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Messrs. Beattie Cuba.

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'S HEALER. of Capt. Charles Muger, Got relief in 30 Minutes the most wonderful cures She Doves' Years' Cure for the Heart. Great pleasure to com- Cure for the Heart. I with heart trouble, ac- zines, palpitation and in. For over four on by best physicians, and own to man. I deter- Agnew's Cure for the ose gave me great re- 7 minutes. I used two day I have been com- iscocks and Hall & Co.

THOMAS PRICES OFF FORMER RATES. ODDART, R AND JEWELLER. Victoria, B.C. need Waltham es. \$ 7.00 ed Waltham \$10.00 ed P. S. Bart- \$12.50 ed P. S. Bart- \$15.00 ed Appleton, \$16.50 ed Crescent, \$27.50 Cased Elgin \$22.00 eds. Three last named are ad- position, and warranted

COLUMBIANS. will see that prices come-down of 25 to of the above goods ap- roval to would-be

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE

Municipal Matters at the Terminal City-Fraser River Full of Ice.

Rossland's Banking Facilities-More About the Progress of the Gold Fields.

(Special to the Colonist.)

VANCOUVER. VANCOUVER, Dec. 1.—The government steamer Quadra arrived yesterday with Lady Aberdeen on board. Lady Aberdeen left for the East in the afternoon. The projectors of the proposed smelter have wired to Vancouver from England that the necessary money to build the smelter has been raised, and that the smelter would be built. It is understood that the company who are to build the smelter have not completed arrangements with the C.P.R. as to freight rates, etc., but that this would be done at a very early date.

Mr. C. S. Bailey died at Kamloops on Sunday. Mr. Bailey started business in Vancouver shortly before the fire, but left Vancouver to reside at Kamloops for the benefit of his health some eighteen months ago, being married on the eve of his departure. The late Mr. Bailey leaves a wife and infant.

At the city council meeting the by-law to raise \$80,000 for water works extension was carried. It is possible that in the near future the municipal league will take up the matter of having the corporation of Vancouver managed by commissioners appointed by the Lieut.-Governor and the vote of the people.

Two detectives have been appointed from the ranks of the city police. The appointments are not popular with the citizens. Many are saying that policemen, who have not shown any aptitude for detecting criminals, should not be made detectives. The police committee on the other hand have prepared an address to be presented to Hon. Messrs. Blair and Davies on their arrival in Vancouver.

A letter has been received by the council from several ratepayers of the city calling attention to the fact that Mayor Collins had made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors, and also that Alderman Shaw had absented himself from the meetings of the council, and claiming that under the provisions of clause 15 of the consolidated acts of the incorporation of the city both these gentlemen were disqualified from retaining their seats. No action was taken in the matter, the letter being laid over for the acting mayor to obtain the opinion of the city solicitor before the next meeting of the council.

The Katie Putnam company not being able to reach the city in time to give the advertised performance in the opera last evening, they will appear to-night. St. Andrew's Day was celebrated in true Scottish fashion last evening, a ball and supper being given in the Hotel Vancouver.

One of the reasons alleged by a prominent storekeeper of Cordova street for the failure of the police to capture the burglars and footpads who have been making night hideouts in the city is the fact that the members of the force carry no lanterns, and if they are in search of a supposed suspicious character are compelled to first obtain a light from a match and candle, the cause with a tallow candle. This statement comes as a surprise to many and goes far to remove from the shoulders of the patrolmen the onus of the immunity from capture enjoyed by the crooks. But upon whose shoulders does that onus now rest? is the question which is being asked on every hand.

The streets of the city, in consequence of the thaw, are in a dangerous and in some places impassable condition. There appears to be no authority vested in the city to remedy this state of things, and the board of works are being urged to introduce a by-law to attain the desired end.

Li Hung Chang has sent a formal letter of thanks to the C. P. R. authorities for the courtesies extended to himself and staff during his passage over the railroad and on the Empress.

The members of the Burrard Literary Club extended a cordial invitation to the aldermen of the city to attend their debate this evening on the following resolution: "Resolved, that the prosperity of Vancouver is injured by too stringent moral laws; that concert halls, etc., should be licensed and liberal Sunday laws enacted." The same invitation was given to members of the new Municipal League.

