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ich the water dep, delaying the of its business t. "These are ence to the impossible for residences, A leading across would like to over the street

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Bishop's state

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d incredulously der an engine the country, Mr. He was here to

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ES TO GROW

uring July overnment from 1008. For fiscal year th ,426, as against chief source of efly under the erease is kep will exceed that cou to \$14,000.000.

BABBAGE GOES TO HIGH COURT

SENT UP FOR TRIAL FOR STEALING MAIL

The box contained a letter from J. Anderson addressed to "My dear Emil" and a watch charm. The packet covering was addressed to Emil of the thirty-one projects now maintained by the government covering was addressed to Emil only a small number have been com-Ewart, Rossland, B. C. (jeweler). He nuttered something about it being a put up job when I grabbed both of additional projects under govern-Shortly after Babbage made a dash or liberty. He was brought back by two employees of the office."

J. H. Lowry, night register clerk in the postoffice, said he saw Babbage and had given it to a messenger to

of the letters had been tampered with.

An arrangement was made between WILL SCATTER WOMAN'S the parties and the court that the contents of the letters in court should be enclosed in other envelopes and mailed and the original covers be retained as

exhibits in the case. to finding 125 letters in a drawer at the house of accused. Accused had told Detective O'Leary that anything that should not be at his house would found in a certain drawer, where he recovered the letters.

HOP PROSPECTS. Pacific Coast Growers Expect Increased Prices Owing to Poor

Crops Abroad.

Portland, Ore., Aug. 6.-Hop gro foreign hop crop has not improved be-to her, Mrs. Peyton at every opportun-showed signs of development that cause of continued bad weather. Dis-ity crossed Lake Michigan on excur-few years ago were unthought of. continental markets the crops are poor owing to cold weather.

SUSPENDED FOR SEASON.

Montreal, Aug. 6. - Frederick (Mickey) Ions, the Tecumseh lacrosse player who kicked Kalls, a member of the Toronto team on the face in the ecent match for the city championship at Toronto, was suspended for the the colored champion, which the Tubalance of the season at a meeting of the colored cnampion, which the Tuvict guard in the provincial jail at merchants who had supported the National Lacrosse Union held here the Nat

WORK BEING RUSHED

About 1.750 Workmen Are test. Now Employed at Bremerton Navy Yard.

Navy Yard, Puset Sound. Aug. 6.—
In an effort to complete work on the name from the complete work on the complete work on the name from the complete work on the complete work on the form the standary of the complete work on the name from the standary of the complete work on the complete work on the name from the standary of the complete work on the name from the standary of the complete work on the name from the complete work on the complete work on the first or the complete work of the complete work rado last June. Despite the manner in which work is being rushed, the ships will leave here in about two weeks with much work remaining to be done. The material that the ships with much work remaining to be done. will leave here in about two weeks will be with much work remaining to be done. The material for the work will be placed aboard ship and the repairs will he completed by the ships crews.

Sault Ste, Marie, Ont., Aug. 6.—Emperor Nicholas continued at est assistance is also required. A mag-steamer Gargentwa, owned by Ganley Sentee, Bros., struck something at Santors of the Empress hotel, and on board the Imperial standard he left here for Kiel, with the good wishes of many.

Sault Ste, Marie, Ont., Aug. 6.—Emperor Nicholas continued at est assistance is also required. A mag-strained at est assistance is also requ

RECLAMATION WORK IN UNITED STATES

Demands Presented by En- Higher Taxes Are Necessary Rev. Dr. White Reports Excel- Go Down Before Breeze and Wm. P. Godfrey Had Iron gineers Will Aggregate \$11,000,000.

rticles. I sent for the postmaster, ment direction during the coming year.

DELIGHTED WITH TRIP.

Revelstoke. Aug. 5.-Governor John with something white, wrapping it up.
He took Babbage to the postmaster's officials of Minnesota and their familwith something white, wrapping it up. He took Babbage to the postmaster's room on instructions from Mr. Sheppard. He identified the package in court. The package bore no postoffice stamp or postage stamp. Babbage complained of faintness and a window was opened. He then jumped through the wright was opened. He then jumped through the wright was prought back.

