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## STEAMSHIP MANAGER BECOMES DECKHAND

## Capt. Troup's Prompt Steps to Meet Strikers---Strange Crew Collected to Man Charmer --- Estes Hopeful of Winning.

(From Tuesday's Daily.)

What has been impending for many At 1 o'clock this morning the firemen, oilers, deck hands and all other members of the Britis Columbia Steamship Union employed on the Charmer, Prin- freight or baggage was to be handled. Union employed on the Charmer, Princess Louise, Danube and Tees, in all totalling 94 men, walked ashore, and for clying the notice required by the agree a time considerable excitement prevailed alorg the waterfront.

Captain Troup, manager of the company, was unaware of the intention of from Vancouver the steamer carried nonthe men, and at a late hour was tele- union freight, but Capt. Troup is not phone I for. When he arrived on the wharf the condition of affairs was an exwharf the condition of affairs was an ex-tremely embarrassing one, but he proved keep everything moving, shove freight equal to the occasion. The Charmer, he insisted, must not be tied up. Accordingly, sooner than see his good resolution frustrated, he was the first to throw off his coat and enter the hold of the vessel. Having the sympathy of the officers of organized, and the Charmer, when her out manned with one of the most unique crews ever seen aboard a steamer. In Capt. Troup's absence the good work night. Then C. P. R. officials declare she be in a more fortunate position than either of the other three steamers. Having just arrived from the West Coast yesterday morning she would in any event be held in port for a few days.

with this organization the tie-up would in all probability have been complete an office employee in Vancouver without and effective. Fortunately the opposite is the case, and through the loyalty is the management of the men to the management of the with this organization the tie-up would of the men to the management of the company, Victoria owes the ciety of Railway Servants of England, fact there is a steamer connection to-day with points on the Mainland. Otherwith points on the Mainland. Otherwith points on the Mainland of the association's constitution. This was filed.

Herbert Shade, plumbing inspector, thereby the company of a school district under the company. Victoria owes the ciety of Railway Servants of England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales. This organization was perfected on March 2nd, Herbert Shade, plumbing inspector, Several notices appear. One is for the company of a school district under the

Journal of that city. As president of the union he travels all over the continent. The Queen's, but expects to go to Vancouver

local union the American Federation was contributing at the rate of \$1,000 a month, and that the union in maintaining its position would use its utmost endeavors to discourage all employees im-

This, Mr. Estes contends, is being successfully done at Vancouver, where crowds of men are daily being brought in to that city from Seattle and other mental sate way Company. Defendant applied to have parts of statement of claim struck out and for particulars. An order for amendment within four days was grantcities south of the boundary line. These ed, and particulars within ten days, demen, he states, are not aware of the fence to be delivered within a week of merits of the strike when engaged. merits of the strike when engaged.
Facts are misrepresented to them, and when informed of the true condition of affairs they are usually willing to resign their positions. Of course there are some who "toughen," says Mr. Estes, but we find that these men are not valuable either to us on to the company. It is considered by the consider able either to us or to the company. s the history of every strike, he added, | will.

f tered into with Capt. Troup. This agreement, which was published in yester-day's Times, provided that the C. P. N. days along the waterfront occurred last Company were not to carry any "scab" night in the shape of a strike aboard a freight or baggage on any of its fleet, number of the C. P. N. steamers in port. or to carry coal to the Empress line of steamers at Vancouver. Should the company desire to break this agreement notice, during which time no non-union

> giving the notice required by the agreement. He therefore argues that the men were perfectly justified in going out as they did last night. In coming down ter is, he explained, the C. P. R. emdecided that the most effectual way to deal with the matter would be to tie up the fleet. Even in carrying C. P. R. passengers the C. P. N. boats could be looked upon as doing "scab" work, but

> in not acting heretofore on this matter. Mr. Estes explained strikes are never conducted along lines that mean a complete cessation of all business at once. In speaking of the circumstances leading up to the fight with the C. P. R.,

pioyees, Mr. Estes says in many of the died away in the distance the curious night. Then C. P. R. officials declare she will be ready. Her crew were those principally enlisted for the Charmer, and by the time the latter returns this evening provision will have been made to evening provision will have been made to a company their company in their returns the company and elsewhere men were discharged, while the company manner. evening prevision with late control of their duties aboard the vancouver boat. The Tees happens to over the organizer of the union. The orstandard prevision that the variable of their duties aboard the variable of the variable ganizer was offered a position before he came West, and he was told of the uselessness of fighting a corporation with duction of more practical subjects in the four millions at its back, prepared to High school and that of Trustee Hall spend a million in a strike, and was so bothered that to-day he is sick and at instruction in this institution were not instruction in the instruction with the control of the control of