A banquet to Messrs. Davies and Blair is proposed. The Board of Trade meet to-night to consider the steps to be taken for the reception of the visiting ministers, and it is probable a public meeting will also be held. Hon. Mr. Davies is regarded here as the most eloquent member of the government and addresses are expected from him and his colleague.

early severe frost caused for several days an almost complete suspension of navigation on the lower Fraser, which exemplified the urgent need of railway bridge and line buildings to connect Vancouver and Westminster by quick transport routes with Fraser river points. Mean while the ice in the upper Fraser has frozen solid at Soda creek, thus suspending for the season, much earlier than usual, navigation in this part of British Columbia's great river. The floods, which have done much damage to railroad and other bridges about Bonner's Ferry, have resulted from a sudden Chinook thaw following very severe frost. The upper Kootenay rose 25 feet in a few hours.

Dr. R. J. Wood, who has been in Vancouver for some two years, died yesterday at St. Luke's Home from pneumonia. He had only been ill for a short time. The deceased gentleman leaves a widow and one daughter, and much sympathy is felt by all who are acquainted with them in their sad bereavement.

Hon. Messrs. Davies and Blair have wired from North Dakota to Mr. Aulay Morrison, stating that they hoped to make Victoria to-day. They will return over the C. P. R., and would doubtless have travelled by that route on their outward journey but for the blockade. At a meeting of the board of trade last evening it was decided to present the ministers with an address, and after the reception at which the address is presented, a banquet will be given. Ministers were appointed to make the arrangements.

The stock market is unusually quiet in Vancouver just now after a period of unusual activity. The two most popular stocks—Channe and Golden Cache—are still the most popular stocks of the market. Word has been received that splendid progress is being made on the Athabasca in Nelson district and prospects are bright. An addition to the tunnel is being made of 150 feet, with excellent results. The stock is held this week much firmer than last. The stock of the Bondholder is also held very firm, while applications for stock in the Two Friends, which is looked upon with greater favor by mining men and experts than most of the stocks sold here, have almost exhausted the first issue of stock.

The shareholders in the outlying districts of the city complain of want of water, attributable, it is claimed, to the waste of that commodity occasioned by those who leave the faucets constantly running, and also to the quantity of water which has been used for the purpose of flooding vacant lots to make skating rinks.

Mr. Justice McCall held Supreme court chambers here yesterday, but no cases of public interest were dealt with. The ever popular Katie Putnam and her exceptionally good company of players were greeted by a crowded house in Vancouver last night.

Half the seats in the opera house have been taken for the Albany concert. Mr. T. Atkins, who is holding the plan of the seats, says that every seat will be sold by Saturday evening next.

NANAIMO, Dec. 1.—At a meeting of Tynesiders held in the city hall on Saturday night it was decided that they will hold their anniversary on the 23rd of December, and that the celebration take the form of a concert, to be followed by a supper and dance.

Visitors to the Long lake, Wellington, were interested in a rather novel construction. In the ice was planted a short upright pile, and on the top of this was fastened a movable cross-piece about thirty feet long, thirty feet of which extended out from the post and was fastened at the end to a kind of rough wooden saddle mounted on one runner. A person sitting on this saddle was whirled around in a circle about sixty feet in diameter by the opposite end, which was apt to put the rider, unless he had a steady head, in a rather eccentric position. This novel merry-ground was built by Russian Finns living in Wellington.

NANAIMO, Dec. 2.—In this district during the month of November 67 mineral claims were recorded. Of these 48 were on Texada island, 7 in Dunsunmyr district, 4 in Cameron district, 3 each on Lasqueti and Thurlow islands, and one each on Valdez and Hardwick islands. In October the number of records was 63. The customs returns show duty collected, \$3,213.70; other revenues, \$187.40. Total, \$3,401.10. Imports dutiable, \$11,313; imports free, \$11,004. Total, \$22,317.00. The total revenue for the month of November in last year was \$4,788.88, a considerable decrease for this year, but the total imports show an increase of \$3,161. The revenue for last month was \$4,866.69.

The Inland Revenue statement gives the following receipts: Spirits, \$112,689; malt, \$446,770; cigars, \$140,110; total, \$699,569. This shows an increase of over \$300 over October, but is considerably less than the returns for September.

During November there were 7 deaths, 7 marriages, and 9 births in this district. This is a considerable decrease over October, in which there were 24 births, 5 marriages and 13 deaths.

