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To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles, the manufacturers have guaranteed it. See testimonials in the daily press and ask your neighbors what they think o'it. You can use it and get your money back if not cured. See a box, at all dealers or EDMANSON, BATES & CO., Toronto, bors what they think of it. You can use it and get your money back if not cured. 60c a box, at all dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto, and dealers or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Toronto, back of the circle of the large sometime this spring. As insurrectors the Macedonians the next general election will be tought have no rivals inside the circle of the

Semi-Weekly Golonist. small boys it is needless to say we have no sympathy whatever. It is unmanly the lesson of "put yourself in his place." So he frequently tortures both dumb animals and fellow human beings simanimals and fellow human beings simply for the sport it affords himself. Persons of weak intellect, aged persons of eccentric dress, and children with physical deformities are favorite objects of attack and in this country Chinamen. The instinct which causes boys in British Columbia to bait a Chinaman is precisely the same instinct which causes the many, and there would be nothing left, and also because the lower stretches of the Danube are essential to her trade, the latter because she has great schemes of German commercial expansion to the Orient via Asia-Minor, which would be about the latter because the lower stretches of the latter because she has great schemes of German commercial expansion to the Orient via Asia-Minor, which would be completely knocked on the head. The Eastern Question no longer causes that remessantly positions, either on one Notice to Advertisers eccentric dress, and children with physi-Agate measurement: 14 lines to the inch. The instinct which causes boys in Brit-GRANSHENT AND LEGAL ADVECTED.

ING—10c. per line for first insertion, and it most completely knocked on the head. The cast completel the essence of criminality. They might be arrested and punished for the offence of molesting people on the street if it was thought that would do any good. The collective cruelty of boyhood is responsible for the mutilation of this Chinese boy, that and a mischievous practice being allowed to go bunchecked on our streets. Some time ago the boys in this city were addicted to the wanton practice of throwing stones. The result was that a sharp edged stone cutered the eye of a boy whose eyesight has only with difficulty been saved from total destruction. He has been under the treatment of a skilled oculist for months, has undergone severe operations and suffered a great deal of pain. Was suffered a great deal o BUSINESS OR PROFESSIONAL CARDS
The collective cruelty of boyhood is reof feur lines or under, \$2 per month. VICTION OF ANY ONE STEALING months, has undergone severe operations THE COLONIST NEWSPAPER FROM and suffered a great deal of pain. Was is and suffered a great deal of pain. Was there any agitation stirred up to visit with vindictive punishment the particular boy who threw the particular stone? None that we know of. But there was a very distinct agitation that the purishment the particular stone? None that we know of. But there was a very distinct agitation that the practice of promiscuous stone-throwing should cease and, by the efforts of the police, it has been very sensibly abated. Perhaps also a glimpse of the possible conceded unless the returns from Van Anda and Atlin are much more sensational than need be expected. However, the fact that the Government cardidate, backed by unlimited funds, and by two newspapers in the principal city in the district only corried the entering of the police of the police of the police of the promiscuous stone-throwing should cease, and it can be prevented from hunting and slaying wild animals, fish, birds, or anything which the United States from being the prevented by the United States from doing anything which the United States from being the prevented by the United States from doing anything which the United States from being the prevented by the United

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AN ADVANCE NOTICE.

Russia to strengthen her position in the Black Sea are significant. Russia desires above all things to be seated at Constantinople, and to be mistress of the Dardanelles. Some day she will make Constantinople, and to be mistress of the Dardanelles. Some day she will make the grab and leave its justification to

accord in a more circuitous fashion. It that the best national results are ob

gambling" is simply to invite them to carry on the same gambling as before behind closed doors, doors closed against all who do not desire to enter. Many people apparently voted for Alderman McCandless, now Mayor, because they understood his pre-election pledges in this sense, but many people voted for this sense, but many people voted for Canada that the party of this sense, but many people voted for the commission we do not see. And if the Coast settlements have been so excluded by treaty, they can pleeding and protruding piles.

To prove to you that Dr. Chase's Ointment is a certain and absolute cure for each and every form of itching, bleeding and protruding piles.

