#### F LOCALS.

onald, who is to take oman Catholic dioceso according to advices ther Brabant, reach

seismograph had the quake felt on the irday night last, and ay morning a well de the important quake been registered at Maryland, observa-

ell will be confined to veral days, owing to a at Esquimalt Monday attempting to board im cars. Mr. Whitwell down on the sidewalk severe sprain of the in-

arton, rector, of Cheed in Christ Church Caing at a special com held in connection with eeting of the Women's issions, which was held

meeting of the Enof the Metropolitan ld Monday evening in the the church. An interwas given during th . Hainsworth on of Longfellow." itations and readings w's works were given.

ball team will be down olay the James Bay at Oak Bay. The game at 10 o'clock in the nainus is reported to lineup this year. The will be as follows: gg, c.; Hughes, 1b.; Shanks, 3b.; Brown, If.; Whyte, cf.; McIlaney and Hall, substi-

was sentenced to one ment with hard labor urt on Tuesday on the ng a cheque knowing it on hearing the sentence nmigration laws as an I have not been two He was told he laims at the end of the iditional eight months two former charges of

y's issue of the Spectaeekly journal published nest McGaffy, secretary ver Island Development article on the recent ng campaign, under the agination and Enthusitoria." In sympathetic affey writes of the part ayed in the inception of agination ruling g to Napoleon—and how ried it through.

occurred on Tuesday er's residence, Mrs. W. 642 Pembroke street, of ighton. Deceased was asgow, Scotland, and f age. He had been a s city for the past 33 well known here and aughters, Mrs. Spofford Clyde, and one son, D. , all of whom reside in

#### ER'S EXPERIENCE.

In your issue of yesterdent gives his impressio e Nechaeo valley. My obis to say that within the s I have travelled a porl myself in search of land twenty odd settlers, but early every good valley all been taken up by ranchago, and what would be nd third rate land left, had chiefly by Americans tained in the Fraser Lake is certainly no land worth in the Nechaco, Bulkley. Chicago, Bonapart and

ions, but wrong in advisburchase a good team of foolish enough to buy a on to go on a land hunt wagon usually take three whipple trees, log chain, I kit of tools. Even then hem in the face, as after boo wagon road there are y of the valleys, but only ne only successful way to thern British Columbia is ree to go together, take g pan, pot, knives. forks, ates, hobbles and tie lines, and oiled slicker; also a d two or more pack sadstage from Ashcroft. rchase five ponies ach, purchase all provi k on the two ponies, each ne others. Then one can nd everywhere they wish, ston at any old spot to y choose. A few min-hobble and tie the t the fire or pitch the tent, The cost is a mer t the purchase of a team and hard to get; wagon, eak, \$20; schooner top, \$15 ess, \$40 upwards; besides Hay and oats must also he ponies can pick up at From old 22-year settler ebster, of Fraser River, ve the climate is sin ins about November 1st JOSEPH P. KEELER.

INS OUTLAW CLUB.

sh., May 19.—Ike Butler local Northwestern ped to the Santa Cruz ub. He packed up and ernoon train for Califorrs last season. Step! by the Tacoma manage Butler blacklisted, it

### NATURALISTS STUDY CARIBOU

INTERESTING ADDRESS BY FRANK KERMODE

Variation in Queen Charlotte Species Was Clearly Explained.

museum, at the regular meeting of The United

the course of his paper Mr. Keraracteristics of the different species the animal, laying particular stress bined with variations in antlers, or of pelage, and general conformity skull and other parts of the body, was an aid in classifying.

New species, said the lecturer, were rmed through the isolation of a large roup of animals, which for a long PLAY FAN TAN FOR he were kept distinct from the rest the race and through peculiarities the country or other reasons devel ed marked peculiarities of structure or instance, the woodland caribou ave the brow antler or plow coming own the face, sometimes almost to the se, while the Queen Charlotte Island caribou are without the brow antler. In describing the caribou of the queen Charlottes, Mr. Kermode stated hat they were very small, about the size of a mule deer and very light in eindeer of the old world. The antiers vere also small, even though the aniold. They were also unusually round,

A number of interesting pictures were then thrown on the screen, and not so marked, makes no difference to these very clearly illustrated the color between the Queen Charlotte variety and the others which were pictured.

