Besolution Abolishing Aldermen's Salaries Finds But Few Supporters.

Appointment of an Engineer at Elk Lake is Deferred for One Week.

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At last night's meeting of the city council Ald. Williams' resolution to abolish the aldermanic salary was defeated, only three members of the council voting for it. Mayor Beaven was in the chair and all the members were

Hon. J. H. Turner and other city members acknowledged the receipt of several amendments to the Municipal Act, suggested by the council. Received and filed.

A. C. Foster, of the Winnipeg Electroplating and Manufacturing Company, asked what inducement the city would give them to locate their works in this city. Received and filed.

L. B. Hamlin applied for the position of engineer at Elk Lake. Laid on the table till the appointment of an engin-

Charles Colfax, 64 North Chatham street, complained that it was impossible to obtain employment under Mr. Wilson, superintendent of streets. The present gang under him maintained their positions through giving tips to the superintendent. The city clerk was in-structed to write to Mr. Colfax asking him to substantiate his charges or

R. Carter, collector of revenue and other taxes, tendered his resignation to take effect March 1. The resignation was accepted.

W. P. Winsby and T. J. Dearberg applied for the position made vacant by Mr. Carter's resignation. The applications were laid on the table to be considered at a future meeting.

Graham Campbell in a letter to the council stated that he had on three different occasions applied to the mayor and clerk to see a copy of the fire wardens' report on the fire chief's investigation and had been refused. He again asked for a special sommittee to investigate the charges against the chief.

Mayor Beaven denied having refused Mr. Campbell's request to see or take a copy of the fire wardens' report. He told Mr. Campbell that he had not the slightest objection to his seeing the report; but the city clerk had informed Mayor Beaven that he had received instructions not to give the report to any

Ald. Macmillan wished to know who had given instructions to the city clerk to not give the report to any one. Ald. Wilson acknowledged having given instructions to the clerk, as he did not wish any one to secure the report till the minutes of meeting were ap-

proved. A motion was carried instructing the clerk to allow Mr. Campbell to see the report, and take a copy of the same if he wished to do so.

City Clerk Dowler reported having received several communicati for street improvements and that the same had been referred to the street

committee. The street committee reported having dealt with the several matters referred to them at the previous meeting.

City Solicitor Dubois Mason sent in an opinion respecting the removal of the give the owner twelve months' notice of removal in the event of the verandah being in good condition. It was moved that the communication be referred to the building inspector, with instructions to inspect and value the verandah and report to the council.

A report from Market Superintendent Johnson showing the total receipts to be \$91.50 for the past month was received and filed.

C. J. King's tender for street sprinkling-the only one submitted-was accepted. He offered to give one or two teams at the rate of \$3.50 per day for brewing between the city and the con- owners, and should it prove acceptable referred to the fire wardens and the purchasing agent, and those for printing council were reported by a shorthand committee.

The finance committee recommended among other matters, the payment of \$1.270.65 to Mr. Jorgensen, the balance of amount due him for services at Beaver Lake

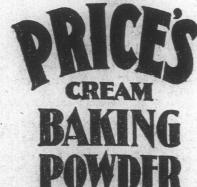
Ald. Partridge wished to know how such a large sum was due Mr. Jorgen-Ald. Williams explained that the

amount was based on the percentage agreed to between the city and Mr. Jorgensen. Ald. Partridge wished to know if Mr.

Jorgensen would have received a larger sum in the event of his continuing as engineer till the work was completed. In the discussion which followed it was explained that in the agreement be-

tween the city and Mr. Jorgensen he was to be paid 21/2 per cent, up to the amount of \$60,000, and as the work actually done amounts to over that amount, that Mr. Jorgensen was receiving a sum equal to that which he would have received had he remained until the work was completed. The amount was ordered to be paid. This will made a

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The electric light committee reported as follows: Your committee having considered the petitions of residents of several streets and also that of Mr. E. E. Wootton on behalf of the wardens and committee of St. Barnabas church for electric lights at these points, beg to report that owing to the fact that the circuits are now taxed to their utmost capacity it will be impossible to grant the requests unless certain additions are made to the electric light building and plant. For which purpose it is the intention of your committee to ask for an appropriation in the estimates. The report was received and adopted.