F. T. Child, of the Duke of York claim, Alberni, says that there is a good deal of good development work being done quietly on a large number of claims in the district. Very little is heard of these properties at present, but in the spring Alberni will have taken a long step ahead of what it was at the beginning of the winter, and some very gratifying results will have been obtained from the winter's work.

WESTMINSTER, Nov. 30.—The Fraser was partially frozen over at several points yesterday morning between tides. The Liberals are preparing for a public reception of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

Lordship reserved his decision. In the second case, an application to add W. Farrell as a defendant in the case of Hoybridge vs. the Consolidated Railway Company was struck out.

The Buchanan company of players have a dispute with the proprietress of the opera house and a law suit will be the result. The manager of the company was arrested because of his refusal to pay the amount agreed upon for the use of the opera house on Saturday night, but was released on giving security, and he has placed his case in the hands of Mr. Aulay Morrison.

WESTMINSTER, Dec. 2.—The Liberal Association met to consider the reception of the two Dominion Cabinet Ministers Hon. Messrs. Davies and Blair; but nothing definite has yet been decided upon.

Dr. R. E. Walker has been chosen president of the Royal City Art and Scientific Association, Mrs. Boddington, vice-president, Mr. A. E. White, secretary.

In Westminster during the month of November there were registered, 8 marriages, and 12 deaths registered.

A meeting will be held at Surrey Center on Friday afternoon, when the promoters of the V. & E. Railroad will present the projected railroad with the residents of the district.

Twenty-seven mineral claims were recorded last week on the old Cariboo road, Howe Sound, Whonnock, Harrison Lake and Jervis Inlet.

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Mr. Allard last week shot a large male panther near Stamp's hill, Quamichan lake. His Honor Judge Harrison held a court of revision under the assessment act on Saturday last. The list of appeals was small, and the court adjourned to the Saturday following on account of the absence of bidders.

KAMLOOPS. (From the Kamloops Sentinel.) Hon. Col. Baker addressed a public meeting at Golden last Friday week. In the course of his remarks the Colonel stated that he had been authorized to announce to the people of Donald, as he called the town, that the C.P.R. shops at Donald would be closed to the public, in that case the government offices, court house and gaol would be moved to Golden.

Two enterprising citizens intend issuing in the Spring a pamphlet descriptive of the mining and other industrial interests of Kamloops and vicinity. The object is to get out such a work as will attract investors, and being judiciously circulated during the winter time will be of great benefit to the people here when the spring opens. It is to be sent to places where capitalists resort, all over Canada, the United States, Great Britain and Australia.

ROSSLAND, Dec. 1.—It is rumored that Col. Wharton's five-sixths interest in the Cliff mine has been sold to a South African operator who has been here several weeks. Neither Col. Wharton nor the reported purchaser are here so the report cannot be corroborated.

The past week has seen Canadian banks doing some record breaking work in the Slokan. A branch was opened by the Bank of British Columbia in Sandon, and on Friday they opened another branch in Kaslo. Yesterday the Bank of British North America opened in Sandon. This makes seven branches of the bank in West Kootenay. All the new branches are doing a rushing business.

The strike made in the Ottawa, in the south belt, yesterday, consists of four feet of ore, averaging five per cent. copper. The gold values not yet having been ascertained—in the 16-foot shaft on the Pilgrim, adjoining the War Eagle on the north. The work has disclosed eighteen inches of pay ore in the four-foot ledge. Assays made from four feet and a half of ore in the Sunset shaft went over \$60 in gold.

electric lighting plant, now in operation in Rossland. The machinery installed to take the place of the old one consists of a Corliss engine, two boilers and three dynamos, which cost about \$10,000. It is capable of supplying 2,500 incandescent lights. The plant has over 1,000 lights on the circuit, in addition to several arc lights.

The O.K. stamp mill has now been running steadily 10 days, and a very good average can be had of how the ore is averaging. Ten stamps are now in operation and the amount treated is 25 tons every 24 hours, or two and a half tons every stamp. The ore averages \$16.

Something over a year ago what is known as the Turner interest got control of the Le Roi stock, and placed under a three year, iron-clad pooling agreement, 256,000 shares out of the 500,000 shares of the company's capital.

The minority interest was held by Col. Peyton, his relatives and friends, the Colton being himself the largest individual stockholder in the company. A bitter feud at that time existed between the Turner interest and the Peyton interest. Peyton being in the minority, was out in the cold, and the Turner people made it very cold for the Colton. This condition of affairs continued until a short time since, when a change took place, the full details of which have not yet leaked out.

