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From THE DAILY COLONIST, August 27. BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

No More Horse Racing to Be Allowed in Beacon Hill Park.

Oakland Estate Will Have a Fire Hall and a Volunteer Fire Company.

At last night's city council meeting all the board were present, and the list of business was disposed of with exceptional celerity. The statement of the receipts and expenditure in connection with the Queen's Birth-

It was decided to pay the costs agreed upon with Hunter & Duff in Hasell and the which she has been at work for the past solicitor, wrote suggesting that as soon as the The Century, beginning with November. results of the outside engineer's examinations of Mr. Wilmot's calculations in Coughlan & Mayo vs. the City are made, the council or a committee should meet Mr. Taylor to decide whether or not an appeal should e taken from Mr. Justice Drake's judgment. The matter of the conference was left with the mayor to arrange.

M. & L. Young wrote complaining that they were discriminated against in their water rate.

ALD. CAMERON said that the present water by law discriminated unfairly and should on that account be altered.

ALD. WILSON suggested a return to the old rates. The amendments had been made in the by-law to give people with large gardens and lawns a chance to get enough water to keep them green. ALD. MACMILLAN was for the pipe front-

age tax on property. ALD. McLELLAN pointed out that people who used metres had in some instances to pay more for watering their lawns than peo-

ple who had no metres.
On Ald. Cameron's motion it was decided to inform Young Bros. that the council were considering the matter complained of in their letter.

street, as it was not private property. It was referred to the city surveyor and

streets committee to report. Mr. Hutcheson, engineer of the electric light department, reported that the Wm. Hamilton Co. were entitled to five days' pay for their engine-the time between the and its final taking over. The company had upon the organization of a new national claimed eighteen days.

The report was adopted. A number of Oakland estate residents petitioned for a fire hall and hose cart and the fire wardens reported in favor of granting the petition, Mr. N. Sabin having given | be held next Monday. a free site for the hall. The fire hall would cost \$160 and the hose and other material were on hand and would be operated by a volunteer company, which was organized as a result of the meeting last week. ALD. McLELLAN spoke strongly in favor

of adopting the report, and at the same time put in a word for a hydrant on the Gorge road. Aid. Bragg and Wilson, and other mem-

for \$200 for an exercise wagon was carried,

Ald. Cameron objecting. Horse racing in the park was condemned by the park committee as dangerous to the public, and they recommended that in future

racing be prohibited. This was adopted. ALD. PARTRIDGE noted that the sea wa on Dallas road was gradually being washed

away, and suggested that the street committee might have men crib with drift wood ALD. WILLIAMS referred to the James Bay mud flat stench as unbearable. Some

method should if possible be taken to improve this. He would also like to see the Dallas road attended to if possible. ALD BRAGG spoke up for the roads in North Ward. If there was any money it

should be used to improve the streets. ALD. WILSON wanted to have the drains opening on the beach attended to. ALD. HUMPHREY feared the retaining

wall was too costly to tackle this year.

ALD. McLellan supported Ald. Partridge in hopping that something would be still more so with the beneficial effects done to stop the encroachments of the sea which it had upon Miss Stevenson's health. on the Dallas road. ALD. MACMILLAN'S motion to the effect

that that the tax notices sent to each ratepayer have on them the proportion of taxes that go to every department of the city, was the subject of considerable discussion.

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Alberni gold fields, having spent the past a life term even is allowed. two months in an examination of the counstructions from the Minister of Mines. Mr. could not very well give anything in particu-upon the new schedule coming into effect. lar regarding some of them as he was preparing a report to the government, which would be completed in a short time.

tainly remarkably rich for surface prospects.

prospectors going into the district.

The new angel smiled. 'Are there any men here in heaven?'

she asks. Yes; there were men here in heaven. "Well," she observed, "I guess you'd better fit me with a smaller halo or else give me a back seat."—Detroit Tribune.

A New York Complication .- "Hi there!"