union he travels all over the continent lecturing on unionism. He is making his lecturing on unionism. He is making his pickets stationed in Seattle advising non-union men not to go to Vancouver. The union had sought the advice of Joseph Martin and other lawyers about the municated the following: via Seattle this evening, for to travel by the direct route would be an act of integality of laborers being imported into this side, but had been informed that the law was very imperfect, and holes could be an act of integality of laborers being imported into this side, but had been informed that the law was very imperfect, and holes could be an act of integality of laborers being imported into this side, but had been informed that the law was very imperfect, and holes could be an act of integality of laborers being imported into this side, but had been informed that the law was very imperfect, and holes could consistency in view of the stand he has aken on unionism.

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fore the Chief Justice. The Chief Justice disposed of the following applications in Chambers Thurs-

day morning:
Mackenzie vs. Victoria & Sidney Rail-

Re Margaret Dupont, deceased. L. Crease obtained probate of deceased's

is the history of every strike, he added, that men are always found after it is declared to fill union men's positions, but when they are called "scab," and realize the position they have placed themselves in, they drop gradually out until all leave save those who have hardened.

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BY-LAWS PUBLISHED

The Official Report of Convention Provincial Mining Association Being Prepared.

The Provincial Mining Association have just had the constitution and bylaws of the association published in book form. The booklet contains also the list of the officers together with the committees which have recently been building and grounds committee with

Auditing committee-H. B. Thompcn, C. Foley and Henry Croft. Finance committee—To be composed of one member from each district organization; to be named by such or-

ganization Robt. Borland.

Communications from the communications from the configuration of views he fact. This interchange of views he thought would be most beneficial to the Robt. Borland. Committee on legislation—A. C. Galt, C. Phillipps-Wolley, A. L. Belyea, K. C., and S. S. Taylor, K. C.

Printing and literary committee Hon, D. W. Higgins (chairman), A. B. Fraser, sr., A. L. Belyea, K. C., Henry Croft, C. Phillipps-Wolley, H. C. Bel-inger and C. Foley.

The officers of the association are nov usily engaged getting out the official report of the proceedings of the convenand will be published in a neat form.

# BY CLANG OF BELL

SEE APPARATUS PASS

TRUSTEES RUSH TO

After Which They Returned to Their Seats and Transacted Business

The clang of the firebell overhead Capt. Troup's absence the good work continued. The Princess Louise was without a crew, but at an early hour a nonunion aggregation was gotten together, and the steamer was sailed for New Westminster shortly before 10 o'clock. There were 37 of these men, and they left Montreal on January 23rd. After the Steamship Union united with the United Brotherhood of Railway Emlored Princes and the steamer was before to lock the service of a quorum for the time being. When the streets, thereby robbing the meeting of a quorum for the time being. When the streets are the company of sending nonunion men west from Montreal four days before any strike had been declared. There were 37 of these men, and they left Montreal on January 23rd. After the Steamship Union united with the the streets, thereby robbing the meeting of a quorum for the time being. When the steamer was princed by the streets are the company of sending nonunion men west from Montreal four days before any strike had been declared. There were 37 of these men, and they left Montreal on January 23rd. After the Steamship Union united with the U.P. R., and the scenario of the school board Wednesday. The trustees rushed to the window to be four trustees rushed to the window to be found the steamer was part of the scenario of the school board wednesday. The trustees rushed to the window to be found the steamer was a sailed for New Westminster shortly before to be found the steamer was a sailed for New Westminster shortly before any strike had been declared. There were 37 of these men, and they left Montreal on January 23rd. After the Steamship Union united with the scenario of the school board wednesday. company's offices employees were called trustees returned to their places in the

