m THE DAILY COLONIST, May 2. OBJECT TO FUMIGATION.

Chinese Immigrants Take Habeas
Corpus Proceedings Against the
City Health Officer.

They Are, However, Much Against Their Will, Well Washed at Ross Bay.

The Chinese have never taken very kindly to the fumigation process through which the city puts them on their arrival from China, yesterday they took steps to have s legal test made of the city's powers in the matter. City Health Officer George A. Duncan was on hand bright and early to receive the new arrivals by the Empress and when the long, tedious customs examina-tion was concluded, the squad of city police promptly corralled the 56 Chinese and 25 "Japa" for the purpose of taking them out to the suspect station at Ross. Bay so that they might there be put through the purification process. The Japs did not seem to be alarmed at the prospect of a bath, and went along like lambs, but the Chinese proceeded to register a vigorous kick.

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The Chinese immigrants and their friends in the city had already called in the services of the lawyers, the case being put in the hands of Drake, Jackson & