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GRAND TRUNK PACIFIC CONSTRUCTION.

It is with regret that we announce in our Ottawa correspondence the decision of Senator Templeman to yield to the exigencies of the political situation, and agree not to move an amendment to the Grand Trunk Pacific bill, providing for the construction of the line from the coast simultaneously with the commencement of the other sections of the railway. We had hoped that his published intention to have such an amendment placed on the order paper for the third reading meant, as a member of the Government, that he would have the support of the Government, and that there would be no opposition to it. Once more the rights of British Columbia to recognition have been ignored, and once more our Liberal representatives at Ottawa have tamely submitted without even uttering a word of protest. When we saw that Senators Templeman and Bostock voted against Senator Macdonald's amendment it naturally occurred to us, more especially as Mr. Templeman spoke in favor of construction of the Pacific section being commenced on the coast, that it was his intention to move in the matter himself; and it was subsequently so announced. The Colonist was willing to give all due consideration to the political kudos that he naturally would desire to reap by personally fathering the amendment and refrained from unfavorable comment. At the same time we expressed a fear as to the probable results. It has transpired that it was hopeless to have anticipated anything more favorable to British Columbia's interests at Ottawa. Whatever good intentions Senator Templeman may have had they were strangled by the Government at the dictation of the Grand Trunk Pacific. We cannot refer to the matter at greater length at present; but the actions of the Government in this matter will meet with the wholesale and unqualified condemnation of the people of British Columbia.

WE SHALL SEE.

Mr. W. T. R. Preston, London, chief immigration agent of Canada for Europe, has written a long letter to the London Times explaining the Fisher difficulty, and the Toronto Mail enquires: "Is Mr. Preston to be dismissed? Lord Dundonald was retired for entering a protest against a wrong at a semi-private gathering. It was said that he was an officer of the Government, and therefore should not speak. Has Mr. Preston privileges which do not appertain to other officials? Everybody, particularly Scottish-Canadians and other foreigners, will watch for the action that is taken by the Government in Mr. Preston's case."

(Since the foregoing was in type it has been discovered through advices from Ottawa that Hon. Clifford Sifton has written to Mr. Preston reprimanding him for taking part in matters outside of his duties as Immigration Agent. There is still a very important difference between the treatment accorded to Mr. Preston and that to Lord Dundonald. One was "reprimanded," and the other was dismissed by telegraph. The gravity of the offence in each case, in ordinary circumstances would have been equal; but considered upon their respective merits Lord Dundonald had reason to protest; while in the other case it was absolutely none of Mr. Preston's business. If official explanation of the episode in the English papers was considered desirable it naturally should have come from Lord Strathcona, the Government's official representative in Great Britain. It may be said that Mr. Preston is a very energetic immigration agent, and it would be too bad to dismiss him. Lord Dundonald was not only a very energetic official, but a very useful one. The public will decide as soon as an opportuntiy is afforded.

A NEW MICROBE.

"It is a funny thing," says the Montreal Herald, "about military people, but they do part with their good sense, sometimes, easier than any other section of the community." It is a funny thing, and the most curious part of it is that the political head of the militia department in Canada seems to be afflicted in the same way. We presume it must be infectious. In fact, we are led to understand that Hon. Mr. Fisher has instructed the expert bacteriologist of his department to try and isolate the microbe that has this extraordinary effect. It will probably be discovered that a polluted political atmosphere is peculiarly favorable as a culture medium for its development.

A TRADE EXHIBITION.

Arrangements are being made for a permanent exclusive exhibition and sale respository of the food products and manufactures of the Dominion of Canada and the United Kingdom at the Anglo-Canadian Commercial Museum, Kingston, Jamaica, B. W. I. It is under the auspices of the Government of Jamaica, the departments of Trade and Commerce and Agriculture at Ottawa, and the commercial agent for Canada in Jamaica. It is contemplated to open the first series of the Canadian section about the 1st of September of this year. The prospectus in connection says that it is felt that a permanent exhibition and sale rooms for the food products and manufactures of Canada will supply to traders and consumers in these markets the much needed opportunity throughout the year for inspecting and obtaining importations from the Dominion regarding the goods in which they may be interested. We do not suppose that many persons in British Columbia will be interested in this exhibition, as the products which we could sell in Jamaica are limited in number at present; but we have pleasure in giving the information in order that any so desirous may communicate with the Department of Trade and Commerce at Ottawa with respect to it. We thoroughly believe in the value of commercial exhibitions.