The strike had been declared by the point of death in a hospital at Winnasters' Union, which includes masters and first and second mates, and the which Mr. Estes cited, were the actual which Mr. Estes cited, were the actual towards and second mates, and the which Mr. Estes cited, were the actual towards are instruction in this institution were not present at the meeting. After the usual formalities the meeting. After the usual formalities the meeting. After the usual formalities the meeting are the meeting. After the usual formalities the meeting are the meeting and the second mates are the meeting and the second mates are the meeting are the mee

events leading up to the strike. The culminating point was the discharge of an office employee in Vancouver without High School Alumn Association, thank-

with points on the Mainland. Utherwise she might have been isolated for an indefinite time, for according to the officers of the Steamship Union the successful termination of the Vancouver strike, which up till the present has not strike, which up till the present has not strike. That he said would be giving the company would be giving the company would be given as the management, etc. When asked what his plan of fighting the company would be giving the company would be giving the company would be given the city superintendent explained that connection with a box drain was required and urged that the necessary work district and Chilliwack (East) school district in Westminster district. Alterations in the limits of Chilliwack (South) school district and Chilliwack (South) school district under the city superintendent explained that connection with a box drain was required and urged that the necessary work district and Chilliwack (South) school district under the city superintendent explained that connection with a box drain was required and urged that the necessary work district and Chilliwack (South) school district under the company would be given by the city superintendent explained that the city superinte

where he runs the Railway Employees get replies he will address a letter to the coast, while Mr. Tytler was desirous of the company. lecturing on India. After some discussion the requests were referred to the chairman and the city superinten leat.

taken on unionism.

Mr. Estes is an able conversationalist, and possesses a great fund of information on all labor topics. He hopes to arrange for a meeting to be held in some public hall before his departure in order, as he says, to recite the incidents leading up to the strike with the C. P. R. railway, and to give the laboring men a complete his tory of the trouble up to the present.

In the course of an interview with Mr. Estes this morning the Times was informed that the strike would be a long drawn out one, unless the C. P. R. company compromised; that it was the intention of the union to effectually shut off the C. P. R. source of coal supply; that in this connection the mine at LEGAL NEWS.

Sir:—I beg to accept the halfman of your goard and endosing a copy of a suspensory clause to the board, and enclosing a copy of a suspensory clause to the board on the strike with the C. P. R. railway, and to give the laboring men a complete his or a good one. Unionism, he says, to recite the incidents leading up to the strike with the C. P. R. railway, and to give the laboring men a complete his or a good one. Unionism, he says, to recite the incidents leading up to the strike with the C. P. R. railway, and to give the laboring men and the quicker people realize this the better. It would not not be recited and constituted meeting of the board, "meetings of the board," "meetings of the board, and to admit the stomach grows and regulations contained in sections I., II. and III., as relating to the "organization of the board," "meetings of the board," "

ing decided to leave the printing of the ew rules in the hands of the finance Applications for positions on the teaching staff were read from Miss Laura Simpson, H. B. Marchant, Mrs. E. J. Taylor and Miss E. B. Murray.

These were laid on the table. Trustee Jay reported that the heated. The sum of \$125 had been appro-

but he was happy to report that the work had been done for \$100.

The building and grounds committee,

the High school and Boys' school grounds at 30 cents per yard. he High school and Boys' school rounds at 30 cents per yard.

The matter stood over until the next period, when the report will the next period. meeting, when the report will be submitted in writing, as required by the

The city superintendent asked the board to make a small appropriation for preparing the council chamber for the exhibition of school children's work, which will be held there on April 3rd ACCUSED OF ATTEMPT

power to act. article in the London Times, which stated that the High school authorities of the metropolis were endeavoring to carry out a scheme of correspondence-between the home high schools and those of other parts of the Empire and were inviting communications from abroad on the sublocal schools, and he advised that the matter be brought to the attention of Principal Paul.

The city superintendent recommended that the plumbing inspector be author-

that the board wanted to dismiss lady pedogogues. What was really said at the He is charged with attempting to incite tafors in those days. The Family Comwas that there should be a larger procortion of male teachers on the staff.

Chairman Drury explained that he had on to outlined the policy of the board on this question, as one would gather from the Colonist report of a conversation with him the other day. His own position, and he believed that of the board.

o discriminate in the matter of sex, but it. teachers which formerly existed should Trustee Boggs held a similar view, Before adjourning the board decided cancel the privilege allowed photogra-

schools and taking pictures of the pupils. OFFICIAL NOTICES

School District on the Mainland Named After His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

The Provincial Gazette contain uncement that the following justices of the peace have been appointed; Horace Cooper Wrinch, M.D., of Hazelton: Marshal Pollock Gordon, of Kam-

o as having been duly incorporated. The capitalization of \$65,000, divided into 650 shares, is included among these. There is also the Minnetonka Gold Mines, Ltd., with a capital of \$90,000, divided into 3.000,000 shares, and The Jessie F. Gold Mining & Milling Company, Ltd., with a capital of \$20,000, divided into 2,000, 000 shares. The latter is organized to work the Jessie F. and other properties in Trail Creek mining division. The

strike, which up the present has not affected this city, is not in sight, and may last six months