Moon and Dong were suitors for Foy on Tuesday, June 22nd, at 10 a.m. and the others which were pictured. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded the lecturer, in which a number of selves who is the better man, a game on his work in connection with the played, but after Moon had won an former efforts to prove their existence. The meeting then adjourned.

OPERATIC STAR TO WED.

Signor Scotti.

Melrose, Mass., May 18 .- Absolute devotion to their art and determination not to marry until their names had beome famous, is the story of four young singers that become known to day as a result of the recent announce ment of the engagement of Geraldine Farrar to Eignor Scotti, the beritone. Ten years ago Miss Farrar was be ginning the career that has developed

ropean musical centres, the agreement was made. Before Miss Farrar anof thee received a letter asking their consent to the marriage. The decision to justify a matrimonal venture, and two weeks later the engage- lighted. ment was made public.

REMARKABLE STORY.

Number of Arrests May Follow Death of Woman in Manitoba.

into the death of Mrs. L. Oust, a young French woman, which occurred recentby at St. Laurent, a settlement forty der up through a tangled mass of wire les northeast of this city, made by the police authorities vesterday, deexpected birth of a child this woman, who was attended by neighbors only, a doctor not being present, went into convulsions and, as supposed by those present, died. A priest was lled in, and he said an effort should be made to save the life of the unborn ild. At his bequest neighbors performed a Caesarian operation and delivered the child alive. The mother was not dead, and during the progress of the rude operation revived, and her thetic showed the agony she was enduring, but it was too late to desist and the operation was completed, the mother dving at its close. The child s living yet and was baptised by the priest. The police will make a number

MAY CALL EXTRA SESSION.

Governor of Washington Awaits Report of Legislative Committee Before Taking Action.

of the legislative investigation comm hows that State Insurance Commissione Schively has been guilty of irregular conduct in the administration of his office, but that he cannot be reached under the law, Governor Hay will, it is believed here to-day, call a special session of the legislature to take up the question of peachment proceedings.

In apparently well informed circles here t is stated that the Governor has adas he receives the report. Just when the report will be submitted is a matter of some doubt, but according to one member

#### ADVANCE IN WAGES

FOR STEEL WORKERS

Announcement is Made by the Independent Com-

Pittsburg, Pa., May 17 .- Announces ment was made last night that 35,000 employees of the iron and steel companies having headquarters here and n this vicinity will receive an advance in wages, averaging 10 per cent on the first of June or the first of July. Some of the manufactures have alinstead of confining his paper to the ready posted notices of the increase bou of Queen Charlotte Islands as and others it is said, will do so with-

the animal, laying particular stress those found on this continent. He owed that size had little to do with identification of species, but when beined with variations in antiers.

This company employs 10,000 men at various points. The Jones & McLaughlin Co. employs 10,000, whose wages, it is said, will all be increased after June 1, It is also en-nounced that after June 1, independent for steel at the present prices

HAND OF CHINESE GIRL

Attack on His Rival.

San Francsico, Cal., May 18.-Because of his ability at fan tan, Ah parations for their wedding are being Charles Dong, who also leved the small which would be that the roll would be for Toy, but whose fan tan ability is not so marked, makes no difference to

that they must decide between themapliments were paid Mr. Kermode of fan tan was agreed upon. They assification of the animals and his easy victory, the defeated one attacked him savagely, and but for the in terference of the police might have in

Engagement of Geraldine Farrar and FIRE BRIGADE CALLED TO BOLESKIN ROAD

Chief Davis Believes Incendiary Was at Work

There. What was declared by Fire Chief

in damage of but a few dollars. flamable material set in a pile under nounced her engagement to Scotti, each the entrance steps outside the school at the time the brigade arrived, and was that Miss Farrar had won fame the fire chief believes the rubbish to regulations be enforced, have been deliberately placed there and

> The brigade also had a run Monday to Sayward's mill at 4.15 p.m. The damage amounted to about two dollars. A false alarm was also rung in

from Government street. The fire brigade is going through a daily drill at the fire hall under the direction of the chief. Monday afternoon the ladder drill was the feature. The men succeeded in running the ladnear the police station. The work was accomplished in a few seconds over two minutes while on the first drill the men occupied eight minutes in the op-eration. The brigade is daily becoming more proficient and are winning congratulations from the chief.