Col. Peyton was thrown out of the board of directors, and Col. Peyton put in his place. The Peyton-Turner feud has come together and the company is now having the advantage of Col. Peyton's experience and mining ability.

One of the objects of the present visit of Col. I. N. Peyton, of the Le Roi company, is to arrange for the construction of a wooden chute from the Le Roi tunnel down to the track of the Columbia & Red Mountain railroad, so that ore can be loaded at the smallest expense on the cars of that line for shipment to outside smelters.

C. S. Drummond representing a new process for the reduction of sulphide ores arrived from London on Friday evening and started back to London Monday morning. The object of his hurried visit to the camp was to secure certain information for a company organized in London for the purpose of introducing this new process of treating ores into British Columbia and especially into the Trail Creek district. Mr. Drummond expects to return to Rossland about the first of February. The furnace to be used is the invention of Dr. Flavel, well known the world over to mining men. The furnace, or rather smelter, has been in use for some time in certain parts of South Africa, at Swansea, England, and for the past three months at Ward, Colorado.

Very encouraging reports come from the Imperial Gold Mining Company's properties on Lookout mountain; a greater depth has been reached. Three or four ledges run through these two creeks. One of these has been opened at intervals for several hundred feet. The first opening was on the Imperial Fraction, and ore was found here ran \$6 in gold. Two openings were made by Joyce in a distance extending about half way across the claim. The ore taken from the first opening ran \$32 in gold. Another assay made from ore taken from a greater depth showed \$45 in gold. These assays clearly indicate the presence of gold in this ore in paying quantities.

Active work is to begin on the Heather Belle group on Sullivan creek immediately. The final payment was made on the property last Saturday, the total paid altogether being \$20,000. Recent assays of Heather Belle ore, although the shaft is only 12 feet deep, made from \$50 to \$60 in gold.

WELLINGTON COLLIERY COMPANY. Date. Name and Destination. Tons. 1—Ship Grenada, San Francisco, 3,070 2—Ss. City of Topeka, Sitka, 2,218 3—Ss. Excelsior, Karluk, 280 4—Ss. Cheney, Honolulu, 2,650 5—Ship C. Foster, San Francisco, 1,350 6—Ss. Costa Rica, San Francisco, 2,540 7—Ss. Wellington, San Francisco, 2,500 8—Ss. Mary Island, 600 9—Ss. City of Topeka, Victoria, 227 10—Ss. Astoria, Port Angeles, 27 11—Ss. City of Everett, Port Townsend, 3,670 12—Ss. Wilaneta, Juneau, 2,290 13—Ss. Costa Rica, San Francisco, 2,450 14—Ss. Al-Ki, Port Townsend, 875 15—Ss. Wellington, San Francisco, 2,600 16—Ss. Gathers, Port Townsend, 2,200 17—Ss. Tye, Port Townsend, 276 18—Ss. Tye, Port Townsend, 276 Total, November, 28,068 Total, October, 17,632 Increase, November, 10,516

NEW VANCOUVER COAL CO. 1—Str. Holvake, Port Townsend, 28 2—Bark Carrolton, San Francisco, 2,218 3—Str. Wanderer, Port Townsend, 28 4—Str. Signal, Juneau, Alaska, 603 5—Str. Peter John, San Diego, 4,716 6—Str. Edith, Tacoma, 63 7—Str. Willapa, Port Townsend, 60 8—Str. Astor, Acapulco, 4,003 9—Str. Willapa, Juneau, 63 10—Str. Edith, Tacoma, 63 11—Str. Wanderer, Port Townsend, 28 12—Str. Sea Lion, Port Townsend, 32 13—Str. Willapa, Port Townsend, 60 14—Str. Willapa, Port Townsend, 60 15—Str. Peter Jensen, Ft. Los Angeles, 4,609 16—Str. Willapa, Juneau, 63 17—Bark Big Bonanza, San Francisco, 2,222 18—Str. Pioneer, Port Townsend, 33 19—Str. Tacoma, Port Townsend, 27 Total, November, 19,032 Total, October, 17,310 Increase, November, 1,722

A NEW MAN. C. G. Chapin, Jeweler, of Burke's Falls, Says He is a New Man Since Using the Great South American Nervine. His Testimony is Endorsed by Thousands of Others. "For years I have been greatly troubled with nervous debility and affection of the kidneys. I believe I tried every proprietary medicine under the sun, but none seemed to give me any relief until I used the Great South American Nervine. To my surprise the first bottle gave me great relief. I have preserved it in taking it, and can say that I have not felt so well for years. I do heartily recommend this great cure." Sold by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall & Co.