A SALVATION ARMY JUBILEE.

A great Salvation function has been taking place in London, England, in which General Booth was the principal figure of interest. We are told that 100,000 persons welcomed him in the Crystal palace. Representatives of every country were massed in tiers under the flags of all nations. It was a great Salvation Army jubilee and reunion, and the old general was given a tremendous ovation. It is said to have been the greatest function ever held in the Crystal palace since the great world's exhibition. A feature of the proceedings, not referred to in the telegraph reports, was cabled correspondence conveying to the General the good wishes and expressions of sympathy in his great work from the various heads of Government throughout the British Empire, including, we are pleased to add, felicitations from the Premier of British Columbia. Few men in latter years have exerted so much influence for good in the world as General Booth. Unlike many other men who have become heads and leaders of religious and semi-religious movements, he has devoted himself exclusively to the amelioration of the sufferings, and to the uplifting, of mankind everywhere. He has done this not only through an appeal to the heart, involving a change of life by conversion, but by practical methods of relief and self-help. While we may not all agree as to the philosophy of an attack by boisterous music and martial display upon the strongholds of "Mansoul," yet we can all sympathize with him in this object in view. This original plan of campaign adopted by him had, for a time at least, wonderful results. The enthusiasm that still exists in the ranks of his army is evidence that he has not lost his influence over the minds and hearts of his followers.

OVERHAULING POLITICAL HISTORY.

It is not so very important to the public to know whether Mr. Edward Farrer was ever editor of the Toronto Globe or not. If not nominally editor, he was, however, chief editorial writer, a fact which is so intimately within the knowledge of all who have studied Canadian politics of late years that we are surprised that it should be denied. As bearing out every statement made in yesterday's Colonist, we quote from "Morgan's Canadian Men and Women of the Time." It was while he (Mr. Farrer) was last employed on the Mail that that paper entered on a 'crusade against Jesuitism, Catholic domination, the Federal ministry, and the influence of the hierarchy in Quebec, so skilfully conceived, so vigorously conducted, and so crattily fed, that in the course of four or five weeks the whole province of Ontario was worked into fervid excitement.' He was subsequently on the staff of the Toronto Globe, but retired from active journalism in Canada, July, 1892, maintaining his conviction 'that political union with the United States is the manifest destiny of Canada.' Later Mr. Farrer lived at Washington and in April, 1896, appeared before a sub-committee of the United States House of Representatives and gave, what purported to be the views of the Liberal party, on the question of reciprocity." As we have stated, it is perhaps not a matter of great importance, but it is well to nail statement on the spot that the Mail was a Tory organ when it advocated continental union, or that Edward Farrer was never editor of the Globe.

DOMINION EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

The tendency in all professions in Canada is to reduce the methods according to which work is carried on in the different Provinces to a basis of uniformity. The practice in law, for instance, is becoming more and more a consistent factor throughout the Dominion. Even the legislation in the different Provinces is being made more conformable each year to a common model. There have been repeated efforts to establish a common standard in the Provinces as to medical qualifications and practice, and there is a Dominion Medical Association, which will meet shortly in Vancouver. There is also a Dominion Educational Association. Not so very long ago, provincially, all the professions were very much apart in systems and methods.

The Dominion teachers will meet in Winnipeg this year, the convention to be held during the time of the Exhibition there. The meeting takes places on the 26th of this month and two following days, and the programme, a copy of which we have received, will include addresses by the most prominent and representative educationists of Canada. Many important subjects connected with methods of teaching and the principles of pedagogy will be dealt with and discussed. We are pleased to note that prominence is given to papers and addresses by Western teachers. Among others we observe the names of Dr. Goggin, for many years the leading educationist of the Northwest, and Hon. F. G. Haultain, Premier of the Northwest, who has taken an uncommon share of interest and a large part in the development of the school system of the Territories.