G. T. P. LAYING STEEL TO EDMONTON

shrieks, she not being under an anes- Work on the Ninety Mile Gap is Now in Progress.

> Edmonton, May 18.—Yesterday sav the commencement of steel laying on the Grand Trunk Pacific on the ninetymile gap between Wainwright and Ed-monton. Mr. James, divisional engineer for the division west of Edmonton, is now on his way to the city, having come from Winnipeg to the steelhead at Wainwright, and will pass the city. on through to Pembina, where work on the grading from Pembina is now

> > TOWN QUARANTINED.

Winnipeg. May 18 .- The town of Canora, Sask., has been quarantined owing to an outbreak of smallpox vance information that this, in effect, will | Mounted police are on guard and no the committee report, and he has the one is allowed to leave or enter the tall ready to issue, it is declared, as soon town. No trains are permitted to stop.

DERBY BETTING.

## ASSESSMENT MUCH LARGER

JUMP OF \$3,689,000 IS THE LARGEST YET

Increase General All Over City -Ald. Turner Thinks it Might Be More.

A gratifying increase in the assessment of real estate in Victoria was reported to the city council by City Ascompared with \$15,385, where fast appearing and the present was an ortune time to study them.

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following table will be of interest: 15,385,025 9.255.840 24.640.865 13,718,250 8,226,830 21.945.080 7,877,290 10.646,990 7.526.270 18,173,260 10,675,460 7,206,520 17.881.980 10,712,750 6,945,205 17,657,955 6,754,905 10,735,690 17.490,595 10,814,280 10.840,600 6,326,770 17.167.370

ne had made the statement that the sites. assessment could be increased sufficiently to produce all the revenue need-Defeated Suitor Makes Savage ed to meet the increased expenditure without raising the rate. Last year some lots of his own on Linden avenue had been assessed quite low This year the assessment had been reduced on them, although he considered their value had increased, and he was asking \$300 more a lot for them. The assessor was absolutely straightfor-ward and honest in his work, but had Moon is basking in the smiles of petty too much to do to be able to be sufal from which they were taken was Foy Toy, a Chinatown belle, while pre- ficiently conversant with land values. The mayor said the assessor had far of the people at that point. limost as round as those of the wapiti. made. The fact that Moon bears upon too much work to do, and recalled his The heads and skins were shown and compared and the difference could plainly be seen.

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GIVING OFFENSE

flicted more than facial injury upon his Natural History Society Takes Up Question of Destruction of Plants.

At its regular meeting Monday the ciety was again drawn to the fact that city had several times been notified the flowers in Beacon Hill park are being picked and carried away by chilast every day to gather flowers for the engineer, what was declared by Fire Chief them away in large quantities, so successfully. Associated with her were three other ambitious young singers. They were Ena Kirmess, now the by fire eccurred Monday evening, also of the Milan opera; Elvira Leveroni, also of the Milan opera, and Maude Abramson, favorite soprano of the late composer, Oreste Bimboni.

What was declared by Fire Chief them away in large quantities, at 7.30 on Friday evening.

By-laws were put through their first stages covering the survey of parts of themselves seen the depredations, and themselves seen the depredations are brigade attended in full force and arrived in time to extinguish what might have been a serious blaze, but which have been a serious blaze, but which they separated a decade ago to the city were in the habit the carried them away in large quantities.

The society hesitated to take any action when none of the members had themselves seen the depredations, and the maintenance of boulevards on Belleville street and divulge his name. However, it was common knowledge that nearly all the children of the city were in the habit the carried them away in large quantities.

By-laws were put through their first stages covering the survey of parts of Esquimalt road. Douglas street and Tolmie avenue and the maintenance of boulevards on Belleville street and divulge his name. However, it was common knowledge that nearly all the children of the city were in the habit themselves seen the depredations, and the maintenance of boulevards on Belleville street and divulge his name. However, it was confining attention to our own eastern confining attention of the same through their first at 7.30 on Friday evening.