The action of the union is coincident with the arrival here of Geo. Estes, president of the U. B. R. E., and President Thompson of the British Columbia organization last night. The former was in

### DO YOU KNOW

That It's No Use Eating Unless You Digest Your Food-That if Your Stomach Won't Digest It Dodd's

just to fit such cases. They digest the food themselves and thus while the body receives its matural nourishment and covers its natural powers. That's why Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets cure as well as relieve. That's why Ademard Coderre, of St. Jasques de L'achigan, Que.,

is able to say: "I certify to having suffered two years with Dyspepsia caused by inflammation of the stomach. I took three medicines ing plant in the Boys' school was working satisfactorily, the noise which so frequently disturbed the classes being stoppriated for these improvements last year, ished taking them I was completely

TO INCITE A STRIKE

Steamer Charmer is Specified in the In formation-Case Remanded Until To morrow Morning.

(From Thursday's Daily.)

The information laid against him bears able grounds for believing that George Estes, at present of Victoria, on the 16th of March, at Victoria, did attempt to incite the crew of the steamer Charmer, a in conveying His Majesty's mails from

> couver, to wilfully delay the passing and rogress of the said vessel, while so em-The charge was read but the accuse was not asked to elect. E. V. Bodwell, K.C., who appears for the prosecution announced that the charge was laid un der section 95, of the Post Office Act chapter 35) in connection with section 530 of the criminal code. The first sec-

tion was as follows: "Every one who abandons or obstructs wilfully delays the passing or progress of any mail, or any car, train, locomo ive, engine, tender, carriage, vessel horse or animal, employed in conveying any mail or any railway, public highway, river, canal, or water communica-tion, is guilty of a misdemeanor; prorided always, that nothing in this sec tion contained shall prevent any person from being liable under any other act or otherwise to any greater punishment than is provided for any offence under this section, but no person shall be punished

twice for the same offence."

principle should apply in this case.

Mr. Bedwell remarked that Mr. Robertson's request was not justified by preparticulars should be given in a prelim-

inary hearing. The magistrate inclined to Mr. Bodultimately taken until to-morrow morning at 10:30 o'clock, on the request of he prosecution, who want time in which

o gather their witnesses together President Estes last night address the meeting of the Trades and Labor uncil in Labor hall. He spoke at considerable length, his address being very imilar to the one delivered by him a few evenings ago. He was followed by President Thompson of the B. C. S. S. Union, and President Bulley of the local organization, the former of whom urged the council to declare all goods coming over the C. P. R. or C. P. N. systems unfair The matter was discussed at some length It was pointed out that such action, if consistently carried out, would came over the C. P. R.

A formal motion was made requesting that the council urge affiliated unions t place the goods brought over the C. P. R. and C. P. N. systems on the unfair list. An amendment was moved, reaction they desired. The amendment was carried.

The Longshoremen's Union last night sion was arrived at after listening to the hope to affect a change of methods. But cent, of the cases have so resulted. The building and grounds committee, through Trustee Jay, also recommended that the architect be requested to notify the contracting plumber at the High school and his bondsmen to complete his contract according to the specifications.

The report of the building and grounds committee was then adopted.

Trustee Boggs reported verbally that the building and grounds committee had fentered into an arrangement with the contractor of a Yates street building for contractor of a Yates street building in drawing 300 loads of earth for filling in the local branch.

"Several changes are about to be made in the local staffs of the Bank of Montreal in the Coast cities," says the Vancouver News-Advertiser, "F. Napler Smith, who recently arrived in Victoria and Bruce L. Smith, who recently arrived in Victoria from Ottawa, will be fransferred to the Vancouver News-Advertiser, "A., agree to load and discharge all C. P. N. boats (no crew to be employed handler than the been doing duty for some time at New Leen doi remarks of Mr. Estes and the others at

THE ALASKA COMMISSION.