## THE CITY.

ST. Ann's academy and the Sisters' kindergarten reopened for the Christmas term His Excellency the Governor General The Cycling Meet Date Changed-

THE place of meeting for the travelling dairy has been changed from St. Luke's hall, Cedar Hill, to Colquitz hall, Lake. THE members of the Juvenile Opera Co. have decided to give Mrs. Lang, their manager and instructor, a benefit perform-

ance at an early date. THE Governor-General and Lady Aberdeen visited the Salvation Army shelter yes-terday afternoon, and expressed themselves as highly pleased with the excellent arrangements.

THE members of the Epworth League of

cemetery by-law, and W. J. Taylor, city
two years, will be called "Sir George
Tressady." It will appear as a serial in

A NEW candidate for the attention of British Columbia readers has reached its fourth number. It is christened "The ong sustained vaccum. "The Idea" starts life with the determination to be humorous ence a week.

MR. THOMAS HARMAN, of this city, has eceived a handsome photograpic portrait of officer, who thus remembers a shipmate's by the recipient.

THE city police are making special inquiries, by request of the Morse Detective Agency of San Francisco, for Harry W. Eagles, a stonecutter by trade and a resident of this city as late as 1873. Mr. Eagles still living is about sixty-two years of age; a fortune awaits him or his lawful heirs.

Two gentlemen, well known throughout the province and especially in this city, Mr. M. T. Johnston and Dr. E. C. Foot, Tom Kains wrote asking that the two posts marked "private lane" be removed from a lane between Lewis and Menzles the province and especially in one of the province and especially in on equipages coming in collision and both gracefully though briefly, was as follows: gentlemen being badly cut and bruised. A too busy little wasp is said to have been the exciting cause of the misadventure.

UPWARDS of thirty Scandinavian resi dents, ladies and gentlemen, met at the ceptance of the electric light steam plant Hotel Victoria last evening and decided society, which will bear the name of "Val-hall." Mr. A. Henderson was elected as Mr. A. Henderson was elected as temporary chairman and Mr. George Amorsen as secretary pro tem. The next meeting, for the completion of organization, will

THE arrangements for Sunday's excursion to Cape Flattery by the Rosalie were honor were we not to rejoice at the opporaltered at the last moment, and the steamer tunity of assuring the representative of the went instead to Port Angeles, where the excursionists—over one hundred in number enjoyed equally as pleasant a day as though they had gone for a longer sea voyage. They were made aware of the change of plans before leaving Victoria, and it was made optional whether they had their ticket bers, favored the report, and Ald. Partridge pointed out how such a fire hall as suggest. In a pointed out how such a fire hall as suggest. Sion. At Port Angeles a stay of four or "We can assure Your Excellency of our or how a chosen for the pointed out how such a fire hall as suggest. Sion. At Port Angeles a stay of four or "We can assure Your Excellency of our or how a chosen for the pointed out how such a fire hall as suggest. Sion. At Port Angeles a stay of four or "We can assure Your Excellency of our or "We can assure Your Excellency or "Your Excellency of our or "We can assure Your Excellency of our or "We can assure Your Excellency or "Your Excellency of our or "We can assure Your Excellency of our or "Your Excellency ment. The report was adopted

The recommendation of the fire wardens enjoyed was the yacht race, in which Victoria craft were competitors.

> THE sisters, from New Westminster, of the Good Shepherd, are engaged personally solicing aid from the charitably disposed for their 60 or 80 orphan children, all of whom are dependent for support upon the sisters, who by their own exertions have provided a home for them, feed them, clothe them, and now have to beg for them. The orphanage has recently been visited with measles, as many as 24 of the children being prostrated with the malady at one time. They are all round again and in the enjoyment of good health. The outbreak has occasioned much expense, hence the present appeal, to which a generous public will be glad to willingly respond.

VICE-President Stevenson and party, after a pleasant sojourn in Alaska, British Col-umbia and Washington territory, started travel as they came—over the C.P.R. in the private car of Sir William Van Horne. The party were delighted with their tour and tion. In every way the trip over the great railroad pleased him and had unsurpassed charms for all the members of the party.