Ald. Williams moved that no sum be paid to aldermen for salaries. Ald. Williams claimed that the duties of the aldermen should be purely legislative. He admitted that the present system entailed more labor than was really necessary. If there were not a salary attached to the position, the larger property holders would take more interest in the position of aldermen.

Ald. Cameron, who seconded the motion, was of the opinion that the rity work should be done by those paid for that purpose and that much of the work now done by the aldermen should be done by the city officials.

Ald. Partridge thought that as the aldermen had reduced others' salaries they should also reduce their own, and he would support the motion, although on the hustings he spoke against doing away with the aldermanic salary. Ald. Wilson saw nothing against those

aldermen who did not want their salaries refusing to accept the same: He would oppose the motion. Ald. Marchant would also oppose the

other public officers were paid, and he to have escaped death, saw no good reason why aldermen, who did a large amount of work and received a large amount of abuse, should not received pay. The argument used by Ald. Williams that wealthy property holders would take more interest in the office is an argument against doing away with the salary. Wealthy men | Japan. Ten days out fire was discovcould now sit at the council board if they | ered in her bunkers, and a large amount were elected by the majority of the of coal was consumed before it was people, and if the doing away with the put out. Then she encountered heavy of the Salt Spring Island Agricultural salaries would militate against the elec- weather, which shifted her deckload, tion of the poorer classes, it should be and the coal running short she was ob-

debar working people from taking an hama for repairs. interest in municipal affairs. The aldermen were in their positions to do vices rendered. True, the civic salaries were cut, but no salary less than \$60 intend to offer himself again as an al-

Ald. Humphrey expressed himself strongly aginst the motion. Those alderstrongly aginst the motion. Those aldermen who think their services are worth nothing to the city should reruse to accept the salary, but any alderman who did his duty would find the work was more than a return for the amount of passengers for Victoria and 81 tons are larger to or 70 lbs. and the rate, 40 cents, means about 1-6 of the value of the lamb.

We earnestly hope that you will use your influence to bring about a complete revision and reduction of the freights on the E. & N. R. R., in your own interests as well as our own. It is a well know fact that the formerly dealt not be a supplied to the passengers for Victoria and 81 tons which formerly dealt not be a supplied to the lamb. more than a return for the amount paid

Ald. Williams wished to explain that Pritchard House verandah. It gave as his resolution was not directed against could be done in the evenings, when recovered by Diver McHardy. working men who are engaged during the day could attend. The resolution was lost, Ald. Wil-

liams, Cameron and Partridge alone roting for it. the mayor, Ald. Tiarks moved and Ald. vessel, spent yesterday in the city, and Williams seconded, that E. A. Wilmot it is understood that he received an ofbe appointed engineer at Beaver Lake

in place of C. E. Jorgensen. Ald. Macmillan would oppose the motractors, as everything said regarding the waterworks at the meetings of the ately be brought to Esquimalt. by-laws were referred to the printing reporter, who was evidently employed by the contractors. It therefore required a man with more backbone than Mr. Wilmot. He was a first class man in office, but Ald. Macmillan did not consider him the right man at Elk Lake. council to receive the report of Mr. Bell, C.E., who is making a survey of unknown. the work at Beaver Lake. This amendment was carried, Ald. Williams, Wilson and Tiarks voting contrary...

Ald. Marchant moved, and Ald. Cameron seconded, that a special committee into the best method for the reclamation at the same time. of James Bay flats. The motion was

carried. Ald. Marchant moved that the police be requested to furnish the council with information regarding houses of prostitution, the lessees and the lessors and other detailed information. The motion was seconded by Ald. Macmillan. 'The resolution was lost, Ald. Marchant and Macmillan voting in the affirmative.

