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In assuming the duties of responsible political editor of this journal it would appear almost necessary that I should offer some words of explanation to the public. 188.19

Circumstances over which I had no control led me a few months ago to seek Victoria as the proper centre of population and commerce from which the various public questions from time to time arising might most fittingly be discussed. abnot roidy tada-mois 10A very brief trial sufficed to convince me that there was not room for two morning papers, and that in an anxious struggle for mere existence a weak and divided press might be productive of evil in the hour of the Colony's greatest need, by sowing the seed of discordant faction where union could alone conduce to Colonial prosperity. Upon these grounds and upon that of financial considof greatest duration.

erations I concluded to discontinue, the publication of the British Columbian. It is in view of the larger questions likely almost immediately to press themselves upon the attention of the Colonists that I have been induced, in recognition of the importance of possessing a strong and united press, to connect myself with a journal which appeared to present the most fitting medium through which effectively to deal with Colonial affairs.

In assuming a new and in some respects novel position, I venture to think that those who have honoured me with their confidence and support in the past will not see in mere arbitrary conditions anything calculated to lessen the opportunity for promoting those great measures which admittedly underlie. future prosperity.

I may be permitted to invite public attention to the recent union or amalgamation which has taken place in the press, as an example which might be followed with great advantage by the people: If it is important that there the \$500 allowed by the Colonial Govern- yesterday for beating Manuel Narvette; and should be a united and, therefore, strong press to deal with cardinal political on all male adults, and not exclusively on for six months for spitting upon the same inissues, how much more important is it. that there should be a united and, therefore, strong public sentiment, ready to be brought to bear in the right direction. Alarman but materially. noit

We are now entering upon the most

TOTAL ECLIPSE OF THE SUN.-Oa Satar- FROM PUGET Sound,-The str. W. G. Hunt, SEVENTH INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION day next, 7th inst., at noon, will occur the Capt. Waitt, sarived from Puget Sound at 6 eclipse of the sun, which will be nearly to- o'clock last evening with a large number of pastal in this latitude-and passing from Siberia sengers, among whom were Gov. Moore, M. over Behring's Strait and across this continent W. Waitt Esq. wife and family, Rev. Dr. to the Bermudas in the Atlantic Ocean, in- Lindsley, wife and family. The fires across clades within its limits parts of Alaska, the Sound are abating, and stages are again British America, Montana, Dacotab, Nes making their regular tripe. Capt. Myrick braska, Iowa, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana. has our thanks for customary favours The Kentucky and North Carolins. In Alaska Seattle Intelligencer says there is a rumor it will pass within thirty miles of the head of afloat that Collector F. A. Wilson intends Chatham Strait, only two hundred miles from resigning his official position, and Hon Allan Sitks. No total eclipse of the sun has been Francis, late U. S. Consul at Victoria, is visible in any considerable part of this among the number mentioned who have an

country since 1834, and none will be visible eye to the vacancy The new steamer after this year during the present century. Olympia is on her way from New York to The time of totality will be 50 micutes past run on Puget Sound A very large ship is noon, and the length of the total eclipse, 3 being built at Port Madison. minutes and 46 seconds. The southern

ARRIVAL OF THE LADY LAMPSON .- The H limit of totality will cross Mt. Fairweather, B. Co.'s new ship Lady Lampson, Capt. Gan-Barlow Cove and Taccoo Harbor, only ninety din, sailed from the West India Dooks Feb. miles north of Sitks. The diameter of the 22od. Left the docks the 24th ; was detain-Moon will be one twenty-fourth greater than ed with strong gales from the Western Chanthat of the Suo. At Sitka the eclipse will nel : took departure from Ushant 6th March : be almost total, and the time of greatest obcrossed the Equator 25th March ; passed scuration, 111/2 digits, or 0.96 of the Sun's Cape Horn 1st. May; had strong gales of diameter will be obscured. It will comwest wind : saw Cape Horn again the 12th ; M., and end at 2h. 09. P. M. Should the crossed the Equator 12th June ; from thence mence en the right border at 11b. 45m., A light westerly winds and calms ; made Desday be cloudy the effect will be detected by truction Island on 30th July, and anchored the unusual darkness of the day at the time in Esquimalt the 31st at 11 p.m. The ves-

sel will commence discharging immediately TERBIBLE FIRES have raged for some days Goods for Victoria consignees will be brought in the vicinity of Nanaimo. Mr. Brown, a teamers. round by the Com

farmer, with the aid of neighbors and friends G. T. PIONIC .- The members of the Order from Nanaimo, fought the flames for 72 hours of Good Templars, with their lady and genand succeeded in saving his crops, but los tlemen friends, em varked in boats at Lachap much of his fencing. Mr. Westwood, who pelle's yesterday and proceeded to Macauley's sowed all his land with barley, lost his entire Point for a pic-nic. The attendance was crop, and is thrown upon the world penniless large and the enjoyment spirited-although, with a wife and six children to support. Mr. strange to say, there was not a drop of Sabiston's fine farm was seriously threatened. "grog" on the ground. The amusements He escaped with the destruction of part of consisted of racing on foot and in sacks, and his fencing and crops. During the progress games of various kinds. When lunch was of the flames a panic extended among the called, the Good Templars, by the vigorous settlers, and the women and children were

The success of this most deficious and unrivalled Condiment having caused certain dealers to apply the name of "Worcestershire Sauce" to their own inferior compounds, the Public ishereby informed that the only way to secure the genuine is to manner in which they attacked the edibles, ASK FOR LEA & PERRINS' SAUCE proved that if they do not drink they can and to see that their names are upon the wrapper, labels Some of the foreign markets having been supplied with a spurious Worcestershire Sauce, upon the wrapper and labels of which the names of Lea & Perrins have been forged, L. and P. give notice that they have furnished their correspondents with power of attorney. to take instant proceedings against Manufacturers and 'Vendors of such, or any other imitations by which their right may be infineed.