THE Victoria & Sidney Railway had its of which any city might be proud and in great strain to be thrown on her rudsirst accident on Sunday last, seme malicious which this city had a commendable pride. der; its head was broken off and G. O. Campbell and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. or mischievous person having thrown open the respond to duty's call thus she was thrown out of the race. When Shaw, Mr. Neper, A. P. Bukow, F. R. WILLIAMS suggested to the Mayor the Split Point switch at Elk lake, the rethat a public holiday be proclaimed for Labor day, and His Worship promised to the rails after an hour's hard consider it.

The council adjourned at 10:30.

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JUDGMENT was given yesterday by the full court in the matter of the appeal of He has brought down a number of large the Yorkshire Guarantee Company against samples, showing fine gold scattered all the assessment act. The appeal was in efthrough the rock. The samples have been feet that the mortgage tax was ultra vires taken from the Missing Link, Champion, in that it was indirect, the tax really be-Alberni and Starlight claims, and are cer- ing paid by the mortgagor though imposed Mr. Sutton states that he is preparing a per large that he mortgages. The other ground of appeal was that the mortgages held by the map for the mining district, showing the location of all the claims recorded up to date, giving the mountains, creeks and rock that they should only pay on their paid up formations, which will be a valuable aid to capital, one-eighth of the money they invest. The court held unanimously that the mortgage tax was direct and therefore intra vires. Justices Crease and McCreight decided (but Mr. Justice Drake dissented) that only one eighth of the money invested by the company can be taxed and that the company may deduct the amount they owe in England on account of the mortgages. Mr. E. P. Davis, Q.C., for the Company; Hon. D. M. Eberts, Q.C., and Mr. A. G. Smith for the Province. The Province will probably appeal.

## "A TRIP TO CHINATOWN."

and His Party See "The Quarter" by Daylight.

The Chinese Benevolent Society Presents an Address-A Disloyal Fire Alarm Box

Chinatown was honored yesterday with made up the retinue. An hour or two was spent in "the quarter," which for the oc-casion had been swept and brushed and polspent in "the quarter," which for the occasion had been swept and brushed and polished until it was unfamiliar territory to the oldest inhabitant, and the distinguished visitors had the satisfaction of seeing much that was new and strange and interesting to them—from the joss house down to the Idea," and published in Vancouver where its iters had the satisfaction of seeing much that was new and strange and interesting to them—from the joss house down to the funny little Trilby-footed ladies who enjoy the distinction of having set the fashion as to bloomers several cdd thousand years ago.

The party started out from the city hall shorty after 3:30 o'clock and made their first call at the Tai Yuen establishment, where final—H. Combe beat B. Morton, 6-5, 6-2, 6-1, the first and second prizes respectively being Admiral Stephenson from that distinguished officer, who thus remembers a shipmate's call at the Tai Yuen establishment, where equaintance on the China station in the the entire process of cooking and preparing old Euryalus thirty-three years ago. It is opium was explained and illustrated. Then needless to say the souvenir is dearly prized 31 Cormorant street was visited, and the stocks of rich silks and ornate gold embroid eries, as well as many rare pieces of Chinaware thin as paper and costly articles of Oriental bric a brac, elicited expressions of surprise and admiration. The rooms of the Chinese Repayolant Society ware the way of the word of the School of the Macdougall match the British (School of the Macdougall match the British (School of the Macdougall match the Macdougall matc ware thin as paper and costly articles of Oriental bric a brac, elicited expressions of Chinese Benevolent Society were the next stopping place on the tour, and here, before Mrs. Leather, 6-3, 56, 6-3. was born in New York State, and if he is the party passed on to an inspection of the Joss house above, the most exquisite tea was served with due formality, after the Chinese custom. Here too, advantage was taken of the occasion by the Chinese association to present to His Excellency the first address which he has received during his present informal stay in Victoria. The address, to which His Excellency responded

> To His Excellency the Right Hon. Sir John Campbell Hamilton Gordon, Karl of Haddo, Methlic, Tarves and Kellic; Viscount Gordon of Aberdeen; Baronet of Nova Scotia; P.C, L.L.D, etc.; Sheldrick and C. B. Innes, 6.0, 62. Governor General of Canada and Vice

Admiral of the same. "MAY IT PLEASE YOUR EXCELLENCY :-"We the members of the Chinese Benevolent Society of Victoria beg to extend to Your Excellencies a most cordial and re-Queen that we are proud to greet him in

this our adopted country.
"When we learned of your intention to visit our quarter we could only appreciate the good will and kindness which prompted it, and we are indeed proud of the privi-

happiness in the land we have chosen for reports from the several committees on meet our home; we have a high regard for the administration of its government, and we have learned to appreciate that law and justice allow us to partake of their privileges in common with other citizens. therefore, hail you as the true and good road race will be ridden off as at first infriend of the land of our adoption.