As in other professional associations, the Dominion Educational Association is divided into sections, and there will be a general meeting, as well as meetings of the several sections. It is unnecessary to say that much good must result from the exchange of views and experiences. The Toronto Globe, dealing with the subject, remarks that "it will do teachers and inspectors from the older parts of Canada good to hear from those engaged in the newer settlements of the nature of their difficulties and of the experiments they have been conducting. On the other hand, the teachers and inspectors of the West can hardly fail to benefit by suggested comparisons between their own work and that carried on in Provinces from which many of them migrated years ago. Education is progressive, and no locality has a monopoly of new ideas as to how it should be carried on."

We trust to see it announced at the close of the Winnipeg meeting that it has been decided to hold the next in Victoria. Naturally the distance from the East will militate against such an arrangement, but the greater natural attractions of this Province will no doubt compensate for the longer time and greater expense involved. A trip by the teachers to the Coast would be an education in itself, and would necessarily enlarge their vision as to the extent and possibilities of Canada as a whole. At present they have, as a rule, a very limited appreciation of what is west of the Great Lakes, and more particularly of the country west of the Rocky Mountains. To the average Easterner Canada is bounded on the east by the Atlantic Ocean, and on the west by Muskoka. A good many have not yet heard of Muskoka.

"BULLY FOR CANADA."

About nine-tenths of the editorial and political matter appearing in eastern exchanges is devoted to Lord Dundonald, and the retirement of the Auditor-General, both of whom have been the victims of undue political interference in their departments. Naturally so much discussion, especially in connection with the Lord Dundonald incident, has created a great deal of interest on the United States side of the line. A few issues ago we called attention to the fact that the Minneapolis Journal, one of the most influential newspapers of the Middle West, regarded the incident as strongly pointing to the growth of independence in Canada. This may be accepted as the general tenor of United States comment. Some of the newspapers are inclined to go still farther in their deductions. On all sides, however, they express satisfaction on account of the dismissal of Lord Dundonald and the circumstances which led up to it. It is unnecessary to remark that in a country where political patronage is so essentially a part of the political system as in the United States, and where politicial "pull" is the only influence in state matters worth considering, it is not difficult to understand that Lord Dundonald's desire to be allowed freedom in technical administration of the militia is regarded as an inconceivable position to take. That United States models are fast coming into vogue in Canada and are accepted as standards at Ottawa are aptly demonstrated by the avowal of policy on the question of patronage by the Ottawa Free Press, reproduced elsewhere.

The Seattle Times of Sunday is so elated over the consequences of Lord Dundonald's speaking out that the editor has an article entitled "Bully for Canada," in which he expresses the most profound admiration for Sir Wilfrid Laurier and the Government. If the latter is looking for unqualified commendation in its course from outside sources it is getting it in plenty in the United States. It should be particularly delighted with the observations of the Seattle Times. That paper, after reviewing in its own way the incidents of the discussion, and referring to Lord Dundonald's published statement, has this to say:

But of course no one takes Dundonald's fling seriously. It is a reply to Laurier's unexpected and ethically startling application of the word 'foreigner' to an English Lord. Canadians love the Mother Country. Dundonald is a real live Lord. Their pleasure in that thought is given a rude jar by the fact that Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Premier and President of the King's Privy Council, publicly called Lord Dundonald a 'foreigner.'

This was a jar to the sensibilities, to be sure, but the man who said it is a typical Canadian, and a great man. Sir Wilfrid Laurier is a French Canadian, born in the province of Quebec. Douglas Mackinnon Baillie Hamilton Cochrane, twelfth Earl of Dundonald is presumably Scotch, has a London house, and holds Gwyrch Castle in Abergele, North Wales. We have here, then, a native born French Canadian calling a British peer, born in the United Kingdom, a 'foreigner.'

Meantime the wheat is ripening in the vast Canadian reaches—people are crowding the totals of business—population and wealth are increasing. There is no be a military scandal—but such things make progress in a new country.

Lord Dundonald may fret and say nasty things, but he cannot hurt "Our Lady of the Snows." She is very, very fond of Mother England, but, bless you! she is entitled to just as much room on the sidewalk. If Sir Wilfrid Laurier will speak his mind with equal frankness about once in six months, it will do a world of good.