The Ross Bay cemetery amendment egal advisers appointment by-law was placing beacons thereon. defeated. The mayor's object was to carry into effect the resolution of the council to combine the offices of city barrister and city solicitor. The council adjourned at 11 p.m.

-Simeon S. Hartman, of Tunnelton, West Va., has been subject to attacks of colic about once a year, and would have to call a doctor and then suffer for about twelve hours as much as some do when they die. He was taken recently just the same as at other times, and concluded to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says: "I took one dose of it and it gave me relief in five minutes. That is more than anything has ever done for me.' For sale by all druggists; Langley & Co., w'holesale agents, Victoria and Vancouver.

-See the prize puzzle in the window at Shore's Hardware, 57 Johnson St. \*

# total of \$3,040.65 paid to Mr. Jorgen-FIRE IN THE BUNKERS THE BOARD OF TRADE

Norwegian Steamer Florida, From Vancouver, Arrives at Vokohama.

Capt. Whitelaw to Commence Work | Superintendent of C.P.R. Telegraph on the Wreck of the San Pedro Next Week.

From Tuesday's Daily. There is a strong probability that the British ship Cadzow Forest, missing since January 4th from Astoria, is safe says the San Francisco Chronicle, She was spoken on January 29th, twenty miles off the Columbia river lightship, parting at 11 that night. It was blow- pointed provincial representative. ing a living gale and the tug which the Gleaner took to enter the Columbia had the greatest difficulty in making any progress with her at all. It is supposed that the Cadzow Forest was blown away to the westward and is experiencing great difficulty in working back. It was thirty days ago that she was spoken, but that time is not unusually for vessels have been known to lose forty days under similar circumstances. The news created a renewal of interest in the incident on 'change, and there was a warm congratulation for the men who risked their money in taking reinsurmotion. Members of parliament and ance as for the crew who are believed

The Norwegian steamship Florida arrived at Yokohama on February 9th, after a sensational voyage from Vancouver. She had a cargo of lumber for Port Elizabeth and only took forty days coal, intending to call at Maji, liged to use cargo for fuel. Stormy Ald. Macmillan wondered why Ald. weather continued and she sustaine Williams had not attacked the mayor's considerable damage about the decks salary as well. Was he casting his Several hundred miles off the Japanese bread upon the water for a return in coast she sighted a dismasted schooner about ten months? The intention of the and rescued eight starving Japanese resolution is to set up a plutocracy and from her. The vessel put into Yoko-

A dispatch to the Times from San public business, and the clamor for no Francisco says: Capt. Whitelaw has salaries came from large land owners, obtained permission from Ottawa to who were too mean to pay for the ser- wreck the San Pedro, and will commence on April 1st, using the wrecker Whitelaw III. He would begin earlier, a month had been reduced. He didn't but dynamite cannot be used when the weather is cold. The old hull will be dermanic candidate. He had been out of broken up and the iron taken to San

to such an extent that the alderman being discharged here. Twelve Chinacould afford to give their whole time to men and one Jap were the only passengers for Victoria. The Asloup will of \$12.50 leave for Portland this evening.

of passengers for Victoria and 81 tons of freight for local merchants.

A large steel roller slipped into the working men. If the duties of the al- harbor while being unloaded from the dermen were reduced, all the work City of Kingston this morning. It was

From Wednesday's Daily. In all probability the big ship Kilbrannan, which was ashore at Point Wilson, will be brought here for re-In response to the recommendation of pairs. Capt. McKenzie, of the disabled fer to repair his vessel from B. R. Seabrook, manager of the Albion Iron Works, if she is docked at Esquimalt .. tion. It looked as if there were trouble The offer will be telegraphed to the to them, the Kilbrannan will immedi-