AN ACOVANCIA NOWANGER NOWANGER. face the electorate under their accus-tomed leader. The question of all oth-ers which will make the present session

him because they thought he was pledged to enforce the law against gambling as contained in the Criminal Code of Canada. It is a pity he had not been a little more explicit, and yet his strenuous "I will" seemed explicit enough. If we have the gambling population and visitors of Victoria carring on their practices in the back rooms of salones without interference on the part of the police, it will make it not more difficult, but more easy for young men to be enticed into the gambling habit, and by no means bring about any improvement in the moral condition of the city.

CONCERNING BOYS.

Considerable discussion has been raised over the unfortunate occurrence which resulted in a Chinese boy being seriously injured. There seems to be an impression abroad that justice has not been done upon the offending small boys. For the baiting of Chinamen by small boys it is needless to say we have no sympathy whatever. It is unmanify to have a swing the part of the clivy.

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The Tourist Association

The Coming Season's Programme Outlined By the Executive.

Fally Ho Coach and Other Attractions—Cash Is Much Needed.

The executive of the Tourist associaion held their usual weekly meeting at their rooms, Fort street, yesterday afternoon. Ex-Mayor Chas. Hayward presided, and there were also present: L. G. McQuade, D. R. Ker, Stephen Jones, Jas. Forman, F. I. Clarke, A. Henderson, A. B. Fraser, sr., and Herbert Cuthbert, secretary. Amongst the communications received was one from the Strathcona, Alberta, Board of Trade, asking for the co-operation of the Tourist association in endeaavoring to secure excursion rates to Victoria, for two months during the summer from all points in the Territories. The secretary was instructed to write the board assuring them of hearty support of Victoria in the matter, and pointing out to them the efforts already made by the Tourist association, not only to secure the rates asked for but for the same the rates asked for, but for the same privileges in winter. The C. P. R. will be approached by our local association and knowing the inclination of the company to encourage increased travel to the Coast, there should be little diffi-

SEA BATHING. The standing committees on hotels and sea bathing intend making great efforts to have some popular sea bathing resort established by the opening of the

ADVERTISING. Arrangements are being made for a ery vigorous advertising campaign for this summer. The operations of the larger area than last year, but the territory near home will not be neglected out worked even more thoroughly than ast year. There are no less then 70,-000 books now on the press which will

summer season, and is working towards

ISLAND EXCURSIONS.

ture of an eminent outsider. This is the British fashion, and it can be profitably encouraged in Canada. American public life is weakened by excessive localism, and we, too, have drifted far in that direction. In earlier days the leaders in Canadian politics were welcomed in any constituency, and it would be to the distinct advantage of the country if we could measureably return to that condition. * * * * If there should be trusted to forget party affiliations for the moment, and send a strong man, and, whatever his defects of method and temperament, an honest man, the House of Commons."

The Scottish curlers are, we believe, the House of Commons."

The Scottish curlers are, we believe, the will be able to enjoy the game upder favorable auspices. Why should they will be able to enjoy the game upder favorable auspices. Why should they not be invited to visit Victoria, to see the snowdrops and crocuses in bloom and to rest from their labors for a few days? To come as far as Rossland and miss coming to the Pacific Coast is to miss the greatest possible object lesson in the variety of resources and climate existent in the Dominion of Canada.

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Wm. Gidley
Alex Begg
A Visitor
George Smell

No citizen that has yet been called upon has refused to subscribe and a MARRIED.

CLARK—TURTLE—At the residence of Rev. Dr. Campbell, on the 31st ulto, Walter Scott Clark, to Sydney Harriet Ormsby Turtle, both of this city.

A special appeal is made to those citizens who are interested in the welfare of the city, but man whom it is unlikely.

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So said a man Mon-day who had paid \$32 last week to get a suit made when he accompanied a friend here who bought even a better suit of us for only \$20.00.

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It's the same old story, as old as time. "If I had only known."

Of course, as this man said, he will know better hereafter. He will come to 'Fit-Reform' next time. How is it with you? Have you saved \$10 to \$12 on a suit? Think it over! Look around, if you please, for then you will certainly buy here. "If I had only known."

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WEDDING AT ST. ANDREW'S.

Nuptials of Miss M. J. Parsell and Mr. M. J. Little Last Evening. St. Andrew's Presbyterian church was

the scene at 7:15 o'clock yesterday of a pretty wedding. The contracting parties were Miss Mary J. Parsell and Mr. M.

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Notice is hereby given, in accordance with