Sir Wilfrid should beware of the Greeks bringing presents. Such compliments are for the purpose of luring him and his party on to estrangement with the Mother Country. The Times says that "Canada for the Canadas" is the doctrine that pleases nine out of every ten citizens of the United States. Of course it is. And if the true object be to please the United States, at the expense of Great Britain, as a preliminary to the time when the former may be more easily appropriate the whole of the northern part of the continent, then we are in a fair way of succeeding.

WAS NOT THE TORY ORGAN.

The statement is made (for purely political purposes, of course), that the Toronto Mail, "the chief organ of the Tory party," was "a continental union newspaper"—that is, a paper devoted to consolidating the political and commercial interests of Canada and the United States. Reference is made to a time when Erastus Wiman, Goldwin Smith, Sir Richard Cartwright, John Charlton, Edward Farrer, Senator McMullen, the Toronto Globe and a number of others, many of whom are now prominent in the Liberal ranks, were advocating commercial union and unrestricted reciprocity in Canada. At that particular time the Mail was not the recognized organ of the Liberal-Conservative party of Canada. It had had a serious quarrel with the leaders, as a consequence of which the Empire newspaper was started. The quarrel was based on this very question of continental union, on the anti-French and anti-Catholic programme of the Mail, and other questions of policy regarding which that paper at the time was not in accord with the party as a whole. It was precipitated by Mr. Edward Farrer, a very able writer, who afterwards became editor of the Globe, and who was editor of the Globe when Sir John Macdonald made his last appeal to the electors of Canada practically upon an issue created by Mr. Farrer in respect to continental union. Subsequently the Mail made its peace with the leaders of the Conservative party, came back into the fold, absorbed the Empire, and is now recognized as one of the organs of Liberal-Conservatism in Canada. The statement made by the contemporary, which is here denied, may not in itself be a very important one; but in the interests of historical accuracy it is desirable that the main facts of the case should be [illegible] lest we should forget.

PROVINCIAL NEWS.

Heart failure rather than drowning is believed to have been the cause of death in the case of C. Paget, C.P.R. night agent at Sicamous a few days ago. Two doctors tried in vain to resuscitate him immediately the body was taken from the water, where it had lain only a few moments.

W. Campbell, lumberman, aged 30 years, died suddenly of hemorrhage while being conveyed by boat from the shingle bolt camp at Seymour arm, where he worked, to Annis.

William Foster, a resident of Vancouver, aged 75 years, who had been attending the wedding of his son at Salmon Arm, died there a few days ago. An enquiry is being held at Revelstoke into the cause of death.

The Inland Sentinel, Kamloops, says: Rev. Father Le Jeune, O.M.I., for so many years connected with the Indian missions in this district, will leave for France on the 19th of this month to represent the province at a Chapter of the Oblates to be held there next month. Father Le Jeune was elected a delegate to attend the Chapter at a council of the O.M.I. held at New Westminster two weeks ago.

It is 25 years since the Rev. Father came to British Columbia, landing at Victoria in October, 1879 and having been stationed at several missions in the interior came to Kamloops in 1882 and has ever since been connected with this mission. His duties take him over a large district, ministering to the Indians, and in some isolated places to whites as well, throughout the Nicola, Shuswap, North Thompson and other sections. Constantly on the move, filled with zeal and energy, he has done good work during his 25 years of active devotion to his duties, and the trip to France comes as a well earned holiday to a hard worked man. He will be absent for several months.

The saw mill at Sparwood, owned by the Crow's Nest Coal Company, was destroyed by fire recently. Thirteen box cars were burned, eight of which were loaded with ties and lumber.

The new dredge built by the Dominion government for work on the Columbia river is rapidly nearing completion, and on the arrival of the rudder stocks will be immediately launched. The hull, which was built under the supervision of A. C. Blondin of Nakusp, is 80x24 feet, while the deck house is 60x14 feet. The draft will be about 17 inches.

Crag and Canyon of Banff reports that Edward Whymper, the well known mountain climber, explorer and author, is at present at Laggan or Field, from where he will make short trips into the mountains for the next few weeks, after which he will proceed to the Crow's Nest Pass country and continue his wonderful and entertaining exploits in that section.

