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10.-The Manince has decided l conference to conference an ay off the debt lief fund. Durthis conference ch purposes. It

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Local News. .-Steamer Queen City when she sailed is now increasing.

egotiating with the Nanaimo mills for

St. Michael's church, Lake district,

appropriate sermon by His Lordship

the ancient rites were followed by the

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-While on his way East Sir Henri

loly expressed a desire to see Mayor

Keary, of New Westminster, and thank

function and presented him with a

-Chief Joe Capalino, of Vancouver;

hiefs to meet King Edward. The Na-

Duncan tribes Victoria will be visited.

The Northern Pacific railway has

escriptions of the Yellowstone Na-

ludes with a short account of the

-With a view of discussing the best.

way of ensuring the representation of

held in the school house on Foul Bay

nesday, the 13th of June. All residents

and voters within the boundaries of

the municipality are urgently request-

-A carnival will be held at the Gorge

ciety. Refreshment booths will be open

afternoon and evening, and an open

air concert given by local talent in the

evening. A prize has been offered for

the best illuminated boat. An Aunt

Sally will be provided, and several

other forms of amusement offered.

Gipsies will be in evidence for the pur-

pose of fortune telling. The affair is

given under the patronage of Lieuten-

Bishop and Mrs. Perrin, Archbishop

ee of ladies anticipate an unquali

F. W. Jackson and J. H. Mierie,

two Cassiar mining men, arrived on

the steamer Princess Beatrice on that

on the steamer Hazelton, which was in

peration on the river up to the time

of the accident to the Mount Royal.

When they left Telegraph Creek snow

lay deep on the ground and travel on

means of snow shoes. The snow, how-

ever, was something in which all min-

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nining men and prospectors in Cassiar

-The annual meeting of the Dio-

Tuesday morning there will be ser-

given by Miss Halson Dorcas, secre-

Miss A. E. Allen, of the Uganda mis-

by Mrs. Holmes, of Lake district, upon

Mrs. Toller upon the duties and re-

Miss Ard upon the needs of the

rch in Saskatchewan. In the even-

ng there will be a reception at

members of the Woman's Auxiliary.

shops' close from 8 to 10 o'clock for

-Wednesday, June 13th, will be a

annual pound party held in aid of

veyed to the home.

his year.

oot could only be accomplished by

Orth and Mayor Morley, and the com-

he districts mentioned.

may be considered.

psalms.

ouquet of roses.

Dr. F.3. Humber, a recent graduate with honors in dentistry from the Northwest College, Chicago, has enter-titled Game of British Columbia is now ed about 10 Friday night to South A. A. Humber, of Government street. end of the month.

The May number of the Record of -It is stated that Hon. James Dunsthe League of the Empire is of esmuir will open the new building of the pecial interest, containing the an-nouncement of the winners of Lord vancouver Y. W. C. A. in the near fu-ture. Meath's Empire Day prizes and the \_\_\_\_

-Neah Shakespeare has been appointed local secretary of the International Broth--D. McDonald, the railway con- erhood of Bible Readers, and will be glad ractor of Winnipeg, who is under con- to supply those interested with literature ract to build 300 miles of the Grand bearing on the subject. runk Pacific from Winnipeg west, is ---

Vancouver Island in company with Roe, of Port Moody, and T. S. -Goldstream, Victoria's ideal pleasure Barssfield, of Vancouver. They are United Presbyterian Sunday schools as the place for their annual picnic. This The burial ground connected with will be given later.

15 17 11 11 11 was formally dedicated on Tuesday -The expected meeting of the city afternoon by Bishop Perrin. After an council did not take place Thursday owing to the water committee finding it impossible to present its report. Ald. Stewpeople, who proceeded round the art and his associates are busily working thurch yard repeating the appointed on the new scheme and hope to get it in shape by Monday.

former retiring. Percy Richardson is continuing the business.

-The ladies of the Home Nursing Society met on Thursday and elected Mrs. informed the Times to-day that the Barnard (phone 231) and Mrs. Berkeley | meeting called for the 13th inst. is a im in behalf of the citizens of the Royal City for courtesies extended the ormer while lieutenant-governor. His the society is requested to communicate ing in yesterday's issue. Worship met Sir Henri at Westminster with one of the committee.

