfactory Interview With Members of the

C. H. Lugrin, chairman of the joint committee, and Ald. Stewart, one of the city council's representatives on the committee accompanied by F. Elworthy, secretary of Hop R G Tetlow Thursday in regard to the Songhees reserve. The interv In reply, Inspector Wilson pointed out satisfactory in every way, both Mr. Mcthat in the present series of text books the Bride and Mr. Tatlow expressing themthat in the present series of text books the grade and Mr. Tatlow expressing them amendments sought could not be made. As pastime, and yet what a profitable one the pleasure is in many ways, its simplicity, its being able to be read when written, taking the lessons at any time of the day, and only requiring ten minutes. One tady pupil from Reveistoke is visiting Victoria for her holidays, and called at the studio for a free lesson of two minutes, that is given to all callers, and so struck was she didnered. The pupils look upon the study as a pastime, and yet what a profitable one the amendments sought could not be made. As to the second request he didn't see how a someone connected with either the special paper of questions could be set, although questions could be inserted in papers on matters appearing in the geometric pounds of the indians to leave the present review of the time the present series of text books the amendments sought could not be made. As to the second request he didn't see how a someone connected with either the special paper of questions could be set, although questions could be inserted in papers on matters appearing in the geometric pounds of the indians to leave the present review of the second request he didn't see how a someone connected with either the special paper of questions could be inserted in papers on matters appearing in the geometric papers of matters appe for a free lesson of two minutes, that is given to all callers, and so struck was she with the ease with which she could master with the ease with which she could master it, that the next day took it up, and now, after eleven days, can rattle off 60 words after eleven days, can rattle off 60 words after eleven days, and calter it at the next of the Point Ellice bridge and a part east of the Point Ellice bridg The committee also asked that the reversionary interest in the proceeds of the sale of the portion of the reserve between the two bridges should be transferred to the city. Mr. McBride said that he feared that there would be some difficulty in meeting the latter request, and Ald. Stewart, speak-ing for the city council, said that this point would not be pressed. In regard to the other parts of the reserve, Mr. Mc-Bride said that the government was ready to meet the views of the citizens as expressed by the committee in every possible way. During the course of the discussion mention was made of Mr. Dunsmuir's wish at one time to obtain the area east of the railway bridge in exchange for a new re-

Mr. McBride said that there was nothing in the correspondence on this point, and he suggested that it might be well for the committee to have a talk with Mr. Dunsmuir about it. The members of the committee ent agreed to this. Mr. Lugrin, who was seen in regard to the matter, emphatically denied the state-

that Mr. Dunsmuir had any rights in the

reserve which must be protected. HOW LONG HAVE YOUR KIDNEYS BEEN SICK ?-Here's South American Kidney Cure evidence that's convincing: "I am a new man—three bottles cured me." "Five Bandsmen's Race, 100 yards—1st, Mr. Bandsmen's Race, 100 yards—1st, Mr. Okell, goods value \$2, by T. Redding; 2nd, for them which their use will not subscended for them which their use will not the stark rule for the alk rule of Disease, but the stock in the



THE TROPHIES OF THE BAYS.

The above photo represents the splendid collection of cups brought home on Monday by the J. B. A. A. four, who have won the N. P. A. A. A. senior championship three years in succession. The largest cup is the magnificent Buchanan

The other two are the Hiram Walker Cup and the Association Cup, both of which now become the absolute

student must attain an average of over 70, while to graduate with first-class honors a percentage of between 80 and 100 must be OF CITY MEASURE

> THE DEFINITION OF A TRANSIENT TRADER

Prosecution Against A. Blygh in Police License.

From Saturday's Daily. Andrew Blygh refuses to consider himself a transient trader despite the somewhat remarkable definition of the term in the municipal revenue by-law, and under the B. N. A. Act, exercised the hence declines to enrich the civic exchequer by a nice little contribution of of military and naval defence. He did the Bay. Such is the force of habit that five hundred dollars as a six months' license fee. He came here from the Mainland some time ago and "opened up" in business on the corner of Fort and Douglas streets, advertising a bankrupt sale. Having lived here for a considerable period before embarking in mercanthe pursuits in the Terminal City, Mr. Blygh didn't suspect for an instant that when he returned to his old home his bona fides would be questioned by the treasury officials.

But this is exactly what the action is the police court against him means. Col-lector Winsby, by virtue of the "tran-sient trader" clapse in the by-law, called upon him with the request that he either so it will be seen that the end of this celereturned an indignant refusal, and in con-sequence he was formally presented tice, who dissented from the decision given with a sky-colored invitation to attend by the majority of the Full court, stated

The by-law defines a "transient trader" as one who, when beginning business in the trial judge.
a municipality, and when requested to do The Full cour so by the municipality, refuses to give ment allowing the appeal with costs, and security to the amount of the license for ordering a new trial in Alaska Packers' a year (\$1,000) that he will carry on business as a trader for not less than that time. Mr. Blygh contends that having paid the usual trade license he has GOOD NEWS FOR fulfilled all the necessary obligations. The prosecution is being conducted by

the city solicitor, J. M. Bradburn, bu yesterday Mr. Blygh loked after his own affairs. Collector Winsby gave evidence to calling on the defendant on July 7th, and demanding the sum of \$500 in payment of the transient trader's license for six months. Mr. Blygh replied that he did not have to pay it, that he was constory of Mr. Angus McMillan, of Laggan ducting a legitimate business and was a P. O., Glengarry Co., Ont. Mr. McMicitizen in good standing. Witness, after lan is now over 82 years of age and looks reading the clauses of the by-law bear-ing on the situation, advised the defend-He attributes a large part of his splendid ments in this morning's Colonist that Mr.