Hon. Richard McBride and Hon. R. F. Green visited Kaslo the other day. The Kaslo Kootenaian reports that they were given a hearty reception, a smoking concert being given in their honor in Eagle Hall. Both gentlemen stated that their visit had no political significance.

A despatch from Rossland to the Nelson News says the Canadian Smelting Works at Trail will inaugurate a new industry in Canada by manufacturing the completed lead products. The machinery is now at the smelter to manufacture lead pipe and the smelter will be in the market with the pipe in thirty days. Plans are being prepared for sheet lead machinery, another important branch of the industry. Contracts are about to be closed for corroding works, to be located in Montreal, with the probability of a small branch market. The total estimated outlay for the manufactories is $100,000.

The Ashcroft Journal of Saturday last publishes with good display what it terms "very good news from La Fontaine"; Copy of cablegram from Manager Bailey, La Fontaine, to head office, London, dated June 20.—"West drift is now in 100 feet. bedrock reached, value increased to $14 per cubic yard, little if any gravel yet taken out. There is every indication that the gravel is very rich. Have obtained out of west drift 5 oz. gold. Present appearances most encouraging."

The Golden Star says a party of botanists under the leadership of Prof. Shaw of an American university, are visiting Carbonate, collecting from the flora of that neighborhood. A trip will also be made up the Salmachene river to its source, and from thence over the divide to the Glacier House.

The Morrissey Dispatch records the fact that W. J. Blundell has sent in his resignation as manager of the Trites-Wood Company's branch at Morrissey, the resignation to take effect on the 1st of August. Mr. Blundell states that he has been offered a position with a firm in Winnipeg ago but, being requested by many Carbonado people to start a store there on his own account, he is considering the opening up of business across Morrissey creek.

The Greenwood Miner mentions that a meeting of the Boundary medical men was held in Greenwood on Tuesday of last week. Among those present were Dr. Northrop of Grand Forks, Drs. Gordon and Boucher of Phoenix and Drs. Schon, Spankie, Oppenheimer and Foster of Greenwood. Matters relating to the profession were discussed and an association formed with the following officers: President, Dr. J. Edward Schon; vice-president, R. B. Northup; secretary-treasurer, G. M. Foster, and these with G. S. Gordon and S. M. Oppenheimer to constitute the executive committee.

The Fernie Free Press says definite information has been received announcing the final decision of Mr. Fernau and associates to erect their zinc smelter at Ferndale. The contract between Mr. Fernau and the coal company calls for the erection of a zinc smelter plant costing at least $100,000, which will be in operation this year. Mr. Fernau has already given orders for the building of the zinc enriching plant at Rosebery. The Fernie smelter will be where the concentrates will be reduced to zinc matte. The site will comprise several acres on the north side of the Coal creek branch railway, above the old power house.

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The committee, Messrs. Copland, Sparrow and Manly, appointed at the meeting on Monday evening to present a petition to the Governor to permit them to settle in Cowichan, were informed that it could not be done at present. They were offered the Chemainus country, which is unsurveyed, and commences ten miles north of the southern end of Cowichan, towards Nanaimo. The land is reported good. Whether this will be accepted has not been decided.

The surveyor-general assured them that a three-weeks' notice would be given to those who are entitled to land already in Cowichan, and if no selection was made the claims would be forfeited and the land brought into the market. It appears that there are five districts, Cowichan, Comiaken, Shenonegan, Somenos and Quamican, surveyed. They contain 57,000 acres. Salt Spring Island is also surveyed and contains 5,000 acres. The three latter districts lie five miles from the coast. The valley is estimated at 100,000 acres.

Mr. Henry Lock, who was injured by explosion on board the Forward, died on Thursday last at Esquimalt.

Capt. Lock and Capt. Nagle have been sounding the harbor with the object of bringing in the Forward. On the trip after next she comes here instead of to Esquimalt. The Pacific will probably follow suit. The harbor master is about putting a warping buoy near Kaindler's wharf, which will enable them to come up to the wharves with perfect safety.

Northerner.—The Northerner arrived on Monday morning from San Francisco and left the same day with 19 passengers. Freeman & Co. sent down $2,000 in dust.