-Yates street, between Government and to the effect that "Pat" Burns, of Van-Douglas, will be brilliantly lighted in couver, had purchased the business of future, as the merchants have arranged Goodacre & Sons, the well known local hief Harry, of Squamish, and Chief connie and Chief Capt. Charlie, of the stringing of lights across the street. Workmen are busily engaged on there is any truth in it. Fraser, are at Duncans in connection the improvement, which, it is expected, ith the projected trip of the Indian will be completed by to-morrow night,

gaimo Indians were visited, but Chief Good, of that tribe, did not take to the -The lumber trade is reported to be booming in all sections of the province. me. After conferring with the Everywhere the mills are working to their full capacity. It is believed that the total output will amount to between 12 million and 14 million feet. It is underust issued its annual booklet "Wondstood that new sawmills are in contemrland," for the year 1906. It embraces plation at different points.

ional Park, Bitterroot Mountains, Col--The sergeants of the Fifth Regiment nbia river, Puget Sound, and conheld a meeting Thursday when it was decided to maintain a mess tent at Maccenic beauties of Alaska. Embellishaulay Point during the coming annual d with a large number of splendid camp. On one day they will be at home to their friends, probably on Saturday, alf tone engravings it should be in the hands of any who contemplate visiting June 16th.

-On Wednesday at the residence of the bride's parents, 830 Davie street, Vancouver, Mr. H. M. Dobie, of this city, was all districts and interests in the first united in marriage to Lottie, daughter of Oak Bay Improvement Association has arranged for a public meeting to be the groom, and Miss Flora Baker, sister road at 8 p. m. on the evening of Wedof the bride, acted as maid of honor.

-Residents with gardens are requested ed to attend, so that the views of all park on Saturday, June 16th, from 2 o'clock until 10, under the auspices of a good means of impressing upon visitors det Burwell, 16; Trpt. Kent, 15. the desirability of Victoria as a summer the Auxiliary Anti-Tuberculosis So-

-The death occurred at the Jubilee hospital Thursday of William Hannan. He was 37 years of age, a native of Topeka, Kansas, and came to Victoria about 26 years ago. Deceased leaves a and he will likely be formally charged as a hearing before the higher court was mother and one brother, John Hannan, and brought up for trial to-morrow virtually a re-trial. of 26 Green street. The funeral has been morning. arranged to take place to-morrow at 2.30 o'clock from the parlors of the B. C. ant-Governor and Mrs. Dunsmuir, Funeral Furnishing Co.

-The Canadian Pacific telegraph announces that the Commercial Pacific Cable Company, operating from San Francisco to the Hawaiian Islands and the Orient, states that telegrams, which since the San Francisco fire and earthquake have the Soo terminates next month. been accepted "subject to delay and at vessel's last voyage, and are at the Dosender's risk," may now be accepted inion. They came down the Stikine without restriction.

-A dispatch from Montreal gives the names of the candidates from British Columbia who were successful in the re-cent medical examinations of the McGill University. Of these D. P. Hanington, of this city, ranks seventh in a graduating men in the country took a special ing class of twenty-two. The other successful British Columbians are: E. H. McEwan, of Nanaimo; T. C. Mercer, of nterest. There had been a heavy fall it and the result will be that when Chilliwack; and Samuel Petersky, of Vancouver. \_\_0\_

-Superintendent Stockett, of the Western Fuel Co., interviewed in Nanaimo, stated that he expected work would continue throughout the season as steadily as had been the case during the month of May. He looks forward to a first-class cesan Woman's Auxiliary to missions season. The demand for Island coal was promises to be of great interest. On beyond question. The local market had vices at Christ church cathedral, holy mon by Rev. R. Connell at 10. The next few months. For these reasons he will be possible to resume navigation looked forward to seeing the mines workmeetings will be held at Christ church schoolroom, the morning session at 10 and afternoon at 2. Addresses will be