OCEAN MAIL SERVICE.

Huddart's Tender for the Atlantic Contract—To Promote Canadian Trade.

Chemainus to Be Made a Warehousing Port—Resignation of Hospital Doctors.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Dec. 2.—Mr. Hogan, M. P. for mid Tipperary, is here to urge the acceptance of Mr. Huddart's tender for the fast Atlantic service.

During the past summer an Aberdeen (Scotland) steam trawler chartered by a Nova Scotia firm was engaged in Canadian waters, but was not very successful.

At the department of trade and commerce a large number of replies have been received from boards of trade to a departmental communication asking for suggestions by which trade could be promoted. When these suggestions have been collected they will make a somewhat long list.

Owing to friction with the board of directors, the entire medical staff of the Protestant general hospital has resigned. Chemainus is to be made a warehousing port.

FLOODS IN WISCONSIN.

CHIPPewa FALLS, Wis., Dec. 1.—Reports indicate that the Chippewa river is filled with gorges at that point. It is feared to-day that the course of the river will be changed, throwing it directly on the town and completely inundating it. In that event heavy loss of property and life cannot be avoided.

DUBUQUE, Wis., Dec. 1.—The ice gorge which began at West Newton on the Mississippi and gradually extended up the Chippewa on Friday, has reached Round Hill, three miles below this city. The nearness of the gorge has forced water at this point higher than at any time during the flood. Although the water is slightly falling, eighteen miles below Round Hill there is a field of packed ice and the bottom land over which the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway runs, is completely submerged. At Round Hill the river is flanked by bluff which make the gorge dangerous to the city, though the wide bottoms on the west side, making the river over a mile wide at this point, cause the waters to rise slowly. As far as known no lives have been lost; but those who live on the Chippewa bottoms have been rescued with difficulty. Several families on the Buffalo county side were driven from their homes on Sunday morning by the forming of a gorge at Plum island.

THE TARIFF COMMISSION.

HAMILTON, Dec. 1.—(Special)—The tariff commission opened its investigation here to-day. The fruit-growers wanted the ad valorem duty on plums and pears changed to a specific duty of one cent per pound and duty of two cents per pound on dried peaches. Representative nurserymen, clothiers, soap manufacturers and glass manufacturers requested that the tariff remain unchanged in regard to articles which they produced. Cotton manufacturers asked a reduction of the duty on raw material which they have to import. The spice manufacturers asked for at least a twelve and a half per cent. ad valorem duty and two cents per pound specific duty on spices and coffee.

HAMILTON, Dec. 2.—At this morning's session of the tariff commission Mr. Kay, representative of the electric light company, asked that the 25 per cent. duty on copper wire be removed, making it free for electrical purposes. A department of shareholders in the Hamilton Smelting Works asked that the duty on iron be continued. A representative of the Rolling Mills Company requested a reduction in the duties on raw material and coal, and that finished products be dealt with by specific instead of an ad valorem duty. It was arranged that all the rolling mills in Canada shall have an interview with the commission at Ottawa later on. Representatives of the canning interest asked that the duty on evaporated fruit from the United States be changed from 25 per cent. ad valorem to a specific duty of 2 1/2 cents per pound.

NEWS OF THE SOUTH SEAS.

A trial shipment of 5,000 sleepers of Tasmanian timber is being taken by the South African government. Western Australia expects an immediate revival of mining activity, the one thing needed—water—having at last been secured. At the Perth Central railway the artesian bore is now yielding 50,000 gallons daily.

In the Victorian legislative assembly the house in committee agreed by 40 to 21 votes recently to the clause in the constitution amendment bill conferring the franchise upon women. It is understood that the principal international and coastal steamship companies of the Australian continent have decided to increase the wages of their crews—seamen, firemen, and trimmers—by £1 per month from the 1st of November.

A mysterious case is reported from Wilcannia, N.S.W., the dead body of a man having been found in a hollow tree on the banks of the Darling about a mile below Menindie. Papers bearing the name of Sidney Weston were found on the body. The police regard the surroundings in the case as very suspicious. A bottle has been picked up near Cape Kidnapper, N.Z., containing an undated message to the effect that the ship Mohawk had sprung a leak, and that the crew had taken to the boats. It is stated that a vessel named the Mohawk was lost with all hands sixteen years ago on the voyage from Quebec to Troon.