"We would again respectfully express un high anneadation of the priv have afforded us, and on behalf of our society we tender our most cordial welcome to Your Excellency and your gracious wife, Lady Aberdeen. "Your Excellency's humble and obedient

servants. YEN KEE. (Signed) WING KEE,

" Managers, Chinese Benevolent Society." "Managers, Chinese Benevolent Society."

The Mayor, who was acting as commander in chief of the exploring expedition, had personed as his coup de main an exhibition reserved as his coup de main an exhibition was postponed until the 31st. The Victoria been spending a few days in the city; four because it had only occupied temporary and the first bright of the first of the first bright of the first of the f Deasy had apparently been given a quiet also were the citizens of Port Angeles; passengers. The steamer's saloon term, however, she thought it better, in the hint, for at about the time the call was exhowever Mr. N. R. Smith, the chairman of list of passengers is as follows: exercise of the authority given her by the hint, for at about the time the call was ex-henced to come in even the horses seemed to wind. With the men of the department, laid out round the spacious harbor and the G. E. R. Clarke, W. Kleim, L. Spence, R. young children of the ninth division under which it had upon Miss Stevenson's health.

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they will see to it that the system is overhauled at once.

Rheumatism Cured in a Day South American Rheumatic Cure, for Rheumatism and Neuralgia, radically cures in 1 to 3 days. Its action upon the system is remarkable and mysterious, The first dose greatly benefits. Sold in Victoria by Dean & Cryder-

The death of ex-Governor Rice brings to mind the fact 'that five governor of Massa exclaimed Jimmy Burgle.

"What's the matter?" asked his fellow prisoner.

"De warden's locked hisself in and lost keys. He wants you an' me ter git 'im out."—Washington Star.

"Butter, Governor of Massachusetts were born in the year 1818—Rice, Gutter, Butter, Bu

THE WORLD OF SPORT.

British Columbia Prize Winners at Ottawa.

which opened on Saturday last is spoken of sible 50 The Nursery is open to members by all who had the pleasure of witnessing who have not won a prize of \$5 at any prethe interesting events contested as a three. was won last year with 23, while fold success—as to tennis and weather and seven fifteens drew prizes. To-day attendance. Numerous Victorians were there were three "possibles" and three an informal visit from His Excellency the Governor-General and his party, the latter on this occasion including the Countess.

The Hon. Mr. Justice match last year was won by a possible. It school board at 8 o'clock last evening to dison this occasion including the Countess, Drake, the Misses Drake. Miss Duns was the only one, and the seventeenth score Lord Haddo, Lady Marjorie, Hon. Dudley muir, Mr. R. Dunsmuir, the Misses of 30 drew the 89:h prize. To-day there the Pandora avenue Methodist church were last night entertained in a very handsome lady friends who are at present quests of Henry or Comba Miss Were three pressibles and 38 soores of 31 ed on September 18. Other members of the Were counted out, or, in other words, 127 committee present were Messrs. C. E. day celebration of 1895, was received from Beaumont Boggs, the general secretary.

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The balance of Mr. A. B. Erskine, Alfred street.

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The balance on hand is \$102. MRS HUMPHRY WARD'S new novel, upon Weldon of Harrow. Their escort for the Langley, Mr. A. G. Langley, and Dr. South. trip was headed by His Worship the Mayor, with Ald. McLellan and Chief of Police Sheppard; a detail of the latter's veterans made up the retinue. An hour or two was OPEN SINGLES.

the first and second prizes respectively being therefore, won by Mr. Combe and Mr. Morten,

LADIES' OPEN SINGLES.