By-laws were put through their first stages covering the survey of parts of Esqu of picking the flowers, so it was de-Fire Chief Davis found paper and in- cided to ask the executive to draft a resolution to the city council once more asking that regulations be made house door. The steps were burning prohibiting the picking of any flowers or plants in the park, and that the

MANUFACTURERS IN ANNUAL CONVENTION

|Committee on Industrial Education Submits Report.

New York, May 18 .- The National Asciation of Manufacturers' convention pened here yesterday. John Barret, lirector of the bureau of America re ublics, was principal speaker, pleaded for the development of the export trade with South America. A special committee which has been

its report: "Were organized labor conducted long rational lines, it would be a sin exclude it from any movement for the advanceement of the human race but as it now stands, to put it in charge of a movement in the interest of industrial education would be like putting a lamb in the care of a wolf." The report then refers to the defiance of the courts by the labor leaders.

BOY FOUND DROWNED

len by gypsies and for the past three the United States, under way. The steel is to be laid to days searching parties have been ing from an all-night hunt. It apparently had been in the water for some of the disease I observed begging in

INCOME TAX MEASURE.

SITES TO BE CHOSEN BY CIVIC COMMITTEE

Ald. Humber Succeeds in Securing the Adoption of His Resolution.

Ald, Humber moved the resolution o which he gave notice some days ago, calling for the preparation of plans and estimates for five public conveniences and the selection of sites for them by the mayor and three alder-

All the council believed this was museum at the regular meeting of The United States Steel corporation sessor Northcott Monday. The total matter which needed attention, but Natural History Society Monday, has made no announcement of an inded his remarks to cover the caribou family. Some of these Jones & McLaughlin company, the ed at \$17,956,200, compared with \$15,385,
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Ald, Humber said he considered the matter so important that he would in-troduce a bylaw to borrow \$10,000 if troduce a bylaw to borrow \$10,000 if was referred to the fire wardens, who necessary when an estimate of the cost made a report shortly after from which The town of Sali was received from the engineer. Ald. Turner pointed out that in any case the sites could be selected now.

Ald. Henderson reminded council that the engineer had plans which he

prepared a few years ago. Ald, Humber feared that his proposal up at their next meeting, at which he would be killed altogether, in view of wanted Ald. Humber to be present, and the objections raised as to finances, but he had the satisfaction of seeing lie on the table. it go through. The mayor named Alder Ald, Turner said that some time ago the had made the statement that the had made the statement that the men Humber, Turner, and Raymond,

No Float at Causeway Yet. Ald. Bishop remarked that the last of the civic investigation, which never time he was out at the Gorge he noticed the float had been taken away.

Ald. Ross seconded the motion to

leaving no place for people to land.

The mayor said he did not know anything about it.

Ald. Bishop pointed out that the holiday would soon be here, when people would want to use the float. There deal with it," Ald. Ross pointed out. should be a light provided there also. The engineer had been instructed to or three months it is time the committee made a report of some nature," said ing was being done for the convenience | Ald. Turner. "We are entitled to a re-

Russell street, Russell street, from Turner and Ross voted for immediate skinner street to Langford street, and action. Ald. Stewart, McKeown, Mable,

son street owner, billed for local im-provements between Moss and St. Charles streets, that the works were not yet done, although commenced about two years ago. The matter was referred to the

streets committee for report, Wm. Henderson resident architec of the Dominion Department of Public This is a little hot air," remarked brought an outburst and the app Works, returned a tax bill for \$404.56, Ald. Turner, recalling a phrase used ment of a committee to confer ment of a committee ment of a comm stating that the department refused to pay a yearly tax but would pay a bulk sum. There was no use sending bills attention of the Natural History So- till this question was settled, as the The letter was referred to the city

dren, especially by those attending the South Park school. It was stated that pupils of the school were sent out al-The Spring Ridge committee will be

tor will be called to the catterpillar nuisance. The report of the streets, bridges, Russ Humber."