Son, with a party of nity prominent officials of Minnesota and their familiproved that the fruit-growing industry of Kootenay has now been placed on a stable business basis and will from now on be one of the most important of this district's numerous assets. While some of the fruits will not be as the proved that the fruit-growing industry of Kootenay has now been placed on a stable business basis and will from now on be one of the most important of this district's numerous assets. While some of the fruits will not be as the proved that the fruit-growing industry of Kootenay has now been placed on a stable business basis and will from now on be one of the most important of this district's numerous assets. While some of the fruits will not be as the proved that the fruit-growing industry of Kootenay has now been placed on a stable business basis and will from now on be one of the most important of this city on August 19th. The last meeting will be held in this city on August 19th. The last meeting will then leave on a two or three will be held in this city on August 19th. The last meeting will be held in this city on August 19th. The last meeting will be held in this city on August 19th. The last meeting will be held in this

and had given it to a messenger to mail.

In cross-examination he said he knew letters should not be enclosed in packets unless letter-rate was paid. The packet, however, was sealed and required letter-rate.

The bank messenger testified to having mailed the packet on Saturday last.

On a second charge of stealing eight letters, accused also elected to his trial before the higher court. The evidence in this case was similar to that of the former, with the exception that evidence was given that while being detained in the postoffice Babbage a flour mill at Moose Jaw. and has in Kootenay. Mr. Adie has completed

GRAIN SHIPMENTS.

To be advanced prices being quown the yield for large fruits for the time being, the advanced prices being realized this season as compared with last, chiefly on account of the more and a cheque for \$29 was company, have a first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by the C. P. R. and the first and the much better shipping facilities given by

ASHES OVER WATERS

Husband's.

Chicago, Aug. 6.—Remarkable fueral rites will take place to-morrow fully norning when the ashes of Mrs. Rosa out." Peyton will be scattered to the four

patches indicated that the English sion steamers. Often she carried flow-crops have remained poor in spite of ers with her and scattered them in the fact that the weather for the past mid-lake, the only known grave of her two days has been better. In other husband. To her friends she often ex- Those Who Have Been Given Positions pressed the wish that her ashes, like the flowers would be scattered over the waters. Her last and only wish was that her grave would be near his.

> tween Jim Jeffries and Jack Johnson, wants pulled off here in September, 1909.

OPPOSE FIGHT

fight taking place here, adopted reso-lutions condemning the proposed con-test.

A deputy game warden.

To be notaries public for the province of British Columba:

Miss Mary Burge and Mr. E. S. The promoters of the affair have of-

fered a purse of \$50,000 and the offer is backed by 50 men of wealth. DROWNED IN SALMON RIVER.

CHILLIWACK FIXES RATE FOR YEAR

Owing to Rapid Growth of City.

milited for trial, in the police source this morning, having elected through. It is a littracy, for trial is the higher court, on a charge of the stations, the stations will be apperliance of the supportioned of the milited place of the milite

GROWING IN KOOTENAY

Orchards Are in Splendid Condition-Large Influx of Settlers.

the window, but was brought back,
James Anderson, bank inspector,
identified the package in court as that
containing a Masonic jewel he owned
and had given it to a massage in the friday's trip through the Selkirks and
Rockles with the keenest interest. The
party stays overnight at Revelstoke
and will leave early Friday, staying
that night at Lake Louise.

While some of the fruits will not be as
plentiful this year as in ordinary years
on account of the lateness of the season, and while the ranchers are wisely
refraining from allowing these to bear while too young, thus keeping

tents of the letters in court should be enclosed in other envelopes and mailed and the original covers be retained as exhibits in the case.

Detective H. J. O'Leary testified as to finding 125 letters in a drawer at the house of accused. Accused had the house of accused had the house of accused had been in a considerable of white re has been in a considerable of white results are number of fruit-growing countries he never yet saw a district that, generally as a result.

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vious year I predict that next year sufficient of fully double the quantity will be set out."

The regular monthly meeting of the board of trade was held in the court.

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with 75 other victims in the wreck of was most noticed in the Creston, Ar- in town last Saturday on a regular tour Brown-Cave returned to England, the Alpina, an excursion steamer, in row Lake, Kootenay Lake and Slocan of inspection. showed signs of development that a Mrs. John and Mrs. James Redford and for weeks she has hung betwee

GAZETTE APPOINTMENTS.

During the Past Week. This week's Provincial Gazette con-

tains notice of the following appoint-Herbert H. Scotney George, of the city of Kamloops, V. S., to be an inspector under the "Contagious Diseases"

July, 1909. was hurled from the pulpits of the Neil McDonald, of Port Essington, to

on U. S. CRUISERS

churches in which prayer meetings were held Wednesday night. Yester-the Skeena River mining division, during the absence of T. G. Wynn, deputy mining recorder.