VANCOUVER'S TOURNAMENT. VANCOUVER, Aug. 26 - (Special)-The couver lawn tennis club have resulted as follows :

Ladies' singles-Miss Homer beat Miss Gray 6-2, 6-3. Gentlemen's Handicap Singles-F. J.

Coulthard (owes 30) beat W. Allison (scratch), 6 3, 6.5. Mixed Doubles-Miss Turner and Mr. E. O. Malins (scratch) beat Miss A. Turner and Aberdeen, Viscount Formantine; Baron Mr. F. J. Coultbard (owe 15), 6.8, 64, 63 Gentlemen's Doubles—F. J. Coulthard and E. O. Malins (owe 15) beat Rev. A,

THE WHEEL.

A CHANGE OF DATES. Owing to the confliction of the original date with the J.B.A.A. regatta at home and spectful welcome to this city. Although we are the subjects of another empire, we would Club, the V. W.C. have, with the consent of be unworthy of our country and of her the racing board, changed the date of the British Columbia meet at the Oak Bay track from the 7th to the 14th of September. For the latter date, the full coterie of class B riders from Oregon and Washington have promised their presence, and the result will be such a programme of fast races as this province has never before witnessed. The "A" men are now getting into fine form and the contests for the championships promise to be very keen. To night there will be a meeting of the club to receive arrangements, and also to complete prepara tions for the cyclists' social at the Mount Baker hotel some evening next week. In view of the change of the championship meet We, date the final heat of the Harris handican

YACHTING.

tended-at Beacon Hill next Saturday.

by the "Daisy Bell." Straits; they had a good run across and arrived without any mishap about ten o'clock. Unfortunately the Sound clubs were not represented on account of a miswere not r of the working of the fire brigade. Chief yach: smen were naturally disappointed, as second-class and 42 Chinese steerage quarters in the South Park school. realize that there was something in the sailed at the time stated. The course was E P. Echert, J. L. Chalmer, Mr. and Mrs. James Bay building, and bring the very afraid they would break it and sent them back to quarters. But the alarm didn't come in—not just yet.

In the meanwhile His Worship the Mayor

In the meanwhile His Wo and Lady Aberdeen and the members of spinnaker halliards were carried away Rev. D. J. Huntingdon, Mrs. Crowthers, their party that Victoria had a fire brigade | shortly after the start, and this caused a Mr. and Mrs. de la Poer, Rev. and Mrs J. convince His Worship that the alarm system have to race over again on Sunday, once mittee representing Port Angeles are ex. ber of passengers and an average freight. The trip to Chinatown of the vice-regal pected to arrive here to-day, and will bring party was therefore a very good thing for the magnificent cup with them. It will be Victoria. Even if the civic authorities were presented to the Daisy Bell's representatives better for its defects to be discovered as they main over, to give them a rousing reception ship of the line now voyaging to this port.

at 3 p.m.; course, eight miles :

Finished at 4.46 5.10:20 THE RIFLE.

BRITISH COLUMBIA AT OTTAWA.

The entries are close on 400, and the shooting is superior, that of last year being far below in comparison. The weather is excellent, and the ammunition—that of 1893 all that could be desired. Three matches were shot to-day, these being the Nursery-5 shots at 500 yards, possible 25; Hamilton Powder Company—7 shots at 500 yards, possible 35; and Macdougall challenge cup The Cowichan lawn tennis tournament match-5 shots at 400 and 600 yards, posvious meeting of the D. R. A, and with 46, while sixteen 40's drew the last

> The highest Western man in the Nursery tendance. to-day was Pte S. Tait, of the 90th Battalion, Winnipeg, who with a score of 24 took the fourth prize, \$10. Of the British outline of a programme intended to be Columbians, the following names appear in the list:

counted out.

Only the above three of the British Columbia team were eligible for the Nursery, lake, which makes it impossible for him to the rest being old-timers. A British Col- train the children. He had heard some ob-Hamilton Powder Company match, Gunner Henry C. Chamberlin taking the twender organization if they are to be admitted free organization if they are to be admitted free organization of all schools, public and the Macdougall match the British Columbia

The first range-200 yards-of the Dominion of Canada match was fired this after-noon, and the 500 and 600 yards will be proceeded with in the morning. The British Columbians have started well, with three finals in the annual tournament of the Van- 32's, one 31, three 30's, one 29, and one 28.