Mr. L. P. Duff. K. C., is to be conturally to be expected under the extrathe magnitude of the interests at stake, has chosen the strongest men that could be secured, irrespective of party, to pre-Christopher Robinson, Q. C., of To-

of spectators in the police court this family. His forbears were active spirits morning, and considerable suppressed ex- in the days when Toryism had reached ized to examine all the schools of the citement mixed with not a little curios- its highest stage of development in Cancity. This recommendation was adopted. Ity. The attraction was the case of ada. There was scarcely any obstacle Trustee Hall, on a question of privi-lege, desired to remove the impression E., who was yesterday afternoon served exercising its own benevolent will, and with a summons by Detective Palmer. it was an easy matter to dispose of agia strike on one of the C. P. N. steamers, pact ruled, and the Robinsons shared in the latest development in a situation their prosperity. Nevertheless there which is the main topic of conversation were strong men, men who would have better. Mr. Martin was selected as leadunion now on strike, others who extend early days. Those sturdy, narrow-mindwhat is known as moral support, people ed old despots left strong and able suc- reconsidering the matter of leadership. was set forth in the letter written by him who are opposed to the union's action, cessors, who, leavened with the leaven If that idea be carried out we shall be to the Times on Tuesday evening. There and business men who apprehend a dis-was no attempt on the part of the board location of commerce in consequence of props of the Canadianism that succeed-to discriminate in the matter of sex but it

which the president of the U. B. R. E. rooted out. The Robinsons were a fine, government to represent Canada.

credit of Mr. Blake, but we may as well to be dealt with by those who are comlet that pass. Edward, after trying his petent to deal with it. hand as Liberal leader in the Dominion for a number of years, threw up the that there can be no settled conditions of job in disgust, and in departing to free government until such a division is Ireland administered a kick to the party brought about. In that case, it seems to which is resented to this day. But Mr. us that the crisis cannot be brought Blake is acknowledged to be the possessor about too quickly. It may facilitate matof one of the great legal intellects of the ters to point out for the benefit of wouldworld. He was the man for Canada, be leaders in both parties that if Sir Wiland it mattered not whether he were frid Laurier, or Mr. Borden, or the head

Tory or Mugwump, his services were of a party in any of the provinces, bethe spirit that should be displayed by ship was not favorably regarded by the governments. It is just the spirit that most infinitesimal section of his followwould not have been displayed if Con- ers, he would not retain the position for servatives had been in power. The best a day. men from the East and from the West have been appointed upon the commission, irrespective of politics.

### THE POLITICAL MIX-UP.

If the politicians of British Columbia are as anxious as they profess to be Thompson of the British Columbia organization last night. The former was in Portland when advised of the local situation, and came, he says, in response to a message from the local union inviting him. Mr. Estes lives in San Francisco, where he runs the Railway Employees

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Thompson of the British Columbia organization last night. The former was in Portland when advised of the local situation to a number of requests the work would be accomplished by some means.

A notice is given that creditors of the High school, derw attention to a number of requests to bring about the division of the High school assembly room tor lecture people on party lines because only by that means can stable, efficient and resion is made by such statute."

A notice is given that creditors of the High school, derw attention to a number of requests to bring about the division of the High school, and not inconsistent with this act, or incites or attempts to incite any person to commit any such offence, and for the High school assembly room tor lecture before April 30th to Fred Tendron, Edwin Andrews, Thos. Blain Reynolds and where he runs the Railway Employees get replies he will address a letter to the Shipmasters' Union and to the High school, and not inconsistent with this act, or incites or attempts to incite any person to commit any such offence, and for the Universal and not inconsistent with this act, or incites or attempts to incite any person to commit any such offence, and for the High school, and not inconsistent with this act, or incites or attempts to incite any person to the tuture of the Universal and not inconsistent with this act, or incites or attempts to incite any person to tecture before the Universal and not inconsistent with this act, or incites or atte for the defence, asked for further par- wonder they are not sufficiently patriotic Mail and Empire is almost speechless ticulars of the charge, which he claimed to sink all selfish, personal ambitions. was their right. When a man was charged with theft the information always specified the number of articles petty, mean, ignoble disputations, and go of the participants in that scandal had stolen, and when and where. The same about the work of regeneration in the to free the country. Some of the agents, spirit worthy of men who have set them-

selves to such a high purpose. There is no doubt whatever that the people of the province are heartily sick of the manner in which their affairs have of late years been manipulated for the well's contention. An adjournment was advancement of the personal ambitions. the gratification of the whims the satisfaction of the vindictive feelings and the visitation of the low personal spites of parties who by reason of unfortunate circumstances and the absence of the personal pride and self-respect which cannot be wounded by unmistakable rebuffs, have managed to keep themselves in po sitions of prominence in their affairs. Our strictures apply to all the parties, cliques and cabals that have too long figured in provincial public life. If party lines are the only means by

brought to an end and responsible govbia, by all means let us have party lines. about fifty a month, and that an Iewa But let it not be forgotten that a mere declaration in favor of party lines will not change the disposition of our public men. The principles, or lack of such, that dominated them as political nonde they get seems to be humane and saluscripts will still rule them as Conservatives or Liberals. A radical change in tives or Liberals. A radical change in the personnel of our legislature will be seem to be cured they are discharged. decided to remain at work. This deci- as necessary as a change of name if we and report says that, so far, about 75 per

