

growing paler still, and his eyes hanging out in surprise. "Mrs. Bowser, no wife should ever talk back to her husband!" "And no husband should make a crank

button off his vest, and of course that was
Mrs. Bowser's fault. His shirt bunched
up around the neck, and some one must
be held responsible. In jumping off the
car he broke a suspender, but would that
suspender have given way in that manner
if Mrs. Bowser had been attending to her
domestic duties?

Mr. Bowser began on the dinner itself,
intending to gradually lead up to the
other things. The beef was overdone,
the potatoes not properly mashed, and he
found fault with the butter and cocos and
everything else. He expected to hear
Mrs. Bowser make excuses and try to
soothe him, but she had nothing to say.
Even when he declared that he would go
out and discharge the cook if she ddint',
she simply looked at him in a queer sort
of way instead of answering:

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were going down to Montgomery, and
pretty soon an old darky made a move I
she adache all the afternoon, and I'm going
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headache all the afternoon, and I'm going
to soothe him, but she had nothing to say.

She rose up and salled away and disappeared on the stairs. Mr. Bowser place whether he had
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"Stand back, sah—stand back fur I' queried the
od man.

"Kase yo'r train hain't dun ready to
to be sponsible. Nob silence was interrupted only when Mr. Bowser repeated his whispered exclama-

tion;
"By George! but I can't believe it—
can't possibly believe it!"

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Mr. QUAD'S HUNOR.

It will be none of your business how I spend it."

Mr. Bowser Asserts Herself and Completely Subdues her Grumbing Husband.

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"Gem'len. I should like to ax yo' a few queshuns, please."

Being told to go ahead, he came up the steps, bowed and scraped, and observed:

"I lost my ole woman doorin de wah, and she was buried on de gravel ridge ober yere bout two miles. I dun went.

This decisive and revolutionary action.

THE REVOLT IN VENEZUELA.

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BY JOHE BORNN.

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Venezuela, South America's northernics to the revolution to-day is General Jocquin Orespo. He was also in the Sanata when the conflict was precipitated, but was defined from the conflict was precipitated. The following from the conflict was precipitated from the conflict was precipitated from the conflict was precipitated. The following from the conflict was precipitated from the following from

The vanquished President in he de captured and butchered by his emaged countrymen, seeks asfety in flight or one of that ex-Dictator's most bitter newnies.

It is the same old story with Venezuela as regards to the unfortunate condition in which she finds herself to-day. Here Constitution states unequivocally that the President is not eligible for re-election except after one term or more shall have intervened between his incumbency of the Chief Magistracy of the nation and his candidacy for another term. Dr. Raimundo Andugaz Palacio, the president came to the conclusion early in his administration that two years would not be sufficient for him in his exalted station. He, therefore, set to work to make the sought to have the Constitution and the sought to have the Constitution and the sought to have the Constitution and the conclusion was also been conclusived in the president same of two.

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PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

P. Huntington, of the Southern Pacific,
Addresses the Senate in Opposition
to Chinese Exclusion.

THE GEARY BILL

Hon. Mr. Beaven. This bill was read a Ann. Mr. Beaven. This bill was read a second time and committed, with Mr. Mc. Kenzie in the chair. The committee rose, reporting the bill complete with amendments, and the bill received its final reading, amid cheers from both sides of the

Hon. Mr. Braven wished it distinctly HON. MR. BEAVEN wished it distinctly placed upon record that he was not in any way responsible for the amendment introduced by Mr. Grant.

The House rose at 5.45.

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On business being once more taken up, and the order for report on the Victoria city Bill called,

Hon. Mr. Beaven urged the House to leave out clause 14, and moved in that direction. He said that the Council would almost prefer to have the bill withdrawn in entirety than to have it passed containing this section.

Hon. Mr. Davie explained that the object of this clause was to give the Esquimalt Water company power to distribute water at all times, at a charge not more than that made by the city. There was something wanting, no doubt, in the section; something to bind the company to furnish hydrants at a fair price and sufficient water in cases of fire, free of any charge. Unless such a provision was incorporated in the bill; he felt bound to support the hon. leader of the opposition.

Mr. Grant did not consider the proposition a fair and equitable one, and could not countenance an injustice to company or individual.

Dr. Milne supported the stand taken by the hon. leader of the Opposition.

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Mr. HUNTER thought the bill as it stood, with the clause, would give entire satisfaction to all.

MR. SPEAKER rang in the members, and was about to take the voice of the House. when
Hon. Mr. Davie moved to insert a clause

making it compulsary on the company to supply fire hydrants.

The amendment carried.

Having adopted the report, the House passed the third reading of the bill.

C. W. AND C. N. BAILWAY.

On the report of the C. W. and C. N. Railway aid bill, Hon. Mr. Braven introduced his anti-Chinese clauses, which he asked the House to incorporate in the bill.

The clauses were lost on a division of 17

The bill was read finally. BY MESSAGE.

Hon. Mr. Davie presented messages from Hon. Mr. Davie presented messages from the Lieut.-Governor, trensmitting a bill to grant certain lands to the City of Victoria, and returning for amendment the B. C. Railway Act, the Companies Act, the Coal Mines Act, the Act incorporating the Nelson Electric Light Co., the Juror's Act Amendment Act, and the Act incorporating the Consumers' Water Works Co'y.

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The bill transmitted by message, having for its object the granting to Victoria city of the lands commonly known as the James Bay flats, was reported to the house by Committee of the Whole, introduced, passed through firstandsecond readings, committed, reported, read a third time and passed.

COMPANIES ACT.

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Hon. Mr. Davie moved for the discharge ef the order for the third reading of the bill to amend the Companies Act. This was done, the bill was amended as suggested in His Honor's message, and the bill passed its final reading.

The same course was pursued in connection with the Consumers' Water Works Bill, the Railway Aid Act Amendment Bill, the Jurors Act Amendment Bill, the Coal Mines Act, and the Nelson Electric Light Co. Bill.

VICTORIA AND SYDNEY RAILWAY.

The report on this bill was adopted and

shall be made direct to the Board of Iticensing Commissioners not less than thirty days before the sitting of said Board, through the Clerk of the said Board, and the Board of Licensing Commissioners in some newspaper circulating in the municipality where such application is made for a space of at least thirty days before the sitting of said Board, and the Board of Licensing Commissioners of the term of one year, or to renew the same upon the expiration thereof, if, in the opinion of a majority of the Board then present, such grant or renewal is in the public interest."

Hon. Mr. Braven objected to the mutication of the Municipal Bill, in the manner proposed, after the time and trouble he had taken in going through and perfecting the measure. If the section was struck out as proposed, many other clauses would be most disadvantageously effected.

Dr. MILINE pronounced the amendment altogether unnecessary, and opposed its passage by the House.

Mr. Brown did not think there was any necessity for smoothing the way by which hotel licenses are acquired. He looked approached the licenses are acquired. He looked approached the measure of the undesirable liquor traffic.

Mr. Hunter, Mr. Booth, and Mr. Kitchen disagreed with the amendment, which they considered both unnecessary and unwise.

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IN HONOR ( Annual Banquet of

gave their annual di Hotel, last evening propriretress, furnis and ample justice we "Sixty bold Britons, v Right bravely face wood." Mr. George Fair

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a letter of regret
present from T. J.
Columbia Benevoles chairman then pr After congratulating rounding the table, on their presence a celebrate the memor seems to have been loppressed, he referred terms to the lady w graced the thron oride in a ruler wh