-A dispatch from Dawson dated June tary of the diocese of Toronto, and oth says: Hatfield, the California rainn in Africa, and papers will be read maker, arrived to-day, held a conference with the Governor, and will immediately sun. by Mrs. Holmes, of Lake district, upon the formation of boys' branches, by brepare to make rain. He will erect a tower on King Solomon dome, the highest nsibility of a W. A. member, and peak in the Klondike, and the centre of Rev. Percival Jenns officiated at the all the gold creek camps. The dome is marriage of Mr. Louis R. V. Cuppage, 4,000 feet above sea level. Hatfield de- third son of Mr. George Cuppage, of clares the humidity here is heavy, and Clare Hall, Dublin, Ireland, and Miss that he should be able to make a great Nonie Powell, second daughter of Dr. rainfall. If he succeeds this summer he I. W. and Mrs. Powell, of Oakdene. will get \$10,000, half subscribed by hy- The wedding was a quiet one. only imdraulic miners and half by the territorial government. The hydraulic miners are the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Cuppage apital opportunity for all who are already short of water, and Hatfield's left for the Sound on the honeymoon

rphanage to do so on the occasion of interest." 2at well deserving institution, when -On Wednesday evening the members or the convenience of those attending of Victoria West Lodge, I. O. G. T., held is scheduled to sail this evening for Yokobusses free of charge will meet the their usual weekly session. Several visit- hama and Hongkong, will have about 50 ars at Hillside avenue to convey ors were present from Cedar Hill lodge saloon passengers, a dozen intermediate friends to and from the home. The and added in no small measure to the har- and a large number of Celestials in the adies' committee extend a most cor- mony of the evening. One new member steerage. The white liner will take out al invitation to the general public to was admitted and business was very a full cargo of miscellaneous freight. The from Red Lodge were that the coal be present, when the home will be brisk, occupying a large part of the even-following are among the passengers who mines of the Northern Pacific Railway brown open for inspection, and they ing. A short programme was arranged will sail on the steamship: A. Smith, M. Company are on fire and that many with a choice selection of music. After this the L. D. and financial secre- Bunting, H. Campbell, H. H. Robinson, while Thomas Skelly, Al. McFarl, Through the kindness of Messrs, tary were responsible for an ice cream Mrs. Robinson, W. Dominick, J. C. Wolf, Terry Flemming, William Bailey and Robert Porter & Sons, Douglas street, social to which all did justice. The Mrs. J. A. Wattie, A. E. Hinch, Mrs. Thomas Atherton are said to be in most enjoyable evening.

-The annual meeting of the Refuge for West Coast ports on Thursday was home committee will be held on Tues- Haan, started Saturday for Behring Sea, heavily loaded. The movement coastwise day, the 12th inst., at the home, North Pembroke street, at 2.30 p. m.

Indian crew. into partnership with his uncle, Dr. in the press and will be issued about the Turner street to extinguish a slight for tenders for painting Point Ellice blaze caused by an ash barrel fire. The bridge and removing the building former damage was slight.

\_\_\_ -Robert Wood, who crossed the plains of California in 1849, and well known all over the West, was found where he has resided since 1890.

-The B. C. Pottery Co. has already supplied some 50,000 feet of tile for the Empress hotel, aggregating in value about \$7,500. The contract in all will be about \$25,000. --0-

-On Friday a public meeting was held at Ganges harbor in the interests will be held on Monday, July 2nd, as Do- of the provincial government, at which minion Day falls on Sunday. Particulars addresses were delivered by Hon. R. F. Green, Hon. R. G. Tatlow and A. E. McPhillips, K. C.

-North & Richardson, who have been conducting the Army & Navy Cigar Store for several years, dissolved partnership a few days ago, the \_\_0\_\_ -One of the license commissioners

(phone 381) as a committee of manage- statutory one, and not a special ses- cisco. ment. Anyone requiring the services of sion, as implied in an article appear--A rumor was in circulation to-day

> ----J. B. Hobson has donated the sum of \$100 to the Royal Jubilee hospital, which the treasurer acknowledges with thanks. This was handed in by Dr. O. M. Jones and, at his rquest, will be

-The funeral of William Hanna took place on Saturday afternoon, servcies being conducted by Rev. W. Leslie Clay. A large number of friends were in attendance, and the following acted as pall-bearers: A. Jaques, R. Chadwick, W. Berryman, W. Patterson, J. W. Meldram and E. Clyde.