and sewers committee was adopted as 1, Recommended that the work of art, and against it Ald. Humber, Mclabor under the supervision of the city vote, when he stated that the motion engineer. Estimated cost \$2,000. engineer. Estimated cost \$2,000. 2. Recommended that a sewer be ed the opinion that so long as it was onstructed on Chamberlain street confined to one street he had no objec-

ost of \$250. 3. Recommended that permission be ceived representing over 90 per cent. cf granted to Messrs, P. Burns and com- the owners on Douglas steret, from Le Roi No. 2 (milled) ..... 260 pany to construct a driveway over the Humboldt street to Cormorant street, sidewalk at the rear of their premises, asking for Hassam pavement instead O. K. the work to be done by the city under of bithulithic. the supervision of the city engineer at Ald. Turner

LEPERS ROAM THE STREETS OF PONCE

nvestigating industrial education, said European Expert Tells of Laxity of Porto Rican Authorities.

Porto Rican government in the care and control of persons suffering with leprosy was borought to the official attention of the Voltage of the tention of the United States govern- order. ment by Dr. Edward Ehlers, one of a Newark, Ohio, May 18.—The body of have been studying various diseases that Mr. McMicking told him to pay It was thought that the lad was sto- to emigrate and carry the disease into question as to why certain poles on

city. Two men in an advanced stage was passed three weeks ago.

the market place. Dr. Ehlers said the expedition of tection against the company?" Washington, L.C., May 18.—Senator thropist, Meyer Davison, man arranged to Borah, of Idaho, to-day informed the build a laboratory for the study of President that he is determined to push leprosy in the island of St. Croix, in usual remedy. "What is it?" the alderman asked. "What is it?" the alderman asked. Washington, L.C., May 18.—Senator thropist, Meyer Davison, had arranged gineer to the placing of poles, and if coast across country as settlers. In 1856 of the investigating committee it will not be handed in until the inquiry into all the state offices which are to be investigated has been consuded. This would be some Minora; elevente the against Winan's leadership had decided upon this leadership had decided upon this elphantials through mosquitos and the could tell the comparation of the new of its transmission and that of the solicitor's reply.

The mayor stated course at a meeting held last night. this session of congress. He told Taft hoped to study the disease in detail,

THREE MONTHS AND NO REPORT

ALDERMEN TALK OF DILATORY METHODS

At the city council meeting Monday Merits of Paving Materials Again Occupy Attention of Council.

> From time to time little matters cro ip in council illustrating the delays that take place in civic affairs sometimes. Monday, for instance, a letter was read from Dr. C. R. Richards, V.

About three months ago the matter two members dissented. The report was sent back, but nothing has been heard of it since. Dr. Hamilton continues to do the work, as in the past.

Ald. Fullerton, chairman of the wardens, said the matter was to come up at their next meeting, at which he meanwhile Dr. Richard's letter could

"Let us be men and not boys, and good of waiting for the wardens to report? This is something like the repor

deal with the tenders there and then. The mayor objected that the council uld not take the matter out of the hands of the fire wardens. "But they are taking a long time to

wardens report.

A New Paving Material. Again, a little later, there was a higrest state courts. The police say lose vote on the matter of Cormorant they will act according to orders; treet paving, which is to be laid with las street to the east side of Store OUTPUT OF MINES

Ald. Turner, replying to questions said granitoid was a proved pavement.

Ald. Fullerton declared that if this their nature studies, and that they carried them away in large quantities.

The Spring Ridge committee will be Ald. Fullerton declared that if this asked to meet the streets committee pavement was going to be laid as an experiment he would vote against it. Over Thirty-eight Thousand

For granitoid there voted Ald. Turner, Raymond, Bishop, Ross and Stew- umbia:

from Cowan avenue northerly, at a tion to a material being tried. From J. L. Skene, a petition was re-Ald. Turner declared that he had a

lot of information showing that Hasam pavement was a failure and had never been laid twice in any city. He would be sorry to see it laid here. Ald. Henderson remarked that he Granite Poorman (milled).

The petition will be sent to the city assessor, as against the bithulithic bylaw, but if the latter is defeated the question will still be open,

Telephone Poles.