According to the Fort Steele Prospector, Chas. Sweeny, who returned to Spokane Monday from an Eastern trip, said: "The lead smelter at the Sullivan mine at Marysville will be completed by September 1. Work will be rushed ahead. The smelter will start with a capacity of 250 tons. It is being built especially for the Sullivan mine, and whether we shall take custom ore depends upon whether the output from the Sullivan mine is sufficient to keep the smelter running to its full capacity. The company will enlarge later, however, if plenty of ore is furnished in that country. The Federal Mining & Smelting Company has not thought of, nor considered, any such proposition as taking in the Sullivan mine."

RETAIL MARKETS

The feature of the retail markets this week, according to information kindly supplied yesterday by the West End Grocery, is the abundance of berry fruit, which has just put in an appearance, comprising raspberries, Logan berries, red, white and black currants, cherries, California plums, apricots and peaches, muskmelons, etc. Strawberries are nearly out of the market, the few now offered being not of prime quality. The price for the latter fruit, however, remains the same, 3 lbs. for 25c.; raspberries are retailing at 10c.; Logan berries, 3 lbs. for 25c.; currants, 10c.; cherries, 3 lbs. for 25c.; California fruit, 35c. per basket; muskmelons, 20c. each. California tomatoes, retail at 15c. per lb.; local, at 20c.

Butter has stiffened in price, Delta, Victoria and Cowichan all retailing at 30c. per lb.

Flour has dropped in price, retailing 20c. cheaper.

Quotations are as follows:

Corn, whole, per ton	$30
Corn, cracked	$32
Corn, feed meal	$32
Oats, per ton	$30
Oatmeal, per 10 lbs.	40
Rolled oats, B. & K., per lb	4
Rolled oats, B. & K. per 7-lb sack	35
Flour—	
Hungarian, per sack	$1.50
Hungarian, per bbl.	$5.80
Pastry Flour—	
Snow Flake, per sack	$1.40
Snow Flake, per bbl.	$5.30
Three Star, per sack	$1.30
Three Star, per bbl.	$5.80
Drifted Snow, per sack	$1.40
Drifted Snow, per bbl.	$5.30
Feed—	
Hay, Island, per ton	$18.00
Hay, B. B., per ton	$20.00
Straw, per bale	70
Wheat, per ton	$37
Middlings, per ton	$26.00
Bran, per ton	$28.00
Ground feed, per ton	$28 to $30
Vegetables—	
Beans, per lb.	15
Cabbage, per lb.	3½
Cauliflower, per head	10
Onions, 8 lbs. for	25
Carrots, per lb	1½ to 2
Beet root, per lb.	3
New potatoes, per 100 lbs.	$3.00
Eggs—	
Fresh Island, per dozen	35
Fresh cream, per pint	25
Cheese—	
Best Ontario Cheese, per lb.	20
California cheese, per lb.	25
Canadian, per lb.	20
Butter—	
Australian butter, per lb.	25
Manitoba, per lb.	25
Best dairy, per lb.	25
Victoria creamery, per lb.	30
Cowichan creamery, per lb.	30
Delta	30
Fresh Island	25
Fruit—	
Raspberries	10
Logan berries, 3 lbs. for	25
Currants, per lb	10
Cherries, 3 lbs. for	25
Muskmelons, each	20
Strawberries, 3 lbs. for	25
Gooseberries (local) lb.	10
Cooking figs	10
Figs, lb.	20
Valencia raisins	10
New cleaned currants, 3 lbs. for	25
Best Sultanas	20
Table raisins	25 to 35
Rhubarb, 6 lbs. for	25
Bananas, per dozen	25 to 75
Oranges, per dozen	25 to 40
New dates	12½
Cocoanuts, each	10
Lemons, California, per doz.	25
Poultry—	
Dressed fowls	20 to 25
Fish—	
Smoked salmon, per lb.	20
Spring salmon, per lb.	5
Cod, per lb	5
Halibut, per lb	8
Smoked Halibut	8
Halibut, frozen	15
Flounders	6
Finnan Haddock, per lb.	8
Crabs, per dozen	15
Bloaters	50 to 75
Kippers	10
Salt mackerel, each	12½
Salt cod, per lb.	15
Salt herrings and sounds, per lb.	12½
Salt Holland herring, per keg	20
Salt salmon, each	$1.50
Salmon bellies, per lb	25
Meats—	12½
Mutton, lb	10 to 18
Hams, American, per lb.	12½ to 15
Bacon, American, per lb.	20
Bacon, rolled	22 to 25
Pork	16
Coal Oil—	15 to 17
Pratt's coal oil	$1.50
Eocene oil	$1.60

WHOLESALE PRODUCE.