LOCAL BUSINES. ance Union likewise opposed to the Arthur Hunt, of Thetis Island, to be

Albert Jay Passage, of the city of Vancouver; John W. Britton, Jr., of Fraser Mills, New Westminster dis-trict; Francis William Hartley, of the city of Vancouver; Bernard Goodwin Goward, of the city of Victoria, bar-In an effort to complete work on the four cruisers of the Pacific fleet at this yard by the 18th of this month, the was on the wharf Schlag and the was on the wharf Schlag and the was on the wharf Schlag and the city of Victoria, barrister-at-law; William John Waters, Edward F, Allan and Frederic Chas. Grantham, of the city of Vancouver.

INSPECTS METHODIST MISSIONS IN NORTH

lent Progress-More Missionaries May Be Sent.

Preliminary Hearing of Charges Against Alleged

Letter Stealer.

Chilliwack, Aug. 5.—The last meeting in July of the city counsil was called to set the tax rate, and to pass the city of Chilliwack rate by-law for termined until after the return of R. All. Nelems introduced the by-law, and after two hours' deliberation it by Ergderick Babbase, on remand, committed for trial in the police court this morning, having elected through I. A. Alkman, his attorney, for trial

A. Alkman, his attorney, for trial

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 6.—Several ment of the reclamation fund among the former resident of Victoria who is started for the fourth day's Dially.)

Tacoma, Wash., Aug. 6.—Several ment of the fourth day's play in the Pacific Northwest tennis tournament here yesterday. W. 8. Fits, of Seattle, regarded as a probable candidate for final honors, was easily put out of the running by A. Gorrill, of Seattle from Portland, where has been attending a conference with the officials of the reclamation in the city is over \$190,000, the improvement valuation over \$190,000, making a total in round figures of the mission steamer Udal, while in one of the pretitest matches of the men's final honors, was easily put out of the running by A. Gorrill, of Seattle from Portland, where believed strong and Monvins, yesterday con and Monvins, yesterday con and Rhodes, who were believed strong and Rhodes, who were believed strong the interior of the second reading.

It was shown that the land valuation over \$190,000, the improvement valuation over \$190,000, making a total in round figures of the mission steamer Udal, which in entire reclamation. The play has now reaching the fourth day's play in the Pacific Northweet tennis tournament here yesterday. W. 8. Fits, of Seattle, regarded as a probable candidate for final honors, was easily put out of the running by A. Gorrill, of Seattle from Portland, which has been attending a conference of two hours' deliberation it has a probable candidate for final honors, was easily put out of the unning by A.

well be directed during the next rew weeks to the autumn district meetings of the Methodist church in British Columbia. Seven of these will be held, the first being the Victoria district meeting. Other districts women's doubles—Miss Hotchkiss for September 6th.

Souther, 6-2, 6-2; Miss Kersnaw Deak Miss Lowell, 6-2, 2-6, 6-2; Miss Hotchkiss Hotchkiss Woodward Miss Skewijs, 6-0, 6-6; Miss Morade at New Westminster and the post the shortest priced horse this meeting in Irma Lee, winner only by a head of the five furlowing. to hold meetings in the near future and Miss Ryan beat Miss Kershaw will be Vancouver, New Westminster. Okanagan, Kamloops, West Kootenay Fadon and Miss E. Baillie beat Miss Okanagan, Kamioops, West Revenue Fadon and Wiss D. Baine See, 18 and East Kootenay. The New Westmin-Lowell and Mrs. Southherd, 6-4, 6-3. ster district meeting will be held in

RAILWAY OFFICIALS VISIT ALBERNI

ing detained in the postoffice Babbage a flour mill at Moose Jaw. and has in Kootenay. Mr. Adie has completed and Col. Holmes of Victoria, were in a tour of inspection of the ranches in town and were guests at the Arlinghis jurisdiction in an official capacity and is eulogistic in his praise of the cleanliness of the trees and plants on made arrangements for a settlement Mrs. Cave-Brown-Cave Passed the various ranches, and says that with those whose property the right-while he has been in a considerable of way for the railway crossed, and

tour of a few months ago is really re- graphs, arrived in town on Monday. St. Joseph's hospital Mrs. Charlotte markable," said Mr. Aide, "and while accompanied by Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Hall Cave-Brown-Cave, a sister of Hon. Edthe number of trees planted this year and R. Morrison. Mr. Brown is on his has greatly exceeded that of any previous year I predict that next year ernment telegraph line.