-- At the annual meeting of the provincial Licensed Vinters' Association held in Nelson Friday Henry F. W. Behnsen, of this city, was elected secretary-treasurer. The other officers chosen were: L. A. Manly, Grand performed by Rev. W. E. Pescott. Mr. son, 1st vice-president; H. A. Brown, D. Hutchinson, of Victoria, supported Revelstoke, 2nd vice-president.

-The Victoria college cadets held their regular weekly gallery practice built in 1893. She has two decks. The at the drill hall on Saturday. Following are some of the better scores made, to keep the rooms of the Development ing are some of the better scores made, and Tourist Association supplied with the maximum being 25: Capt. Macrae, flowers during the coming tourist season. 22; Cadet Watson, 21; Cadet Car-Secretary Cuthbert will be glad to receive contributions of this character as Beckwith, 18; Cadet Hartman, 17; Ca----

-J. Butler, who is under arrest in onnection with the shooting on the Esquimalt road Thursday afternoon. was examined by medican men Friday morning. It has been decided to proceed with the prosecution of Butler.

-Rev. W. A. Duncan, B. A., of Sault Ste. Marie, left early last week for Northern Pacific rallway inaugurated its his home, after visiting the coast settling up the affairs of his brother, the late Dr. Duncan, of this city, who was lost on the Islander. He is seriously considering making British Columbia his home after his term of charge at

-The Brackman & Ker Milling Company has completed a new 40,000 bushel elevator at Stony Plain, Alberta, and will build others at Bittern Lake, St. Albert and Lamont this season. A handling elevator, capacity 50,000 bush els, is to be built at Calgary, where the new mill will be in operation next month.

-At its last regular meeting held in Nelson the Mountain Lumbermen's Association decided that, for the present, prices will not be increased. As another meeting will not be held until the beginning of August most of the summer trade will be conducted on the old schedule. The association numbers practically all the mill owners from Revelstoke eastward.

-Telegraphic advices from Port Essington state that the water in the increased, and he was confident that there | Skeena river is falling rapidly, and it would be a marked increase during the is believed by steamboatmen that it by the middle of the present month. ing to their fullest capacity during the The operators of the steamers on the river between Port Essington and Hazelton declare that in all probability departures for Hazelton will be made from Port Essington on the arrival at the latter port of the steamer Camo

-On Saturday at St. John's church mediate relatives being present. After esirous of visiting the Protestant experiments will be watched with great trip, part of which will be spent in a tour of northern coast points.

-0--The R. M. S. Empress of Japan which T' Richards

The sealing schooner Jessie, Capt. Haan, started Saturday for Behring Sea, being towed to Esquimalt preparatory to sailing for the West Coast to pick up an

-Purchasing Agent Northcott is calling ly occupied by the Old Man's Home. Both have to be in by Monday next.

-The first lift of fish traps this season was made on Saturday, when the tug dead in his bed Friday in Nelson, Mystery visited Findlay, Durham & Brodie's new traps at Pedder Bay and

> \_\_0\_\_ -Sidney Talbot, the well-known com poser of this city, has published a new work entitled "A Melody of Song" through the Toronto firm of Whaley, Royce & Co. It is meeting with great success in the East. ---

-Two new gold dredges are being built on the Fraser river, one at Yale proved the most successful type so far introduced into British Columbia. ---

-Emil Guenther, the architect of mills. He endeavored to secure 5,000,-000 feet, but was unable to do so. He has left for the Sound to charter ships dynamite, to carry, his purchase to San Fran-

-The B. C. fisheries commission will neet in private session at the Hotel Vancouver on Wednesday afternoon, June 20th. After this conference visits will be made to the various canneries, traps, etc., and a meeting held to confer with the fishery officials of the state of Washington. ---

-The annual church parade of the Loyal Orange Association to celebrate the anniversary of the battle of the Boyne will be held in the First Presbyterian church on Sunday, July 8th, at 11 a. m. Rev. Dr. Campbell will preach on the occasion. The Orangemen will land.

