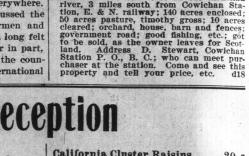
## VICTORIA SEMI-WEEKLY COLONIST THURSDAY, DECEMBER 22 1898

 A is more reaching in the states and reaching in the states an ver did not pass from the crown. The purpose of sening them, but die hain intention was otherwise, and some of the most prominent lawyers in Canada that is to develop it so as to ascertain the most prominent lawyers in Canada that is to develop it so as to ascertain the most prominent lawyers in Canada that is to develop it so as to ascertain the most prominent lawyers in Canada that is to develop it so as to ascertain the most prominent lawyers in Canada that is to develop it so as to ascertain the most prominent lawyers in Canada that is to develop it so as to ascertain the government, and not a man in oppo-the government, and not a man in oppo-sition ever rose in his place in the house the government as the supporters of the government, and not a man in oppo-sition ever rose in his place in the house the promosed Nicaraguan canad the most prominent lawyers in Canada believed that the precious as well as the base metals went to the grantees, but the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council held otherwise, so that in this that it is the interest of the company ready to the Judicial London to the privy that mines upon its property shall be de Council held otherwise, so that in this time. It is the interest of the company holds its lands upon its property shall be de-precisely the same terms as to minerals that makes and it is ready to do anything that makes and it is ready to do anything that makes and the same way and with just as ents alike had the ear of the late gov-that mines upon its property shall be de-veloped, and it is ready to do anything that makes and the same way and with just as ents alike had the ear of the late gov-the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, which shall be de-remment in the matter of appropriations. But it appears that we are to have a of course the United States can give precisely the same terms as to minerais as every one else in British Columbia holds theirs. Under the law of British Columbia the right of anyone to enter the company is vastly more concerned Columbia the right of anyone to enter upon the land of any person or corpora-tion and prospect for minerals is the same, whether the property entered upon is one or one million acres, and we beg than any individual can be. The land is one or one million acres, and we beg than any individual can be. The land is one or one million acres, and we beg is one of one minimum acres, and we beg to doubt whether any legislature can be found that will make one law for the E. & N. railway company and another E. & N. railway company and another take mineral development. The company have been brought up to lives of more take mineral development. The company have been brought up to lives of more take mineral development. The company have been brought up to lives of more take mineral development. The company have been brought up to lives of more take mineral development. The company have been brought up to lives of more take mineral development. The company have been brought up to lives of more take mineral development. The company have been brought up to lives of more take mineral development. The company found that will make one law for the most fixely to induce people to under seek salaried positions with no matter which made the member of a constitu-take mineral development. The company has met the wishes of prospectors in the has met the wishes of prospectors in the real work of the world to be done by nication of its needs to the government. for every one else. The Canadian Fact, has net the wishes of prospectors in the real work of the world to be done by nication of its needs to the government, substantially the same tenure as the is shown by the number of locations substantially the same tenure as the mode, which indicate that the helt has E. & N. Is it proposed to undertake made, which indicate that the belt has social tree is always dying at the top. was intended to place the government in E. & N. Is it proposed to undertake made, which mutate that the best has social tree is always dying at the top. to interfere with its grants also? We been very largely prospected already. It fancy that Mr. Cotton will find himself. Unstand of this concentrate between the between t and his government up against a rather Instead of this co-operation between the father was a man of influence." The say to members and to voters that the and his government up against a rather formidable obstacle, if they attempt to alter contracts made in good faith be-tween railway corporations and the tween railway corporations and the tween railway corportions and the porton function of a source made against a breach of the faith of the contract had invested their money in Canada, and the object Dominion. He says that the govern- pectors by litigation? He cannot get begin at the point where their fathers, the best chance of receiving considera-