Vancouver, B.C., March 3.-The steamer Clyde was burned to the water's edge Sunday night at Point Grey, just outside the harbor. Capt. Woodworth and the crew had a narrow escape. The steamer was valued at \$2,-Ald. Glover moved that the matter be 000 and insured for \$1,200 in the deferred for one week to enable the Western Insurance Company. The fire started near the boiler, the origin being

from Capt. J. G. Cox at Yokohama, announcing the safe arrival there of the sealing schooners Geneva and E. B. consisting of Ald. Marchant, Cameron Marvin after a voyage of sixty days. and Williams be appointed to inquire Both schooners left Victoria for Japan

Three vessels have been added to the tonnage in the way to load lumber at British Columbia mills. The schooner Volunteer, 571 tons for Shanghai; bark India, 953 tons for Valparaiso and ship with Mr. J. Wilson, superintendent of Alexandra, 2,121 tons.

the Dominion government steamer Quadra will leave to replace the East by-law was read a first time. A by-law Point buoy and make an examination introduced by the mayor to repeal the of the Nicomekl river for the purpose of

> The sealing schooner Dina arrived t Yokohama safely. She is the first of the Victoria fleet to reach Japan.

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Meeting of the Council-A Protest

road Freight Rates

Lines Will Not Confer With

the Council.

From Cowichan About Rail-

The council of the Board of Trade, President Ker in the chair, met this forenoon at 10 o'clock. Present: Messrs. Davies, Scaife, Futcher, Pearse Templeman and Chapman

The president reported in reference to his interview with the government about ing present Mrs. C. Kent, Mrs. C. Hayby the barkentine Gleaner. The two the appointment of a representative to ward, Mrs. J. D. Pemberton, Miss Carr. vessels were in company all day, meet- the Winnipeg immigration convention, Mrs. G. A. Sargison, Mrs. James Hutvessels were in company all day, meet the winning and the result being that Mr. Odlum was apting at 9 o'clock in the morning and the result being that Mr. Odlum was aptiness of the coverage A report from the special committee on commercial charges was read and ac-

> Mr. Claxton wrote in regard to the expenditure of the government appropriation for the removal of snags in the Skeena and the establishment of a fish and unanimously decided to ask Mrs." to write to Mr. Gamble, government enthere was any reason why the course

moved before the fishery season-should not be taken? A telegram was read from Hon. Col. Prior, stating that the request to place cotton net lines on the free list had been referred to the treasury board with a favorable recommendation by

snags-that is, that they should be re-

controller of customs. Hon. Mr. Turner acknowledged ceipt of resolution in respect to the proposed steam service on the Yukon and promising consideration, and the Vancouver board endorsed the resolution. Secretary Elworthy read the followng important letter from the secretary Society:

The Secretary of the Board of Trade, Vic-The Secretary of the Board of Trade, Victoria:

Dear Sir—At a recent meeting of the board of directors of the Cowichan Agricultural Association it was unanimously decided to appeal to the Boards of Trade in Victoria and Nanaimo to assist us in obtaining a reduction of the freight rates at present charged on the E. & N. R. R. That the present rates are excessive the followinstances will furnish sufficient evidence:

The rate for cordwood from McPherson's to Victoria is \$9 per car of 9 cords of wood, the car being neither loaded nor unloaded by the R. R. Co., and this rate of \$1 per cord reduces the trade and profit thereon to a minimum. And we consider that the sufficient of the sufficien of \$1 per cord reduces the trade and profit thereon to a minimum. And we consider that the selling of cordwood should be
encouraged, as in most cases it means the
more speedy settling up of the d'strict.
The rate on the Victoria & Sidney is \$7
per car of 9 cords. The rate per car load
of hay of 5 tons, from Duncan's to Victoria, a distance of 40 miles, is \$12.50, the
car being neither loaded nor unloaded by
the railroad company's employees. The
Sidney railway charging \$1 per ton if 6 dermanic candidate. He had been out of pocket by being alderman, and he would vote to retain the salary.