-In order to permit people in this section who so desire to make a flying visit to San Francisco to see the effects of the greatly reduced round trip rate, which boxes, identity being impossible. includes meals and berths beyond Portland. The excursion leaves Seattle Saturday, June 16th. ---

-The big freighting steamship Bucentaur called at William Head on Saturday land service. She left Honolulu on May 29th. The Bucentaur is a steamer of 3,583 and Marito Forge. tons gross and 2,308 tons net, and was vessel is 360 feet long, 44.2 beam and 26.9 depth of hold. She was formerly the British steamer Oolong.

----On Monday in the police court Magistrate Hall gave decision in the maintenance case brought by Mrs. Maynard Mac-donald against her husband. Defendant was ordered to pay \$5 per week, co mencing on June 18th, and \$2.50 costs. W C. Moresby asked that written reasons for pudgment be given in the event of an appeal being taken, but this was refused. the magistrate considering it unnecessary

-Commencing Sunday at 1 a. m. the new passenger service across the continpassenger trains, the greatest number Limited" equipment, consisting of eight electric lighted trains, went into use yesterday. These eight trains cost one million dollars. The Northern Pacific Railway Company has also just received 180 new locomotives and 6,000 freight cars.

-The Empress of China from the Orient s officially announced to arrive here on June 16th or 17th. Her arrival on the date stated will allow the company plenty of time to have the mail and passengers reach Quebec in time for the Empress of Britain, which sails from there on the 23rd inst. If the attempts to reduce time in handling the mail from Hongkong to Liverpool is successful the company tends to make the fast service regular. The success of the enterprising efforts of the company will mean the transit of mail and passengers from the Orient to Liverpool three days in advance of the services of the James Hill liners and the fastest express medium now existing in the United States, supported by the services of the ocean greyhounds from New York to Liverpool.

-The fourth Dominion Cartridge Co medal competition took place at the Willows traps yesterday afternoon under the auspices of the Capital Gun Club. There was a large attendance, and considerable interest was taken in the competition. It was won by Lenfesty by a score of 23 out of a possible 25. Messrs. Young and Pears followed with 21 each, and F. W. Stevenson was third with 20. The conditions were twenty-five birds at unknown impromptu match between two well known members of the association, one while the other is identified with the blacksmith's trade. The fight for first place was keen, but the former finally carried off the prize offered amid the acclamations of his supporters.

FIRE IN MINE. Number of Men Reported to Have Lost

Helena, Mont., June 7 .- Late advices will die.

# DYNAMITE PLANT

KILLED ELEVEN MEN AND INJURED OTHERS

returned with half a ton of spring salmon. Victims Were Blown to Pieces, Making Identification Impossible - Cause of Disaster Not Known.

Lancaster, Pa., June 9.-Eleven persons were blown to pieces and five others seriously injured by the explosion ince of British Columbia on a reference and the other just below Lytton. Both are of New Zealand pattern, which has was one of the most horrible in the hisof a dynamite plant near Pequa, along was one of the most horrible in the history of Lancaster county. The victims go ahead with the building of the were literally torn to pieces, not enough remaining of a single body to has already been graded and made make identification possible. The cause ready for the steel. This work was San Francisco, has placed orders for of the explosion is not known. The 2,000,000 feet of lumber with mainland two unknown residents of York county who were killed had just started to ahead this summer and tracklaying

The dead are: Benjamin Gerhardt, plans are carried out. aged 22; Benjamin Riner. 21: George Rinearx, 20; Fred Rice, 23 (married); Collins Parker, 18; Phares Schoff, 18; William Funk, 19; John Botman, 17; an the last two lived in the immediate vicinity of the dynamite plant.

and Jacob Schoff.

of seventy-five feet when the plant short government line is now operated blew up with a detonation that was by the C. P. R. plainly heard fifteen miles away. great cloud of smoke covered the site of the factory, and when it had cleared away there was not a vestige of the be accompanied by the Sons of Eng- factory only a moment before. The horses, wagon or men who had left the air was filled with debris 'and fragments of human bodies, and pieces of Officials at the Vatican Take Steps to flesh and limbs were found hanging on the trees nearly one hundred yards from the scene of the disaster. The rerecent disaster, the Northern Pacific and mains of those who had been killed Southern Pacific have put into effect a were picked up and placed in soap Some of those whom it is thought

> the vicinity. The dynamite plant was owned by G.