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## A POINT

Secret Paper to Court

Death Presc cials Gui

By Associated I Paris, Dec. 1 this afternoon scenes in the Lasies, anti-ser -ernment on th indiscretions of the Dreyfus a mer premier, M constitution, an court of cassat Loewes, he sa German officia Lasies was int protests. The minister of replied that he as wishing to i

the court of cas to submit to t documents in his solutely determi secret batch of which, he pointe affecting the secu added that if the of his attitude, h M. Lasies said the circumstance Dreyfus trial was he thanked M. do ing official conf that the secret frequently refer then withdrew The chamber 1 pellation by M. condition upon w could be comm cassation, as, he court were put in documents, the wh was vitiated. M. Dupuy, the unless guarantees were forth coming not communicate court. The prem impossible to show defence unless the solutely assured of M. Brisson said ment in the Drey affect the security ined the entire do ery of the Henry f them all suspicious M. Cavaignac, for interjected: "M. B examined the doct necessary to show offered to show M. ments in the hands which there were ments in the hands which there were conviction, but M useless to examine After further de of the most ani chamber by a vote proved of the gove Paris. Dec. 19.-Dreyfus will leave 3 and arrive in Par London, Dec. 19.-

cassation, according from Paris, has d Dreyfus dossier, und lish its contents.

Paris, Dec. 20.-7 says this evening: dossier was handed cassation to-day un it should not be co

counsel for Drey



the faith of the contract had invested their money in Canada, and the objec-tion would prevail with all reasonable is guilty of a gross attempt to deceive

voters of Cowichan. Mr. Cotton sat in ter which must be left to the good judg-City, causing much sickness, and the imthe house session after session and never so much as raised his voice to suggest that the rights of the E. & N. railway

they can be contailed in another; they can be so cut down as to be of abso-should be reserved for the miners, and It would be utterly unreasonable to atcould be taken away by the legislature. He has waited until he got among the littly no value whatever. We do not mining purposes—if not free, then at the tempt to make the present population of people of Cowichan to propound the un-British doctrine of repudiation. where the people of Cowichan will be parties to anything like confiscation. we do not believe that the people of Cowichan will be parties to anything like confiscation. we do not believe that the people of Cowichan will be parties to anything like confiscation. The people of Cowichan will be parties to anything like confiscation. be parties to anything like confiscation. not exist, and mining-which gives any tion for the improvements necessary to But what are the facts in regard to And this observation applies also to the gives any value to the Yukon-cannot be open it up for colonization and industry of the second prospectors and the E. & N. land belt? sale of land to settlers. Nothing would carried on.

prospectors and the E. & N. land belt? she of land to betters. It outing would carried on. They are simply these: Hundreds of please the company better than to see its people go upon the land of the company lands, occupied by settlers, but if it proevery year and prospect wherever they poses to exercise the ordinary rights of pany in the mining region, as such would the cost, and they can be made to do like, without so much as saying "by your leave" to any one. They are as free to go upon the company's land as they are ichan will be disposed to find fault. Most ment, and that all concessions already ments. Such a policy must necessarily upon vacant crown lands. No one asks people, who cherish British instincts, will made should be cancelled. With regard be only temporary; that is, no province

them a dollar for the privilege; no one raise their voices in protest against an to Yukon matters oue point should be can go on borrowing indefinitely. But a even asks that they shall give notice of attempt to take away rights given in kept steadily in view by the government: good financier can easily keep within their intention. Any man in the world the most solemn manner possible. The The protecting and fostering of the mincan go upon any part of the company's rights of the E. & N. company in its ing industry. If the laws are too se-

land and prospect for the precious metals lands were not acquired through inad- vere, and the best part of the country is dent to any one in touch with the Lonwhenever he likes. If a prospector finds vertence. They are in point of fact less given over to speculators in timber lim- don money market, and is proved by the the precious metals on the land he does than it was originally intended they its and water rights, mining will be price quoted for our outstanding in not notify the company. He acts just the should be. To come in at this late day, crushed and the Yukon rendered value scribed stock. same as he would if the find were on and promise to cut down those rights, less. This region cannot be wisely ad- The greatest objection to Mr. Semlin's

crown land, that is he records it with the displays a disregard of the principles ly-ministered, except in accordance with proposition is the gross immorality of it. ioner. He does not have to ing at the foundation of British justice local conditions, by competent persons He has substantially told the people of health. She was stricken down with an gold com go near the company, until he wants to acquire title to the land. Then he in-but we do not know that anything else variably finds that he has to deal with a company which is highly reasonable, as its records show. Much has been said about the regulation promulgated in do not apply to British Columbia.