Ald. Glover was also opposed to the motion. He didn't believe in working for glory. Toronto paid her aldermen second per year, and there were 21 aldermen there. There was also a discussion of the matter of reducing the number of aldermen and increasing the salary to such an extent that the alderman second extent of the iron taken to San Francisco. It will take four months to complete the work.

The steamer Asloun, of the Oregon-Asiatic steamship line arrived at the outer wharf this morning after a stormy passage of twenty-one days from Yokohama. She carried a full cargo of freight, 100 tons of which is being discharged here. Twelve Chinaichan has to pay, as at present the farms are not on a large enough scale to enable Lambs are billed at 300 lbs., they weighing as a rule nearer 60 or 70 lbs., and the

well as our own. It is a well know last that Nansimo, which formerly dealt principally with Victoria, now does a much vancouver, and this construction of

has been largely a question freights.

Believe me, yours respectfully.

G. HADWEN. Secretary.

The discussion that ensued showed that the Council was cognizant of the grievance complained of, but in view of past efforts to obtain an amelioration of the freight rates on the E. & N. railway there was a doubt as to the advisability of again taking up the subject. Messrs. Pearse, Templeman, Scaife, Chapman, Futcher and Flumerfelt were generally of the opinion that something might be done by referring the complaint to a committee. President Ker pointed out that the company, on former occasions, had shown that their rates were lower than those of any other Pacific coast road. Referred to the Committee on

Railways and Navigation for investigation and report. A proposition from Mr. Jones, publisher of a commercial directory, who offered free advertising and complimentary copies, was read and accepted. A letter was read from the New Westminister board asking that a joint delegate be appointed to the chambers

of commerce. The provincial government, on ame matter, informed the board that A dispatch was received last evening Hou. F. C. Vernon had been appointed one of the vice presidents of the Con-

Mr. Ellis moved, seconded by Mr. Pearse, that Mr. Robert Ward, who filled the position of representative of this board so efficiently at the last Congress, be again appointed to represent the board at the Congress to be held in June next. This motion was carried unanimously

President Ker read correspondence the C.P.R. telegraph lines, in respect to the alleged inefficiency of the Carman-At an early hour to-morrow morning ah Point telegraph line, which was under consideration at former meetings. The correspondence was lengthy, the last letter from Mr. Wilson being a declination by him of an invitation given by Mr. Ker to attend a council meeting to consult upon the matter. On motion of Mr. Futcher the council cordially approved of and endorsed the resolution moved by Mr. Rithet in the legislature and carried, which asked for the transference of the management of the Carmanah line to the Dominion government.

Council adjourned.

-The bluebird is hailed as a harbinger of spring. It is also a reminder that a blood-purifier is needed to prepare the system for the debilitating weather to ome. Listen and you will hear the birds singing: "Take Ayer's Sarsaparilla in March, April, May.'

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LADY MANAGERS.

Of the Protestant Orphan's Home Hold Their First Meeting.

The new lady managers of the Protestant Orphan's Home held their first Victoria fishermen, left on Sunda meeting yesterday afternoon, there be-Cullock and Mrs. T. Earle. Mrs. Edward Cridge, who has presided over the a fire on shore to warm themsely ladies' committee since its inception, intimated that she could no longer give and told them they must leave. the necessary attention to the duties of told him that it was too stormy the office. The ladies expressed regret hatchery. The secretary was instructed Cridge to accept the life position of honorary president. Officers for the ensugineer, inclosing the letter and asking if | ing term are: Mrs. C. Kent, president: Mrs. C. Hayward, vice-president; Mrs. suggested in regard to the removal of James Hutcheson, treasurer; and Mrs. G. A. Sargison, secretary.