McBride referred the committee to Mr.

Dunsmuir to see "if he would be a consenting party to what was proposed," or that Mr. McBride in any way intimated to pay the tax. In the opinion of the store were of the course he derived to pay the tax. In the opinion of the store were of this to call on Mr. Kent. This Mr. Blygh did not do, and on July 15th witness called again. The defendant again retained to pay the tax. In the opinion of the store were of this to call on the situation, advised the defendant and to call on Mr. Kent. This Mr. Blygh health to Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. He stributes a large part of his splendid health to Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. He will be a consenting party to what was proposed," or the store were of the store witness the fittings of the store were of thing to cure me till I commenced taking a temporary character and Mr. Blygh Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. After using

was a monthly tenant.

The witness was subjected to an exlessness left me.

"I am in one sense a new man and
"I am in one sense a new man and haustive cross-examination by Mr. Blygh,
during which he averred he was positive that all the stock in the store was
the stock in the store was the good Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets have

length, which provided no little enter-tainment for the audience, after which an adjournment was granted the defend-ant until 2 o'clock on Monday in order that he might engage counsel. The case will test the validity of the by-law. REASONS FOR DECISION.

Chief Justice Dissented From Judgment in Deadman's Island Appeal.

The judgment of the Full court in the appeal case of Attorney-General vs. Ludgate, which, as stated in the Times, was handed down Friday, represent the views of Mr. Justice Drake and Mr. Justice Irving, the Chief Justice dissent-Court Refused to Pay the ing. Only one written judgment has been left at the registrar's office, that of Mr. Justice Drake, in which Mr. Justice Irving concurred.

the presentation of his reasons. which is of considerable length. earned judge took the ground that Stanley Park was and is a military reserve, and that the eight acres constituting Deadman's Island were included in the The Dominion government, reserve. exclusive power to legislate on subjects not accede to the point raised that if on Saturday his steps were being directthis land were reserved for defence purposes it could not be employed in any other way. It might be used for various purposes or let out to others without altering its reservation for defence pur

poses should the occasion arise. TO THE PRIVY COUNCIL.

Deadman's Island Case Goes to the Highest Tribunal.

The Full court on Saturday granted leave to the province to appeal to the Privy Council in Attorney-General vs. Ludgat that he would hand his reasons in writing later. He concurred in the judgment of

The Full court this morning gave judg Association vs. Spencer.

THE OLD FOLKS

Mr. Angus McMillan Tells Them Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Will Cure Their Stomach Troubles.

LIBERAL'S RETURN

PROSPECTS OF THE LILLOOET ELECTION

Denis Murphy Unhesitatingly Predicts he Victory of Mr. Stoddard.

Denis Murphy, formerly M. P. P. for West Yale, is in the city on legal business. He is looking as hale and hearty, if not more so, as in those strenuous days when he was wont to take part in some of those stirring verbal tourneys across ed (doubtless involuntarily) towards the imposing legislative structure, for it was on the causeway that a Times reporter

Mr. Murphy has closely observed the conditions existing in Lillcoet and has no hesitancy in predicting the election of Mr. Stoddard, the Liberal candidate. champion will bave no easy congrest. but his return is a foregone conclu Mr. Macdonald is not the same political orce he was in the halcyon days of his road superintendence. He can't swing roters into line by the generous or rather prodigal distribution of road jobs which so mightily strengthened his prestige in the last campaign. One source of his popularity has thus disappeared and the candidates will be able to fight on a

overhanled him.

fair footing. Mr. Murphy save that in East Lillooet Mr. Stoddard should have no trouble at all, and his plurality there should easily offset any gain that might be anticipated for the government can didate in West Lillovet. He does not agree with the view so generally vanced by government supporters that Mr. Macdonald increased his hold upon tue electorate by taking advantage of the Enabling Act to take his seat in the legislature. On the contrary, Mr. Murphy believes the people do not entertain a very high opinion of the government candidate's course in this respect, as he should have known better than to have accepted government remuneration after he had been returned. He should have recalled that in 1898 a number of mem bers were unseated for similar reasons.

HORSES KILLED.

New York, July 28 .- While attending the sale of the Ryan horse at Brighton Beach to-day, E. L. Graves was informed that lightning had struck the stable at Gravesend, killing Dinah Stadd and the two-year-old Great Crossing. Mr. Graves at once left for the Gravesend track to ascertain the extent of his loss The stable was destroyed, but the other horses were rescued after a hard fight.

PILL-PRICE .- The days of 25 cents a box for pills are numbered. Dr. Agnew's Liver Pills at 10 cents a vial are surer safer and pleasanter to take. Cure Co nation, Sick and Nervous Headaches, Dizziness, Lassitude, Heartburn, Dyspepsia Loss of Appetite, and all troubles arising disorder. Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall & Co.-133.