HERE AND THERE.

GENERAL GOSSIP OF SPORTING EVENTS. For the information of a Haddington for one year only but for a number of years. He retained the championship until 1885,

him in Australia, The James Bay regatta on the 7th inst. promises to be the most interesting aquatic per cent. of the amout event of years. All the crews have now left to the chairman. started practice, and their daily spins are watched with interest by critical and ad as janitor of the Victoria West school, and miring friends.

the great Futurity stakes and side money to granted; a successor at \$22.50 a month to the total amount of \$53,750 yesterday. Crescendo ran second.

firemen for next Monday. SHIPS AND SHIPPING.

Departure of the "Empress of Jap. an "-The "Kingston" to Enjoy

an Earned Vacation.

Cargo of Incoming Oriental Liners-San Francisco Steamers Come and Go.

The absence of telegraph communication there. with Vancouver for a considerable part of

THE SAN FRANCISCO FLEET. The saloon passengers who left here for Charles Levinson, Miss Rosie Wise, Miss had any complaint, in fact she says she is was out of order in one section at any rate.

As a next best thing police constable No. 7 was accordingly sailed again on Sunday, in a Geo. E. H. John, Mrs. N. R. Hacketh and After Mr. M was dispatched to the box a block away, moderate wind, and the Daisy Bell again child, Miss E. Hacketh, Mrs. Goodacre, and an immediate response showed that it won, although had not the Frou Frou got into a calm streak the race no doubt would the force, Mrs. A. W. Waters, C. Gossett and Lewis had quite satisfied him; as stated be-25. The department made a record breaking run when they finally did get the call,
and their drill on arrival was a really pretty and again arrived back safely. The com-NORTHERN PACIFIC LINERS EN ROUTE.

Yesterday the Northern Pacific steamship obliged to blush for the failure of the alarm at the Driard hotel to night. The yacht Strathnevis, on her second trip to Victoria, system, they are glad to admit that it was club also intend, should these gentlemen resailed from Yokohama, making the second were, than when fire imperatively demanded the attention of the brigade. Forewarned, Wednesday night.

The Tacoma left Yokohama on the 20th inst., and will be due to arrive about the The time of Sunday's race is as follows; 3rd proximo. She carries as usual a full although the Volage and Paloma were not freight, divided as follows: 3,600 tons for racing, still their time was taken. Gun fire overland points, inclusive of 1,000 bales of silk; 1,200 tons for Portland and the Sound cities; 200 tons for Victoria, and 100 tons for San Francisco. She also brings 50 ther damage. The Lorne, which has been for San Francisco. She also brings 50 Chinese, principally for this city.

LAID UP FOR REPAIRS.

For a week or more the steamer City of

PUBLIC SCHOOL BOARD.

Conference With the Exhibition Committee About Arrangements for Children's Day.

Trustee Marchant Ventilates a Grievance, But Fails to Find Much Sympathy.

The honorary secretary of the exhibition cuss plans for Children's Day, to be observmen made 31 and over out of the 389 who Redfern, G. H. Brown and N. Shakespeare fired. The Macdougall was won last year Mr. Charles Hayward, chairman of the prizes. To-day, despite the fact that the board, presided, the other trustees present wind was tricky at the second stage, there being Messrs. Lovell, Glover, Marchant were two 49's, while seventeen 42's were and Lewis, and Mrs. Grant. The principals of the several public schools were also in at-

