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within easy distance on the completion of the boat now building at Little Dalles. Nelson real estate has taken a spurt upwards in the last ten days, and 50 lots...

CANADIAN NEWS.

Exciting Scenes at the Half-Yearly Meeting of the Grand Trunk Railway. The Loan Effected in London by the C.P.R.—Premier Mercier's Mission Successful.

to the spot where the body of Mrs. Fredericksen had been buried and the body was found for those who want it, and care to pay for it.

THE CHILIAN REVOLUTION.

The Fleets of England and Germany to be Arrayed Against President Balmaceda. Admiral Hotham Instructed by Lord Salisbury to Protect British Interests in Chili.

working-men with good, substantial meals for 25 cents, and furnishing more luxurious fare for those who want it, and care to pay for it.

Markham this evening issued a proclamation in regard to the death of ex-Governor Waterman, recommending that the flags on the state buildings be placed at half mast for a period of thirty days, and that the state offices at Sacramento be closed on the day of the funeral.

ADVERTISING RATES: REGULAR COMMERCIAL ADVERTISEMENTS... THE WEEKLY COLONIST... THE DAILY COLONIST...

SEALS KILL THE DOGFISH. Existence of the Fur Animal Interest Destruction of the Sea-Wolf. Henry W. Elliott in Forest and Stream.

The Quebec Loan. QUEBEC, April 14.—Premier Mercier and Hon. Mr. Sheehy, provincial treasurer, have succeeded in making preliminary arrangements for the new provincial loan of \$1,000,000.

THE PRESIDENT STARTS. WASHINGTON CITY, April 13.—President and Mrs. Harrison, with the party who accompanied them on their trip to the far West, left here at midnight on a special train prepared for them.

THE NEW YORK HOUSE. A Handsome and Well-Arranged Place of Entertainment on the European Plan. Mrs. N. G. Johnson, the proprietress of the well-known New York restaurant, on Yates street, will, in about two weeks, formally open her new hotel, next door, to which the name of the restaurant will be transferred.

FIRE IN ELIZABETH, N. J. The Principal Business Block Destroyed—A Georgia Poorhouse Burned. ELIZABETH, N. J., April 13.—The principal business block of the city, the Arcade building, owned by Amos Clark and occupied by the postoffice, the First National bank, and a number of stores, was burned to-day, entailing a loss of \$250,000.

TEA. Young Hyson. Write R. H. JAMES 38 FORT ST. THIRTY-TH BY ATLANTIC Captain Verney will Ret Land and Meet the Brought Against Some Plain Talk from the Land Telegraphers as to Future Action

KOOTENAY NEWS. Three Men Killed on the Columbia and Kootenay Grade by a Powder Explosion. Reported Sale of the Dandy—Wonderful Find of Copper Ore—Nelson Real Estate.

As this subject of what influence the fur seal had and has upon the supply of food fishes for man, is one which has often been discussed during the last six or seven years among the ichthyologists and naturalists, generally, at the Smithsonian Institution, and at the United States Fish Commission, it is not a new theme; but the verdict of experts here is diametrically opposed to the statement above made by Mr. Porter's authority as he quotes him.

THE MANITOBA FRANCHISE BILL. WINNIPEG, April 14.—The Manitoba legislature was in session 22 hours yesterday and to-day, the opposition making a decided stand against the passage of the bill which they characterized as one of the most iniquitous measures ever attempted.

SOUTHERN HOSPITALITY. A Full Meed of It to be Extended to the President. WASHINGTON, April 13.—General Passenger Agent Hardwick of the Georgia Pacific division, who will travel with the presidential train until it leaves the Richmond and Danville system, says that great preparations are being made for the President to show him what Southern hospitality means.

CHRIST'S SECOND COMING. It Is Predicted to Take Place Within This Century. NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 13.—Prof. C. A. Totten of Yale, in speaking of the publication of his recent mathematical calculation, said: "Some papers have published that I predict the end of the world within this century. They mistake. This is their error, not mine. I do not think the end of the world will come within a century. I do not believe in the millennium until 1890. I think that in 1,000 years away, I simply say that at this second coming Christ will make the world better than it did at the first."

MOURNING FOR WATERMAN. Flags in San Jose at Half-Mast—Preparations for the Funeral. SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 13.—The city showed many visible signs of mourning to-day over the death of ex-Governor Waterman. The flags on the courthouse, city hall and private buildings were flying at half-mast, and the Superior Court adjourned out of respect to the dead. Funeral services will be held at the residence at 2:30 to-morrow afternoon, and will be as simple as possible.

AGENTS WANTED AT ONCE. WE WANT STEADY, RELIABLE MEN to act as traveling local salesmen for the sale of our Nursery stock. SIEGFRIED & BRANDENSTEIN, SAN FRANCISCO.