LOCAL BR TIES .- Following are the officers of the Good Templar's Lodge, installed terday. The attendance was good, and will on Friday evening last .-- R Butler, W. C. T.; doubtless increase from day to day. Mr. J. Work, W. V. T.; J. Freeman, W. B. H. Jessop, who for eight years has been Principal S.; W. McDowell, W. L. H. S.; W. Jones, of the Central, has, we are very glad to hear, W. T.; P. Duros, W. F. S.; J. Vaughan, been retained as Principal of the same W. S.; G. Grabam, W. A. S.; A. Levi, W. school by the Municipal Council. The I.G.; D. Iago, W. O G.; D. Richards, W. Council have decided to make the schools O.; W. Reynolds, W. M.; O. Jackson, W. as free as air and to provide the ways and D. M Mr Banster was yesterday sworn means necessary to their maintenance beyond in as councillor John Wall was fined \$25

> PICKLES, SAUCES, JAMS THE STEAMERS .- The Oregonian of the 30th

ult. says : "The next steamer from San Fran-Too BAD .-- It was hoped that if the most cisco after the Pacific, (which sailed on the

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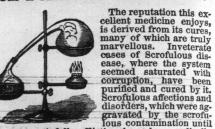
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I nonnee that the Seventh Industrial Exhibition will be open as above, in the spacious Exhibition Building erected on Union Square, in the City of San Francisco, and no pains will be spared to make it complete in all its lous contamination until they were painfully afflicting, have been radically curred in such great numbers in almost every sec-tion of the country, that the public scarcely need to be informed of its virtues or uses. Scroftlous poison is one of the most destructive enemies of our race. Often, this unseen and unfelt details. The Building is water-proof, well ventilated, and light-ed (at night) by 1500 gas jets; is provided with tables for exhibitors' use, and has a line of shafting '200 feet long, provided with necessary pulleys and ample steam power to exhibit working machinery, and covers an area of 90,000 teet. The lines of telegraph wires will be connected in the building, where, also, will be the Postoffice and Express Companies boyes. A fine Band will discourse music every evening and afternoon, and the visitor will find ample provision for his comfort in every particular. The various Hotelsars making extensive preparation to accommodate visitors at moderate rates during the Exhibition season; and the Board of Managers will, through an agent, extend all information to strangers seeking accommodations during their stay in the city at that period. There is no charge to exhibitors (except ticket of ad-mission), and exhibitors are notified that applications for space must be received before August 28th, or space cannot be definitely assigned. Their infended for exhibition must be in the build ing by Staurday, 18th September, and no article can enter for competition unless in position by that time Thuiss and Regulations, Circulars and Blanks will be forwarded on app lication at the rooms of the Mechanics' Institute, 29 Posi street, San Francisco, or by addressing J. H. GILLMORE, Corresponding Secretary, same ad-dress. Articles from the country must be marked distinctly, tetails. The Building is water-proof, well ventilated, and light-

Scrothlous poison is one of the most destructive enemies of our race. Often, this unseen and unfelt tenant of the organism undermines the constitution, and invites the attack of enfeebling or fatal diseases, without exciting a suspicion of its presence. Again, it seems to breed infection throughout the body, and then, on some favorable occasion, rapidly develop into one or other of its hideous forms, either on the surface or among the vitals. In the latter, tuber-cles may be suddenly deposited in the lurgs or heart, or tumors formed in the liver, or it shows its presence by eruptions on the skin, or foul ulcer-ations on some part of the body. Hence the occa-sional use of a bottle of this Sarsaparilla is ad-visable, even when no active symptoms of disease appear. Persons afficted with the following com-plaints generally find immediate relief, and, at length, cure, by the use of this SARSAPARTL LA: St. Anthony's Fire, Rose or Erystpelas, **Tetter, Sait Rheum, Scald Head, Ringworm, Sore Eyes, Sore Ears**, and other eruptions or visible forms of Scrofutous disease. Also in the more concealed forms, as Dyspepsia, Dropsy, Heart Disease, Fits, Epilepsy, Neuraltia, and the various Ulcerous affections of the muscu-lar and nervous systems. **Synkilis or Venereal and Mercurial Diseases** are cured by it, though a long time is required for eubduing these obstinate maladies by any medicine. But long continued use of this medicine will cure the complaint. Leucorrhea or Whites, Uterine

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townspeople went out to his assistance. THE CENTRAL SCHOOL was reopened yes-

ment, a poll-tax will be levied. Let it fall M. Conesa was bound over to keep the peace

householders. If all male adults have not dividual. children it is their lookout and not their

influential petition in favor of White did not 27th,) will be the Oriflamme, which is to sail result in his immediate release it would at August 5th." It is probable that the Orileast have secured to him immunity from the flamme will bring up his Excellency Gov-

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