party regularly organized under it to gratulated on the honor he has gained in dodge responsibility for its acts. In the being appointed as one of the counsel of past a government has been condemned, the Canadian Alaska Boundary Commis- the party which supported it dismembersioners. Mr. Duff has rapidly attained ed, and the discredited institution afterto eminence in his profession in British wards endowed with more extended pow-Columbia, is personally very popular with the members of the Bar, and his billity and mobility of the disorganized appointment has been received with feel- forces in the House. It is extremely deings of general satisfaction. The gov- sirable to draw the lines more clearly ernment of the Dominion, as was na- and definitely and to create parties which can be given credit for the good ordinary circumstances of the case and and held responsible for the evil they do. In the past there has been too much beating of the air over the question of leadership. Conservatives have twice sent our side of the issue before the gathered in convention, declared themselves in favor of party lines and selected Mr. Charles Wilson, K.C., as their There were an unusually large number | ronto, comes of an old Conservative | leader. The political history of British Columbia for the past few years proves how utterly futile the declarations of conventions are in face of the opposition of politicians in power. There are at present two aspirants for the Conservative leadership in the House, while the convention which selected him. The position of the Liberals is very little if any Added to this interest was curiosity, of ed the old Toryism when it was finally ances. If the question of leadership had been left in abeyance by both parties the was the object. Habitues of the police sturdy lot of boys in their day. John probability is that the steps declared to court who have been deploring the pauc- Beverley, a brother of Christopher, gained be necessary for the salvation of British ity of live entertainment in the diurnal fame by knocking out on the streets of Columbia would have been taken ere proceedings contemplated the present case with much satisfaction. Mr. Estes

Toronto a newspaper editor who oftend this. As is pointed out by a correspondhas been pretty largely advertised during the past few weeks, and quite naturally and is the owner of one of the most selection of a leader will be brought there was a general desire to see what he looked like. He sat beside his counsel, Harold Robertson, and did not took at all dejected or harassed because of the looked like. He served a term as Lieut.-Governor of ontario, and died in harness, dropping leaders of the past or of the present. Dominion or Provincial, have never dead at a great political meeting in To- ent, Dominion or Provincial, have never the name of Robert Bullick, and states | ronto. Such are the antecedents of one | sought the posts. They have been the that the latter "has reasonable and prob- of the chief counsel chosen by a Liberal unanimous choice of the elected members of the party. The manner of their elec-The other is Hon. Edward Blake. The tion precluded any suspicion of wire-Blakes are rather at "outs" with the pulling. Let us get back to first prin-Liberals at present. Sam is engaged in ciples and to the established methods of vessel in operation by the C. P. N. Co., Liberals at present. Sam is engaged in ciples and to the established methods of conducting our affairs. It may be necesernment of Ontario. The circumstances sary to hold another convention. If it the city of Victoria to the city of Van- of the quarrel are not altogether to the is, let the question of leadership remain

It is said party lines are inevitable necessary and must be secured. That is came aware of the fact that his leader-

The Colonist should take a day off and devote some attention to the history of its country. It asserts that "no polifical scandal ever unearthed in Canada has been so shocking in all its particulars" as the one at present being discussed in Ontario. We think it was in 1884 that a Conservative conspiracy was discovered, organised for the purpose of with indignation in regard to this latest outrage. The greater conspiracy was hatched in the office of the Mail, Some in the present one will have to get out. That is certain. It must be said for Mr. Gamey that he was a most disinterested and self-sacrificing partisan. He endured the slings and arrows of scorn from his outraged fellows with calmness and placidity. He did not even make a confident of his leader: he carried the game with through with his own bat. with the exception of a word of caution from some obscure individual in Manitoulin. However, two judges will weigh

the evidence and the case of Mr. Gamey. Iowa has gone one better than the British liquor license law and condemns habitual drunkards to lunatic asylums. When the measure passed it caused but little stir, but within eight months three hundred alcoholic patients were under which these ignoble squabblings can be restraint and treatment. An Iowa dispatch says that inebriates continue to everybody handling or using goods which ernment made possible in British Colum- flow into the state asylums at the rate of court has just ruled that their constitutional rights are not violated by their detention. Some of the inebriates don't like to be shut up, but the treatment tary. Their liquor is stopped, and they have to work on farms, and are encour

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