### WEAKNESS OF RUSSIAN

Agrarian Distriers Continue to Spread, Authorities Being Unable to Cope With Them.

St. Petersburg, June 11.-In spite of official denial, belief that the retirement of the Goremykin ministry is near at hand was reasserted to-day by the Reich, the Constitutional Demothe Reich, the Constitutional Demo-cratic organ, which apparently is look-ing forward hopefully to the installation of a cabinet more in harmony

with the lower house of parliament. This hope apparently springs from the belief that the ministry is about go via St Louis. The new "North Coast of Minister Stitchinsky, concerning which there has been much gossip ever, assert that serious discord has

not manifested itself. The project of M. Stitchinsky has not yet been submitted to the ministry in toto and preliminary discussion of it realized no strong current against it

The Liberal organs also give credit to a report that the Emperor, in deference to the sentiment of the lower house, has decided to suspend executions pending the enactment of a law abolishing them; but the rumor finds so as to attract attention, and give her answer in the dispatches from Warsaw, where one man was hanged Saturday for an attack on a policeman, and four have been condemned to death for sacking the township treasury, and from Riga, where a court- was issued on Saturday to gather them martial held on thirty-six members of the fighting band of revolutionists has condemned to death seven of them, including the leader, known throughout arrest all Anarchists, no matter of the whole of the Baltic provinces as what nationality, Italian "Reds" being "Napoleon," and twenty to imprison- sent to jail and foreigners banished. ment from three to fifteen years.

The elections in the Caucasus are everywhere going in favor of the Social Democrats. The agrarian disorders are steadily

spreading in widely separated localities. The government, though it boasted of its ability to prevent disturbances this year, is unable to cope with them. The Lower House.

St. Petersburg, June 11.-In order to angels. A diversion was created by an the government to interrupt the work Mrs. Kate Simpson Hayes, Miss Barry, complished, one member proposed at of whom follows the grocery business the opening of the lower house session ladies withdrew, each expressing a agrarian, death penalty and other siastically agreed to important questions are settled. President Mouromtseff, however, declared the resolution out of order.

PERSONAL.

Benedict Bantly arrived in New York sincerely hope that as many as can to which the following contributed: Dnowge, Hembrick, M. Oaki, H. G. will accept the invitation and partake Songs, Bros. Cooper, King, McIntyre, Pratt, A. D. Hutchison, Dr. T. Cochran, our gases and many have perished. A will spend a short time in the American will spend a short time in the of a delicious and refreshing cup of Stancombe, and Bro. Furman, of the M. Kamabe, T. D. Millard, E. Luke, M. rescuing party of fifty that volunteer- metropolis and will then visit Chicago, Mrs. Lediard, of Winnipeg, auditor. ea. Mr. Longfield, with his usual juvenile temple; duet, Bro, and Sis. King; Pick, Captain King, F. B. Barker and ed to enter in search of the miners Cleveland and St. Paul, starting for Vicsic for several years, and is returning B. Marvin, of this city.

THE MIDWAY & VERNON.

Fourteen Thousand Tons of Steel Rails For New Road Ordered.

Montreal, June 9.—Fourteen thou-sand tons of steel rails for the Midway & Vernon railway have just been or dered, and the continuation of con-struction of this railway is to be started within a very short time, according to information secured in this city and New York, where the capital behind the road comes from The rails have been ordered from the

Dominion Iron & Steel Company of Sydney, Cape Breton, and the will be rushed out as soon as the works can commence on it.

It is understood that the rails will be shipped across the continent over the C. P. R. in preference to transpor tation around the Horn, because of the desirability of saving time.

Since the decision in favor of the Midway & Vernon as against the provas to the disputed subsidy claimed by the former, the backers of the railway road. Some ten or twelve miles of performed out of Midway. Grading will probably be pushed

will be commenced just as soon as the rails are on the ground, if present

There is considerable speculation i railway circles as to where the control of the Midway & Vernon will go when it is completed, and as to what roads unknown man; two men (unknown), it will make connections with. The residents of York county. All except Midway terminal of the railway will be accessible by both the V., V. & E. and the C. P. R. lines, while at Vernon The seriously injured are: Walter there is possible connection with th Brown, Martin Riner, George Gray main line of the C. P. R. by a provincial government-owned road running They had scarcely gained a distance from Okanagan to Sicamous. This

AGAINST THE POPE

Guard the Pontiff - Many Policemen on Duty.