On Monday afternoon four mangled and crushed bodies were brought into Nelson from the rock-out on the Columbia and Kootenay grade, about two miles below the town. The bodies were those of James Ryan, Henry Martin, August Johnson and Justus Mathison—four of the gang working under foreman Smith. It appears that about five o'clock in the afternoon a 22-foot hole, loaded with 10 kegs of black-powder and a case of dynamite, and primed with a 19-foot fuse, was fired. The workmen returned from a distance of 450 feet, where they had gone for safety, and were starting to work again, when they observed dense smoke issuing from one or two crevices in the rock, and they immediately apprehended danger.

Now, what has mainly prevented these dogfishes from so multiplying as to produce the same results as the cod and herring fisheries everywhere else in Alaska, is declared to be the case in Prince William Sound, by Special Agent Petroff, above cited. Why, the fur seal. He is the chief and only pronounced hunter of the dogfish; man rejects all fishing of that creature as unprofitable, except in a very small way for its oil; but the fur seal regards the dogfish as its special and most wholesome game, and as a result of the seal fishery, the dogfish is not only protected, but its head off at the nape and usually rejects it, because the teeth are sharp and hard and unpleasant when involved in the slight mastication that nature has provided for the seal.

THE YUKON COUNTRY. More About Its Resources—A Wonderfully Rich Gold Country—It Wants Roads. According to Captain Moore, who has made special investigations into the characteristics and resources of the great Yukon country, its mineral wealth is greater than that which has been mentioned by Mr. Ogilvie in his report in 1888 to the Department of the Interior. He holds it to be one of the richest countries in the world, having unlimited quantities of silver, diamonds, platinum, with soft opinions are concurred in by Americans, well informed authorities, who declare that every stream entering the Upper Yukon has gold in it, the bars yielding from \$8 to \$40 per ton, and the quartz yielding from \$10 to \$150 per ton.

JUDGE LYNCH. Two Murderers Taken from the Jail at Astoria by Masked Men and Riddled with Bullets. ASTORIA, April 11.—Since the Supreme Court of Washington reversed the decision of the Pacific County Court and granted a new trial to John Rose and John Edwards, who were sentenced to be hanged, last November, there have been mutterings of discontent among the friends of the murdered couple. Rose's attorney, becoming alarmed, took steps toward having the men removed to the place of their confinement at Graysville, yesterday, and it was the intention to remove the prisoners to Chehalis county to-day.

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FOR SALE. A FULL-SIZED CORNER TOWN LOT with a two-story house, barn and outbuildings. For further particulars apply to J. Beckinsell, Corner of 10th and Victoria, B. C. w-1212

WASHBURN. Washburn's Improved Quality of Paper. Washburn & Healy, Chicago.

GEN. SPINOLA DEAD. The Tammany War Horse Succumbs in His Seventieth Year. WASHINGTON, April 14.—Congressman Francis B. Spinola of New York died at 1 p.m. Gen. Spinola at the time of his death represented the Tenth district of New York, comprising the Eleventh, Sixteenth and Eighteenth Assembly districts of New York county. He had served two terms in Congress as a Tammany Hall Democrat and had been re-elected to the Fifty-second Congress. Gen. Spinola was born in Long Island, N. Y., in 1821. After serving as an aide-de-camp to General Fremont, he was a member of Assembly and four years a senator. In October, 1862, he was appointed a brigadier general of volunteers for recruiting and organizing a brigade of four regiments and leading them to the field, and was honorably discharged in 1865 with two wounds. He went as a delegate to the famous Charleston convention in 1860 and was alternate to Daniel Manning, who was a delegate at large from the state of New York to the Democratic national convention of 1884. He was connected with a number of insurance and banking institutions and was a successful business man. His health has been for years a very delicate one. He had abundant means and spent freely in the cause of the party.

Flight of a Society Leader. ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 14.—Society and business circles are stirred over the disappearance, since last Friday, of Page McPherson, of the firm of McPherson, Switzer & Co., 208 North 2d street. It is reported that McPherson's accounts are involved to the extent of \$20,000. There is no clue to his whereabouts. Mr. McPherson has posed as the leader of the "Burglar" party, and his flight has caused a sensation.

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E. C. PRIOR & CO. THOUSANDS OF BOTTLES GIVEN AWAY YEARLY. WASHBURN'S IMPROVED QUALITY OF PAPER. WASHBURN & HEALY, CHICAGO. THE VERNEY SCANDAL. LONDON, April 16.—The tide of indignation in regard to the infamous charges against the late Captain Edward M.P., is changing somewhat in the favor of the Liberal leaders. The Liberal leaders are on the whole, in the opinion of the public, more ready to give the representation, and that he will at per time be ready with a complete list of the allegations brought against him. There is reason to think that the evidence against Verney is, in fact, not so strong as it was at first supposed to be, and that he will be allowed the matter to drop. In any case, Verney will probably never regain his former standing or influence. The exposure of this kind upon public grounds, is well illustrated in the case of Sir Charles Dilke, who, with all his local brilliancy, cannot revive the glow which the scandal of the divorce destroyed.