Messrs. Sylvester & Co., feed merchants, yesterday reported quotations as stationary, as hereunder:

Hay (old), per ton	$14.00
Hay (green), per ton	$14.00
Straw, per ton	$10.00
Oats, per ton	$28.00
Barley, per ton	$27.00
Potatoes (new) per 100 lbs.	$2.00
Wheat, per ton	$30.00
Onions, per too lbs.	$3.50

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BORN.

BULMAN—At Mount Tolmie, Victoria, B. C., on the 6th instant, the wife of W. Bulman, of a son.

MULRONEY—At Nelson, on July 1, the wife of M. J. Mulroney, of a son.

STRONG—At Trail, on July 1, the wife of Robt. Strong, of a daughter.

NIVEN—At Vancouver, on July 5, the wife of Thos. Niven, of a daughter.

PEELE—In Victoria, on July 7, the wife of Stanley G. Peele, of a son.

MESHER—At Esquimalt, on the 9th inst., the wife of J. F. Mesher, of a daughter.

HELLIWELL—At Vancouver, on July 7, the wife of John F. Helliwell, of a son.

TEMPLETON—At Nelson, on July 8, the wife of J. W. Templeton, of a son.

DIED.

DYSON—At Vancouver, on July 9, Miss Emily Dyson, aged 25 years.

DAVIDSON—At the residence, No. 186 Fort street, on the 6th instant, Douglas Dease Davidson, aged 42 years, and a native of Kent, England.

MARRIED.

McLAUGHLIN-ANDERSON — At Marysville, on June 28, by Rev. S. J. Thompson, Fred. McLaughlin and Mrs. Annie Anderson.

COLE-KEENAN—At Cranbrook, on June 27, by Rev. Mr. Fortune, George M. Cole and Miss Susie G. Keenan.

SMITH-ENGLISH—At Kamloops, on July 4, by Rev. H. S. Akehurst, W. H. Smith and Miss Lily English.

FREDERICKS-ENRICO — At Vancouver, on July 3, by Rev. Father Le Chesne, F. Fredericks and Miss Juliet Enrico.

REDFERN-REDFERN — At St. John's church, on the 6th instant, by the Rev. H. A. Collison, Alfred Edward, second son of G. F. Redfern, Esq., of London, England, to Martha Eliza, eldest daughter of Charles and Eliza Redfern, of this city.

KNOWLES-MURDOCH—At Nelson, on July 6, by Rev. J. H. Ferguson, James C. Murdoch and Miss Alice Knowles.

SWIFT-THOMPSON—At Armstrong, on July 6th, by Rev. D. Campbell, Thomas Swift and Mrs. Sarah Thompson.

CAMPBELL-SPOONER—At Kamloops, on July 6, by Rev. S. S. Osterhout, Reid Z. Campbell and Miss Mary Antoinette Spooner.

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(From Tuesday's Daily.)

Lost Valuable Horse.—W. J. T suffered a severe loss one day last because of an accident which happ to Prince Andolph, a stallion va at about $5,000. The animal brok leg and required to be shot. He is second which the owner has lost he stocked his fine farm at North S ich with thoroughbreds.

Struck Oil.—W. F. Teetzel, of son, a director of the Flathead V Oil Lands Development Company, ing from Belton, Montana, on his into the Flathead valley, reports au American company, boring fo some few miles south of the inte tional boundary on the Flathead r has struck a flow of oil at 1,200 fee

Fraser Bridge Opening.—It is an pated that many Victorians will be p ent at New Westminster on Satu of next week on the occasion of celebration of the formal opening of new bridge. The last spike will driven by the Lieut.-Governor, an is now stated that the guard of h will be supplied by A and B compa of the Sixth D. C. O. R. Twenty will be drawn from each company.