H. C. While the permutation of the control of th wrote to thank the council for its ac- Granite Poorman ...... 

Ald, Fullerton said the foreman of the work, when spoken to, had stated

Government street could not be re-"In the city of Pence," he said, "I moved, the solicitor was understood to scouring the hills for miles around. The body was discovered by a party returnsaw many victims in the streets of the law; that the one he had reference to

"Then what position are we in? asked Ald. Turner. "Have we no prowhich he was a member, which was Mr. Mann replied that the company dead on the reservation at Fort Simfinanced in part by a Danish philan- had to get the approval of the city en- coe. In 1843 he saw whites come to the

could tell the company to remove its This, he said, was accidental.

poles, but the company's contention was that the city must pay for the OAK BAY AND Ald. Henderson mentioned another

case of an unsightly anchor post on Humboldt, put up without the permission of the engineer in addition which the company had deliberately cut a hole in the cement sidewalk. Mr. Whiffen's letter was referred to the engineer and solicitor for action

HOUSES SWEPT AWAY BY FLOOD

The Property Loss in Porto Rico Will Be Very

San Jaun. Porto Rico. May 18 .- Considerable damage to property in Hummany houses, has been washed away

Heavy.

The town of Salinas also has been partially inundated, and the Yabucca sugar district has suffered damage estimated at \$1,000,000. The new electrical power plant at Comerio Falls has been badly damaged, and a washout on the San Juan Caguas railroad will cause a suspension of traffic for some time. The river along the railread rose 23 feet.

ENFORCING SUNDAY LAWS. Practically Every Show at Coney Island Will Be Closed Under New Order.

New York, May 18 -- Gay Coney Island where Sunday frivolity exceeds the combined frivolity of the other six days of the week, was hit by a black cloud of the blue laws yesterday. An order went forth from the office of Mayor McClellam that here-"It does appear to me that after two after there shall be shows in operation at the resorts on six days in the week but no more. In brief, Sunday licenses port and I think the committee are to will be refused all "commen" shows, ready early in the year.

It was decided that the first sitting of the court of revision will take place on Tuesday, June 22nd, at 10 a.m.

PICKING OF FLOWERS

A protest was read from a Richard
A protest was wardens report.

His worship made a statement about Heretofore beer has flown more freely the statement and the statement about Heretofore beer has flown more freely His worship made a statement about his not having a costing vote, but having an equal right to vote with the other members, and corrected the statements in the city papers that his casting vote had accepted the parks come, all shows requires in costume were closed Sunday. This caused consternation, what was predicted to come board resignations,
"This is a little hot air," remarked brought an outburst and the appointment of a committee to confer with the mayor. The showmen say that they will fight for their rights to the

OF SOUTHEASTERN B. C.

Tons Shipped During Past Week.

Nelson, May 17. — The following are part of the reserve. wood blocks," said Ald. Humber. "No Yankee can come over here and switch Russ Humber."

The ore shipments and smelter receipts this to the streets committee, objected to having all sorts of unnecessary work in tons, for Southeastern British Colpiled on that committee, instead of being

Golden Eagle ...... 60 276 useful action the council could take to Other mines ...... 140.601 help the company if the company had the Rossland-Centre Star ...... I. X. L. ..... Other mines ..... Total ...... 4,387 Slocan-Kootenay-250 had heard the same of bithulithic, if Whitewater Deep (milled) 700 it came to that. Second Relief (milled) .... Nugget (milled) ..... Whitewater Deep ...... Silver King ..... Total ..... 3,310 67,204

Grand total .........28,423 696,425 Smelter Receipts. Newark, Ohio, May 18.—The body of Johnny Altmeyer, who has been missing from his home in this city since Friday, was found yesterday floating in the Licking river near the outskirts of the city.

It was thought that the lad was sto-law form the strong to emigrate and carry the disease into DIES AT AGE OF 110.

Chief Passes Away at Fort Simcoe,

North Yakima, Wash., May 18,-Chief Spencer, aged 110 years, a Klickitat, is

# CITY AT ODDS

SUBURB SAYS IT WILL CURB UNDESIRABLES

City Fathers Retort That it Had Better Close Bars Sundays.