The matron reported that there were 53 children in the home. She thankfulacknowledged the following donaons for February: Invitation to R. E. church entertainment (omitted in January): the Daily Colonist, from proprie-Paveh lost their sloop, nets, cloth tors; milk, daily, Mr. R. E. Knowles; and cooking utensils. An unsuccessfi milk, Mrs. D. Ross; cakes, Miss Pooley; search was made for the sloop yester

The system of dividing the city into small districts for the purpose of month. ly contributions will be introduced as the shoulder-blades, water brash, bi soon as possible and volunteers for the lousness, and constipation, are sympton work are now earnestly desired. was decided to discontinue affiliation and bowels. For all ailments originate

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ot get cured.
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MRS STANFORD'S VICTORY. Individual Stockholders Not Liable for the Central Pacific's Debts.

Washington City, March 3.-The suoreme court yesterday decided the Stanford case in favor of Mrs. Stanford. Justice Harlan delivered the opinio of the court. He held that individual stockholders were not liable for the government debts of the Central Pacific railway company. He said the congressional acts of 1862-1864 and 1865 regarding the Pacific railroads must all be regarded as one law, as the object was a continuous line, congress employing the different railroad companies only as instruments. The security was given in the government mortgage of the property of the railroad companies. It was, he said, not too much to say that if in building the Northern Pacific, for instance, ex-stockholders had been made liable, the purpose of congress to secure a national highway would have been materially retarded and it was plain no obligation was meant to be put on one company that had not been put on another. Any other construction would be nconsistent. The decision of the court below was therefore affirmed,

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Two Victoria Fishermen Have an U pleasant Experience Through Naval Red Tape.

ternoon on a fishing expedition straits. When they passed Ma point the weather became too roug their little craft, and they ran ashore in a little cove opposite run into Esquimalt harbor. They were only there a few minutes w sentry from the naval yard cam ture out; and asked to be allowed leave the sloop till the storm ab The sentry went for an officer, ordered the men to leave at once. did so, and were only out a few n when the sloop capsized and them into the water. Paveh, who cured hold of the boat, succeeded catching Melrose as he was sink They remained in the ice-cold water upwards of an hour and were co ly benumbed when rescued by the house keeper. Messrs. Melrose day.

-"A crick in the back," a pain under It of disordered stomach, kidneys, live ing in a derangement of these organs, take Ayer's Pills.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

In Cook v. Cook (Divorce) Mr. Drake vesterday gave judgment the application made on behalf c J. Cook, asking that service of J. Cook, asking that service of tion on the co-respondent Lillie T set aside on the ground that she minor could not be served with cess except in the presence of h or guardian. His Lordship held the applications of the condense of the con or guardian. His Lordship held the s good and dismissed the application. Murphy for the respondent and V Langley for the petitioner.

The trial of the action Russell v. sell is being heard by Mr. Justice W to-day. In a former action of the name in which the present plaintiff defendant and the present defendan plaintiff, a decree for judicial sepa and alimony was granted, and the was registered against the lands opresent plaintiff, J. J. Russell. The ent action is brought to set aside the tration of that decree on the groun Order 68, Rule 7, under which it wa istered is ultra vires—the contention behalf of the plaintiff being that is no right to make a rule of court fering in any way with the provision the land Roseiter. fering in any way with the provision the Land Registry Act. Argument is going on at the time of going to Mr. A. L. Belyea for plaintiff and Thornton Fell for defendant.

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Hon. Mr. Laurie Congratulato on His

Ottawa, March 6. rday Ives continue edial bill. The ent was that in i tional clauses of irit of the co between Ont hould be considered nnection with the Craig, Conservativ oathy with the Libe delay, inquiry and onstrained to vote islation. He held the judicial commi council was more judgment. He die government was bo peal, legally or minority had a it should be made the satisfaction of lief was granted. as mild as could but he objected t ed for the restora aparate schools. lue weight had word "grievances." ose the right to heir religion, but eceiving state aid oba schools wer chools. Peace an secured by Patriotism requi cave the matter day was not far hing as separate He claimed that roved Conservativ

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