To Improve Trail.—The provin government has reported favorably the petition praying for an impr ment in the wagon road connec Hardy bay and Quatsino, and the spector at Union is now visiting locality with the object of preparin report on its condition. Captain W ren, of the steamer Barbara Boscow brings word that the hotel at Ha bay is now open for business and regular steamer calls will be m there.

Enlarging Bunkers.—Following portion of a report on the San F cisco coal market by J. W. Harrison San Francisco: "The managers of Western Fuel Company and the cific Coast Company are enlarging bunkers to facilitate their hand their importations more economica Mr. John Brown of the firm of Mes J. & A. Brown, is at present in city looking after the interests of extensive collieries in Newcastle, S. W."

Morgan vs. British Yukon.—The peal of the British Yukon Navigat Company from the verdict of the ju who awarded $12,000 damages to J Morgan for personal injuries recei while in the employ of the company, not likely to be heard until after long vacation. It was mentioned the Full court yesterday and their lo ships were unable to fix a day for hearing owing to pressure of busin already listed.

Improved Conditions.—Rev. J. White, superintendent of Methodist m sions for British Columbia, is visit the city after an extensive tour throu out the province. He reports con tions in the interior to be very grea improved over what they were a cou of years ago. In East Kootenay p ticularly is the outlook very bright, Nelson is now enjoying a measure abundant prosperity. Marysville is joying a genuine boom and is proba the liveliest town in British Colum today. The big smelter is now in ope tion and times are lively. Mr. White of the opinion that the period of pression in the interior has about pass

(From Wednesday's Daily.)

Action Against the Union.—Furth evidence was taken in the case of Centre Star vs. the Rossland Mine Union yesterday before Mr. Just Duff and a special jury. The eviden was given by former members of t union and dealt with methods of t unionists during the strike of 1901.

Chief Officer Dead.—The death curred at St. Paul's hospital, Vanco ver, on Monday morning, of Chief O ficer Jones of the R. M. S. Empress Japan after a lingering illness, at t age of 35 years. The remains have be embalmed, pending the arrival of a s ter from Montreal. She is now on h way and is expected to reach Vanco ver on Friday night, in which case t funeral will take place on Saturday.

Goes to Atlin.—Among the passe gers who sailed for the north on t steamer Princess May was B. C. Wa nick, of the firm of B. C. Warnick Company, Philadelphia, who has su cessfully financed the British-America Company. Mr. Warnick, who is goi to Atlin, states that the company dredge has been operating since M 24th, and that a clean-up will be ma about the 15th of the present mont Advices from Atlin report that the go output resulting from last winter's wo of the individual miner is larger tha any preceding year.

Saanich Bush Fire.—News fro Keating's Crossing yesterday was the effect that good progress was bein made in getting the bush fires unde control. Provincial Constable Camp bell, who went up on Monday to tak charge of the work, returned yesterday He reports that little serious damag has been one. The strawberry plant of Mr. Henderson have suffered co siderably and some damage has bee done on Mr. Butler's farm. The fire ha attacked a large quantity of cordwoo and threatened its destruction, but th was got under. There are still fifte men at work on the fire.

Consul For Dawson.—United Stat Consul Berholz of Dawson arrived the city on Monday to take the steam er for Skagway. Mr. Berholz is a un of wide experience, who commenced h diplomatic career as private secreta to the United States consul at Pekin in the eighties. He subsequently serv as United States consul in Turkey, a then after filling important posts ca to Three Rivers, Que., acting as co sul there. He was called from the duties to act in his present position the Yukon, a duty which, he says, goes to perform with anticipated plea ure, resulting from his former expe ence with the people of Canada.

Compelled to Resign.—At a meeti of district No. 1, Pacific Coast Associ tion of Traffic Agents, held in Seat on Saturday, Mr. A. B. C. Denniston former general western passenger age and at present manager for a tick brokerage office at Seattle, gave up h honorary membership in the associ tion. But for the resignation of M Denniston, the Northern Pacific, Gre Northern,