Third Chance, Keogh (110) 5

Rev. Jordan Cave-Brown-Cave, who many years ago was a resident of many years ago was a resi

He remarked upon the large influx house on Monday night. Only routine and subsequently took charge of Saanwinds in mid-lake. Her husband, Dr. of new settlers to different sections business was transacted.

S. L. Peyton, 29 years ago was lost of the Kootenays, and said that this Dr. Knight, veterinary inspector, was In the sections of the kootenays, and said that this Dr. Knight, veterinary inspector, was In the sections of the kootenays, and said that this Dr. Knight, veterinary inspector, was In the sections of the kootenays, and said that this Dr. Knight, veterinary inspector, was In the sections of the kootenays, and said that this Dr. Knight, veterinary inspector, was In the sections of the kootenays, and said that this Dr. Knight, veterinary inspector, was In the sections of the kootenays, and said that this Dr. Knight, veterinary inspector, was In the sections of the kootenays, and said that this Dr. Knight, veterinary inspector, was In the sections of the kootenays, and said that this Dr. Knight, veterinary inspector, was In the sections of the kootenays, and said that this Dr. Knight, veterinary inspector, was In the sections of the kootenays, and said that this Dr. Knight, veterinary inspector, was In the sections of the knight in the section of the knight in the section of the knight in the section of the knigh

of inspection.

Dr. D. E. Kerr and family. of Vicsome time previous to his death. Portland, Ore., Aug. 6.—Hop growers the Applia, an excursion steamer, increased wave of prosperity owing to increased wave of prosperity owing to the reports received to-day and yester-day from European growers that the day from European growers that the south of the district value and south of the district value and south of the country to the south of Nelson was not faring at all badly in this regard. In fact, the will be here during the greater part day from European growers that the that by some chance he might return day from European growers that the south of the district value of the district value and south of the south of the district value of the district value of the south of the district value of the district value of the south of the south of the district value of the south of the district value of the south of the south of the district value of the south of the south of the district value of the south of the south

returned from Vancouver on Thursday. life and death at the hospital, week between the new and old towns, VICTORIA PLEASED A baseball match was played last and resulted in a win for the latter by the score of 3 to 2. Miss Annie Miles returned on the steamer from a visit to the Seattle fair.

STRIKE SETTLED.

Visalia, Cal., Aug. 6.—A strong conspector under the "Contagious Diseases" Evansville, Ind., Aug. 6.—A street
demnation of the proposed bout be(Animals) Act," from the 15th day of car strike which has been in progress here for 69 days was settled to-day Basil C. Thwaltes, to be third con- The men lifted their boycott against ment were not announced,

LOCAL BUSINESS MAN

Woodward United in Marriage.

TYLER AND RHODES DEFEATED IN DOUBLES

Gorrill in Game at

missionaries.

The attention of Rev. Dr. White will be directed during the next few works to the autumn district meet.

Sey and Lyon, 6-2, 7-5.

Women's singles—Miss Ryan beat Miss Souther, 6-2, 6-2; Miss Kershaw beat

TWO MEN SHOT.

New York, Aug. 6.—A dispute over a will throng the streets of New West\$29 per bill, which furnished drinks for 290 persons at a Coney Island half yesterday afternoon ended with a shooting affray in which Chas. Stitch, a Brooklyn machinist, received a bulla Brooklyn machinist and troin valcouver issain quet in the money over a mile, and De Grammont was the only horse in the minster on Labor Day, Monday, Septiment was the only horse in the streets of New Westting the streets of New Westting the lead he went straight ahead and was a six-lengths winner, with Dr. White and Ripper in the money.

The favorite, Ozanne, was not in the let wound from which he will probably Columbia will be pulled off. Elaborate class. die. Stitch, who had started out to do Coney Island, entered the hall in a jovial mood and invited everybody present to have a drink. According to the bartender, 290 persons responded and a cheque for \$29 was handed to Stitch. He declared that the amount was preparent sound and drew a revolver.

Illness.

(From Friday's Daily.) There passed away last evening at

In the sixties Mr. and Mrs. Cave-

showed up high and clear for many

VICTORIA OLD-TIMER DIES IN SEATTLE

Works Here Thirty-five Years Ago.