Rome, June 11.-Never before in the will die were taken to their homes in history of the Vatican has a service at the historic St. Peter's been conducted 3. McAbee & Co., of Pittsburg, and under so strict a guard as was that of manufactured the explosive for use in yesterday, when the Pope officiated at under so strict a guard as was that of RE KENNETH M'KENZIE, DEC ouncil of Oak Bay municipality, the Oak Bay municipality, the Bay Improvement Association has on the Dak Bay Improvement Association has not the Dak Bay Improvement Association has on the Dak Bay Improvement Association has the Dak Bay Improvement Association has not the D work under way in this section. It was situated midway between Pequa and Marito Forge.

the beautification services for the venhaving any claims against the erable Bonaventura of Barcelona, with B. C., who died on 10th May, 1906, and Marito Forge.

> Rome police to use the strictest precautions, and nearly every member of the secret service was on duty.

It developed on Sunday that although the plot was perfected in France, it had its inception in America, and according to the police the plan was to Returns for Eleven Months Up to First kill the pontiff so soon as he appeared in the cathedral.

All the officials of the Vatican are greatly worked up. Last week a number of mysterious warnings were received by Cardinal Merry Del Val and other high church dignitaries, all of

Prior to the opening of the services in St. Peter's, many suspects who in St. Peter's, many suspects who could not give a good account of them ever operated by any road. Three of these trains run via St. Paul, while two being two men and a woman who answered the description sent here from lately. Members of the cabinet, how- Paris of the three persons who had been selected to kill the Pope. This trio, however, later proved that they had no connection with any plot, and

were released. The activity of the police is unprecedented, and a number of higher officials were on duty all Sunday night directing the search for suspects. It is now stated that, according to French advices, the woman suspect was to pretend to faint in the church

accommplices opportunity to attack the pontiff. It is announced that nearly 100 known Anarchists have been arrested in various parts of Italy since an order in, preparatory to a visit of the King to Ancona. The police will not relax

OFFICERS ELECTED.

At Meeting of Women's Press Club-Miss Cameron One of Vice-Presidents.

Winnipeg, June 9.-A business session occupied the attention of the ladies attending the convention of the Canadian Women's Press Club Saturday, the chief business being the elecforestall any attempt on the part of tion of officers. For the presidency, of parliament before anything is ac- Mrs. Coleman and Miss Cameron were nominated, but the three last named to-day that the house adopt a resolu- wish that Mrs. Hayes might be electtion to continue its sittings until the ed by acclamation, which was enthu-

Vice presidents were elected as follows: British Columbia and Alberta, Miss Agnes Deans Cameron, Victroia; Procurator Pavloff was present to- Manitoba and Saskatchewan, Miss day with the intention, it was under- Lindsay (Winnipeg Free Press); Questood, of making a communication in bec and Ontario, Miss Barry (Le Jourbehalf of War Minister Rudiger on the nal De Francois). Montreal; Prince subject of executions in the Baltic Edward Island and the Maritime pro-

now to enter professional life in this city. Coleman accepted the position in a

### **Boils** and **Pimples**

Red Rash, Eczema, in fact any skin disease, disfigures the complexion because the bowels are constipated-or because the kidneys do not rid the system of waste-or because the skin itself is unhealthy.

Ointments, salves and soaps are useless. Because the trouble is with the blood.

Owing to defective action of bowels. kidneys or skin, the blood becomes laden with impurities. It is these impurities—deposited by the blood—that make boils, pimples, and painful, disfiguring skin diseases. It is because the trouble is with the bowels, kidneys or skin, that FRUIT-A-TIVES cure these diseases

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act directly on the eliminating organscorrect their irregularitiesthem-and thus clear the skin and make the complexion clear and soft.