June, 1897, by the company. There was A United States judge suggests that does it by wholesale. There probably to themselves, and refuse the services she could not get the proper rest at night. a great deal of talk abont it in the leg-the Philippines might be exchanged for never was in politics anything equal to of a gentleman, whose whole interests Islature. To hear some of those people, British possessions nearer home. The his declaration to the people of Cowi- are bound up with those of the constituwho prospect chief; with their mouths and upon the credulity of the public, deand upon the creating of the public, de-liver themselves upon this subject; one would suppose that the regulation would scare every prospector away from the more. railway belt. But what were the facts?

They were that prospecting went on more Pain from indigesion, dyspepsia, and he said, it is to the advantage of Cowi- sent this attempt to interfere with their They were that prospecting went on more vigorously than ever. Between June 1st, too hearty eating, is relieved at once by chan to have a representative who has free expression of opinion as voters of free All druggists. \$1, six for \$5.3Get Hood's when the regulation was first published, taking one of Carter's Little Liver Pills the ear of the government. and October 21st of the same year, immediately after dinner. Don't forget inter are several objections to this imagine that they are poor creatures in-ninety-three claims were located in Al-

the faith of the contract had invested their money in Canada, and the objec-tion would prevail with all reasonable men. Will Mr. Cotton tell us why the E. & N. company should be accorded different treatment? Is the fact that the stock of that company is owned chiefly by our own neighbors a reason why faith should not be kept with the stockholders? Mr. Cotton knows perstockholders? Mr. Cotton knows per- ed them. The reply to this is that over their own names, lest they should be ury. Mr. Turner and his colleagues feetly well that the legislation, which he already made. To attempt to give subjected to unfair treatment, and per would have found money in the future a moment's attention, but if the Cana-dian people were convinced that it was written by one of our commissioners the promises, would never be allowed to re- the public rights in the land of the com- secution for making charges. Mr. Mac- as they found it in the past, for neces promises, would never be allowed to re-main on the statute book by the Do-minion government. He is not the fool that his speech makes him appear to bus, He is simply indulging in a little Duns-muir-baiting in the hope of deceiving the voters of Cowichan. Mr. Cotton sat in

FAME'S PATHWAY.

family of 22, and is a sister, and not, as is generally supposed, the daughter of Tom Robertson, the dramatist. Miss Cissy Loftus, alias Mrs. Mc-Carthy, has probably received more of-fers of marriage than any other lady. Miss Loftus, however, is too modest to admit the soft impeachment, though her friends are quite ready to testify to the number and wealth of her suitors.

**Perfectly Cured** Weak and Low Spirited - Nervous **Prostration - Appetite Poor and** Could Not Rest. "I take great pleasure in recommending

Cowichan that, if he remains in power, they may expect no favors unless they fered with headaches and her nerves were

BRIBERY BY WHOLESALE. accept as their representative an im-Whatever else may be said in regard ported representative from the Mainto Premier Semlin, it must be confessed land, a gentleman whom his own con-that when he goes in for bribery he stituents rejected for causes best known

government cannot possibly meet all demands. Under these circumstances, people of Cowichan if they do not re-



it should not be co counsel for Dreyfus side the court." The Chamber of 1 another Dreyfus del eph Fournier, social moved a resolution chise upon soldiers, gency for it. He t pound his views, wh uproar. The prem plied: "I should h Dreyfus affair had country enough has new proposal would The country wants chised army to safe ence, and we do not cers the means of forum. We must army." The motiv then defeated by 47? In the senate a st place over a bill in for espionage and t frequent references ually the bill, which state officials who a in time of peace, wa in time of peace, wa MORE BLAC Mines at Pana Now Time—White Str Pana, Ill., Dec. 2 arrived in Panan held up by the sold their arms before be ceed to the coal mi are now about 400 n mines are operated a mines are operated a white union miners for the state scale. A BOYCOTT Washington Distric Against Thi Knights Washington, Dec. of the district cou the demurrer to the Knights of Labor c Knights of Labor c ous decision, stated combines as that a ment the injured in disadvantage and tion of the law. The case is again District assembly, who are charged wi jure the business of because he refused wagons in the Distri the court, in overr the court, in overr said a conspiracy to demeanor at common conspiracy to crush son in his trade or The attempt by the the court, to control tiff, was impertinen pressive interference liberty of another.

Will positively cur prevent its return—( Pills. This is not ta pill a dose. See ad pill, small dose, smal