BIG DEMONSTRATION

New Westminster, Aug. 5.—Thou-New Westminster, Aug. 5. Thousands of labor men from the lower long price with Frieze and My Boumainland and from Vancouver Island quet in the money over a mile, and De

Stitch. He declared that the amount was preposterous and drew a revolver. Instantly the crowded hall was in an uproar, and a dozen waiters rushed upon him. In the struggle several shots were fired, one of which hit waiter, while another entered Stitch's head.

DEATH OF EARLY

RESIDENT OF PROVINCE

Mrs. Cave-Brown-Cave Passed

Away After Lingering

Illness.

Stitch. He declared that the amount was preposterous and drew a revolver. It is come to New Westminster on Labor Day, and there is little doubte that the converge that the entry will fill. A substantial purse of about \$400 will be running up. The race should be the biggest attraction of all the meet, bar, of course, the classic Derby. R. F. Leighton has offered a handsome silver races and various athletic sports as being prepared. The prizes will be well worth competing for and the entry will fill the meet, bar, of course, the classic Derby. R. F. Leighton has offered a handsome silver races and various athletic sports as being prepared. The prizes will be well worth competing for and the entry will fill.

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BUILDING ACTIVE

the Course of Erec-

the city this year, with a prospect of Water Thrush, J. King (107) .. 15 a quarter of a million more being be- Alice F., Archibaid (107) 2 gun before the winter is over. Adams Gyres, Gaugle (109) Bros., of Vancouver are erecting the \$20,000 Thompson block on the corner Third race—Six furlongs. Selling. WOMEN DELEGATES
while across the street the Hair and Inst 1550.
Lavery blook is being put up by the Concrete Engineering & Construction Mand McG., W. Fowers (108). 5 Company of Vancouver, at a cost of \$13.000. The space on Columbia Street between Church street and the Lord Rossington, Lyourgus They Received in This

City.

City.

(From Friday's Daily.)

The delegates to the congress of the delegates to the congress of the building for the Course of construction on the first and last of the building for the Guichon hotel will cost \$15,000. The Deans block is estimated to cost \$15,000. Other buildings to the congress of the mated to cost \$15,000. Other buildings to the congress of the mated to cost \$15,000. Other buildings to the congress of the cost \$15,000. Other buildings to the congress of the cost \$15,000. Other buildings to the congress of the cost \$15,000. Other buildings to the congress of the cost \$15,000. Other buildings to the congress of the cost \$15,000. Other buildings to the congress of the cost \$15,000. Other buildings to the International Council of Women have to be built or in course of construction tions, and have started for their homes on to \$100,000; extensive additions to in various parts of the world. An Otthe Schaake Machine Works that have tawa citizen staff writer describing the trip has the following to say of Victoria:

"A boat trip to Victoria on a beautifully clear afternoon revealed again the beauties of the mountains and for miles the snow-capped hills were seen and their wonders remarked. Mt. Baker showed up high and clear for many

THE BISLEY TEAM.

TWO RACES EACH TO TWO STABLES

CLOSE FINISHES AT WILLOWS YESTERDAY

Jockey Cup Next Week-Two

challenged by Redondo. Archibald, however, called on the mare which gamely responded, and held the opposing horse out a head past the post. Lord of the Forest, after his same race against Barney Oldfield, was made a favorite in the race, but could

ner only by a head of the five furlengs, and starting 1 to 3. Regina Arvi, second favorite, took the place with Third Chance third.

or less trouble. First race—Five furlongs. Purse. Horse and Jockey. IN ROYAL CITY Irms Lee, Archibald (115)1-2 9-20 Regina Arvi, Gaugle (115) 2 7-2 Third Chance, Keogh (110) 5 19 Time, 1:02 2-5.

Second race-Four and a half furlongs. Selling. Four-year-olds and upward. Value to first \$150. rise and Jockey. New Westminster, Aug. 5.—Including Long Ball, Brooks (114) 6 several business blocks, about \$200,000 Fen Row, Keogh (109) 10 worth of buildings has been started in the city this year with a prospect of the city this year with a prospect of

of Lytton square and Columbia street, Three-year olds and upward. Value to while across the street the Hall and first \$150.

My Pal, Lycurgus (106)5-2 Aicibiades, Coles (109) 50 Christine A., Shale (100) 6

Be Brief, Jahnsen (99) 10 Sixth race One mile, Selling, Three year-olds and upward. Value to first

De Grammont, Lycurgus (114). 2 Dr. White, Leeds (114) 5