If you have any skin trouble-or any fault with constipation, liver trouble, biliousness, headaches, indigestion, rheumatism—cure yourself with Frita-tives. They are made of fruit ju and tonics—and never fail to cur-50c. a box or 6 boxes for \$2.50. Sent on receipt of price if your druggist does not handle them.

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FRUIT-A-TIVES LIMITED, OTTAWA.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the "Trustees and Executors Act," that all persons having any claims against the estate of John Haning Coulthard, late of Victoria, B. C. (who died on 7th February, 1906, and whose will has been proved in the Supreme Court of British Columbia by Elizabeth Mary Coulthard and Frederick B. Pemberton, executors therein named), are hereby required to send the particulars of such claims, duly verified, to the undersigned, Solicitors for the executors, on or before the 31st August, 1906, after which date the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had battle.

CREASE & CREASE Victoria,

fice.

Receipt of information from Paris that a plot against the life of the pontiff had been discovered caused the claims of which he shall then have had notice.

Dated 31st May, 1906.
CREASE & CREASE,
Victoria, B. C.

FINANCES OF DOMINION.

Day of June. Ottawa, June 9.-The finances of the Dominion of Canada for the eleven months up to the first of June show a revenue of \$71,012,213, which is an increase of \$7,687,884 over corresponding and expenditure on capital account

nonths custom collections increased \$4,289,000 over 1905, excise collections \$1,385,000, post office receipts \$6,988,000. and the receipts from public works and railways \$579,000.

THE FRASER RIVER. Quesnell, B. C., June 8 -The Fraser iver at this place fell six inches during the past 24 hours, and is still fall ing. The river now registers five feet below danger mark.

Soda Creek, B. C., June 8.—The Fraser river here is rising slowly and

s now about 10 feet below the usual highwater mark. No serious rise is anticipated this spring. Lillooet, B. C., June 8.-The Fraser river has probably reached its highest stage this spring, which is about 15 feet below ordinary high water mark.

The river is now at a standstill MEAT INSPECTION.

John Burns Replies to Member of British House of Commons

London. June 9.-John Burns, president of the local government board, has requested the foreign office to communicate with the state department at Washington and ascertain to what extent reliance can be placed on the system of meat inspection undertaken by the bureau of animal industry. He announced that he had taken this action in reply to a question put in the House of Commons to-day by William Field, Nationalist member of the St. Patrick's division of Dublin, and pre sident of the Irish Cattle Raisers' and Stock Owners' Association. Mr. Burns added that he had ascertained that a quantity of boneless beef and pork is imported to this country from America and converted into sausage, which are sold as English product. there were serious difficulties in the way of efficient British inspection of some of this imported food, but said the local government board had taken action to see that local authorities exercised their powers to the fullest extent

DISASTER AVERTED

Brockville, Ont., June 9.-A storm vinces, Miss M. A. Wallace, Halifax. that has not been equalled in Brock-Miss Hughes, of Ottawa, was appoint- ville in the past forty years or more ed recording secretary. Mrs. McLa- lasted several hours this morning. gan was elected historian to the club Thunder roared, lightning flashed and by acclamation. Mrs. C. P. Wilker, the heavy rain gave every indication and washing things out generally.

lea. Mr. Longfield, with his usual juvenile temple; duet, Bro. and Sis. King; Pick, Captain King, F. B. Barker and ed to enter in search of the miners reading, Sis. Hardy; mouth organ solo, brighten the afternoon entertainment wife, Isaac be carried out. Joe Bracey is dead, with his usual juvenile temple; duet, Bro. and Sis. King; Pick, Captain King, F. B. Barker and ed to enter in search of the miners cleveland and St. Paul, starting for Victoria, his home, in about a fortnight. Mrs. Coleman was overcome by gases and all had to brighten the afternoon entertainment wife, Isaac be carried out. Joe Bracey is dead, Westport & Northwestern railway, of this was carried by acclamation. Mrs. a washout averted a catastrophe. He happened along shortly before a pas-Mrs. J. A. Stratton and son, of Seattle, brief but graceful speech, saying she senger train from Westport was due parcels left at their store will be con- Grand March then brought to a close a Latimer and mother, D. W. Phillips, Rev. such a dangerous condition that they are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. E. "liked to write, but not to talk about and promptly took measure to stop the train.