The municipal councils of Oak Bay and Victoria are having a little disagreement just now, and while they will doubtless be good friends again next week they are not playing in each other's yards this

Oak Bay residents fear that their henrecests may suffer from some of the race track followers, and they hold the city responsible as being the owner of the fair grounds. In protesting, however, their representatives in council made the mistake of talking of the race meet as being "promoted" by the Victoria council. This naturally made the latter wrathy when a copy of Oak Bay's resolution was read in council meeting on Menday, and was directly responsible for a decision arrived at, asking Oak Bay to close up all its hars as Sunday so that thirsty Victorians bars on Sunday so that thirsty Victorians can be saved from temptation. Some members of the council seem to think that there are a large number needing this sort of protection, whatever the facts

The clerk of Oak Bay municipality for-warded a resolution, regretting that Vic-toria had allowed "persons of doubtful reputation to land on the Island," asking for instructions to the police to exercise greater vigilance, and stating that if the aforesaid persons became a nuisance at the "race meeting promoted by the Mayor and aldermen" Oak Bay would take steps to protect itself.

Mayor Hall protested against the reference to the "promoting" of races, and was backed up by the aldermen. "Nor did we knew, nor had we any idea, of the length of time it was intended to run the meeting." said His Worship. "Personally, I am not an advocate of it." His Worship said the Country Club had eased the grounds from the B. C. Agri-

ultural Society. The council had nothing to do with it. of any conflict was for the city to take in the district in which the grounds were. The Mayor said the Country Club was looking after it. He was not in a position to say whether there were any undestrables at the track.

The leter was filed. The Retort Courteous "If Oak Bay has got so moral let them close the Willows place," said the Mayor. "It is open on Sundays, and a lot of Vic-toria citizens go out there on Sundays when they cannot get liquor in the city."
"Names," demanded Ald. Humber.

"If they are so strict on their morals they can close that up," continued the Ald. Henderson moved that, in view of the fact that many people went out to the Willows and returned in an intoxicated condition on Sundays, the municipality of

"How do you know drinking goes on there on Sunday?" Ald. Humber asked the Mayor. "Have you ever seen any?" The Mayor had not. Ald. Humber suggested ironically that Ald. Humber suggested ironically that the council had better include all bars on the Island.

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The resolution was adopted, Ald. Humber dissenting.

Another letter from the same source complained of health conditions on Foul Bay road, which, were blamed on the city, and the engineer will be asked for a report. Songhees Reserve. The Songhees reserve question will be considered at a special meeting of the council on Thursday evening. This was decided on the reading of a letter from

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great deal whether the city was at the back of the company or not. Ald. Stewart made the half-humorous. 15 expropriation of the whole reserve, and the sooner the better.

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Ald. Turner pointed out, however, that while the company could expropriate for allway purposes it, would not be able to hand the rest over to the city.

A further communication from the Board of Trade in regard to the B. C. Electric Railway Co.'s Jordan river plans was received and filed. There was to have been a special meeting of council to consider that matter, but a new date will have to be fixed to suit R. H. Sperling, who cannot get here for Thursday, the date first fixed.

Official Map Needed.

Official Map Needed. Another matter which will be taken up at the meeting on Thursday is that of a map of the city. The need for this has frequently been brought to the attention of council. It was once more urged on them in a letter from Francis A. Devereux, C. E. who pointed out the very serious differences which exist between present street lines and property boundaries and the original surveys, a thing which is bound to lead to much and coatly trouble

city Solicitor Mann, who has also points ed this out, said it was a strange anomaly that no efficial map exists except as te sequence would be a repetition of the victoria West trouble at some future day, and in a very much worse form. A map could be prepared for \$3,000 or \$4,000, and by copyrighting it the city might get some return on the expense.

The matter will be threshed out on Thursday night.

CONCILIATION BOARD.

Ottawa, May 18 .- The board of conit did not obtain this the city had the usual remedy.

"What is it?" the alderman asked.

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Which was going down the Columbia to adjust the same, consists of Rev. H.

The mayor stated that the council river, near the Cascades, in cances. R. Grant, Fernie; Colin Macleod, Macleod, and F. H. Sherman, Taber,