Secretary Renouf asked for a holiday for the public school children, and he read the carried out on the grounds under Instructor St. Clair's direction, should the children attend as proposed. The musical performance spoken of cannot be given, because Mr. J. G. Brown, who was to have trained the little ones, has taken a civic appointment at Elk train the children. He had heard some ob-

private, will be if they arrive as schools. Miss Cameron stated the objection of some of the teachers to having the children march out, on the ground that the distance is too great; and a discussion as to possible transportation arrangements followed. Mr. Shakespeare stated that the tramway being in the hands of receivers no concession in the way of reduced fares can be arranged for, even if sufficient cars could be provided. Several persons expressed great confidence in the ability of all but the very smallest children to walk the distance, and at 8 55, after a final protest by Miss Cameron, the matter was left in statu quo. Island correspondent it may be stated that and the regular business of the board com-Ned Hanlah was champion of the world not menced with the reading of the last minutes. H. E. Pearse, of room 45, 34 Victoria street, Toronto, wrote that a client of his when W. Beach wrested the honors from had information which would enable the board to recover a sum of money long due, and which he would state on promise of 50

per cent. of the amount. The matter was Henry Carral wrote resigning his position verbally asked that his resignation take David Gideon's Requital, Griffin up, won effect August 31. Accepted and request

be advertised for. The provincial lands and works depart-A new combination of lacrosse players, ment was thanked for the gift of twelve styling themselves the Clarence Club, are very anxious to arrange a game with the defer mounting until the board's finances

> The principals of the five graded schools were by resolution requested to consider and report upon the matter of officially pronouncing upon the teaching ability of pupil teachers, with a view to the issue of certificates by the board. It was decided to ask the education de-partment for a holiday in the schools on Wednesday, September 18, the proposed

children's day for the exhibition.

The matter of transportation arrangements for the children was referred to a special committee with power to act, on the understanding that the children of all the divisions down to and including the sixth

meet at the Central school and march from TRUSTEE MARCHANT complained that Miss The Port Angeles Race.

yesterday kept the tug Sadie in, waiting orders for the arrival of R.M.S. Empress of had been placed with that class in the old At six o'clock Fri. Japan from Vancouver, during the after James Bay school building, whereas while day evening the Volage, Frou Frou and noon. The steamship did not leave the Miss Franck taught the class it was in the Daisy Bell left here for the city across the Straits; they had a good run across and are according to arrangements it will be ing then in the James Bay building. He

her own personal supervision in the South

honorable," and would not withdraw it "though the heavens fall." TRUSTEE GLOVER, who had seconded the

ter might be discussed, said he could not consider the explanation fully satisfactory, for it seemed to him that an invidious discrimination had been made against Miss Carmichael. TRUSTEE LEWIS wanted to know whether a change would have been made if Miss

resolution, as he explained, so that the mat-

Carmichael had not been appointed to the ALBERNI'S GOLD FIELDS.

W. J. Sutton has just returned from the Alberni gold fields, having spent the past we months in an examination of the counties in an examination of the counties in an examination of the counties of China area in the wind and the islands of the Gulf and at hird failure was sufficient to the company of the committee decided and wife, Mrs. R. J. Horton, F. A. House and the Volage did; the committee decided and wife, Mrs. R. J. Horton, F. A. House and wife, Mrs. R. J. Horton, F. A. House and the Volage did; the committee decided and wife, Mrs. R. J. Horton, F. A. House and wife, Mrs. R. J. Horton, F. A. House and the Volage did; the committee decided that the Daisy Bell and Frou Frou would be islands of the Gulf and at hird failure was sufficient to Charles Levingon. Miss Rosis Wiss. Miss are complete that the Frou Frou would be selected and at hird failure was sufficient to Charles Levingon. Miss Rosis Wiss. Miss had any complaint, in fact she says she is

After Mr. Marchant had spoken at some Lewis had quite satisfied him; as stated be fore, he seconded the motion for purposes of discussion merely, and he asked to withdraw

his name as seconder. TRUSTEE MARCHANT held that that could not be allowed. TRUSTEE LOVELL then moved in amendment, seconded by Mrs. Grant, that Miss Cameron's action be sustained. Carried.

The board adjourned at 11 o'clock.

MARINE NOTES. There was a slight accident at the outer wharf on the Puebla's arrival Sunday night. Before her momentum was checked her bow crashed into the Lorne's stern, smashing in in port for several days, was berthed immediately forward of where the Puebla intend-

ed to dock. Capt. Locke, of the lost Brenda, wishes it Kingston will be off her regular run while stated that it was not he who conducted the she is being overhauled at Tacoms. She