DOMINION MINISTERS.

SEATTLE, Dec. 2.—(Special)—Hon. Messrs. Davies and Blair are on the delayed Great Northern train. They will reach here during the night and the Quadra will sail early in the morning for Victoria.

BIRTHS.

ROBERTSON—On the 23rd inst., at 263 Fort Street, the wife of Arthur Robertson, of a son, Scott—On the 15th November, the wife of Wm. E. Scott, Ganges Harbor, of a son (still born).

MARRIED.

CLAYTON-GOLDER—At St. Barnabas, by Rev. Canon H. Williams, William H. Clayton, of London, England, to Jane Golder, of Folkstone, Kent, England.

DIED.

COURTNEY—In this city, on the 25th inst., Harrison Courtney, a native of New York, aged 48 years. ROBINSON—At Bloemfontein, South Africa, on October 4th, the Rev. W. A. Robinson, father of Mrs. C. E. Redfern, of this city. ROSS-BLANCHE Henriette, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert G. Ross, aged 32 weeks. EVANS—At the residence of her son-in-law, H. Maynard, 76 Pembroke street, on the 28th inst., Sarah Evans, a native of London, England, aged 53 years. BATE—On the 28th inst., John, infant son of Joseph and Kate Bate, aged 3 months. RICHARDS—In this city, on November 28th, 1896, after a lingering illness, Francis Gilbert Richards, a native of Cornwall, England, aged 75 years. ASH—In this city, on November 28th, 1896, after a lingering illness, Mary Ash, beloved wife of Thomas Ash, Foul Bay road and Oak Bay avenue, a native of County Donegal, Ireland, aged 38 years. McDONALD—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on the 29th inst., Patrick McDonald, a native of Ireland, aged 81 years. MOORE—December 1st, at No. 7 Cameron street, John Moore, aged 45 years, a native of Stromness, Orkney Islands, Scotland. JENSEN—At the Rosemary Hotel, Court alley, on December 1st, Victor Jensen, a native of Norway, aged 45 years. JONES—At her residence, 251 Johnson street, on the 28th inst., Isabella McNabb, widow of the late Charles Jones, in her 94th year, a native of Drummond, County of Argyll, Ireland. PROMET—In San Jose, November 19th, 1896, Gerard Promet, a native of Bordeaux, France, aged 74 years.

scrofula

Any doctor will tell you that Professor Hare, of Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, is one of the highest authorities in the world on the action of drugs. In his last work, speaking of the treatment of scrofula, he says: "It is hardly necessary to state that cod-liver oil is the best remedy of all. The oil should be given in emulsion so prepared as to be palatable."

He also says that the hypophosphites should be combined with the oil. Scott's Emulsion of cod-liver oil, with hypophosphites, is precisely such a preparation.

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NOTICE.

Assessment Act.

Notice is hereby given that the Court of Revision and Appeal will sit as follows:— For the Electoral Districts of Victoria City and Cassiar:—At 11 o'clock a.m., on the 29th day of December, 1896, in the City Hotel, Sidney, on Monday the 29th day of December, 1896, at 11 o'clock a.m. For the Electoral District of South Victoria:—At the Royal Oak on Saturday, the 19th day of December, 1896, at 11:30 o'clock a.m., and at 2:30 p.m., on Saturday, the 20th day of December, 1896, at 12 o'clock noon. For that portion of North Victoria Electoral District known as North Saanich:—On Saturday, the 12th day of December, 1896, at the Sidney Hotel, Sidney, at 11 o'clock a.m. For the Electoral District of Esquimalt:—On Friday, the 18th day of December, 1896, at Henry Price's, Parkers, Esquimalt, at 11 o'clock a.m. For that portion of the Electoral Districts of Comox and Cassiar known as the Coast, Rupert, Sayward and Quatsino Land Districts:—At 46 Langley street, Victoria, on Monday the 21st day of December, 1896, at 11 o'clock a.m. For that portion of the Cowichan Electoral District known as Barclay Langley and Quat Land Districts:—At Langley street, Victoria, on Monday the 22nd day of December, 1896, at 11 o'clock a.m. Dated at Victoria, this 24th day of November, 1896. S. PERRY MILLS, Judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal, del. dwd&w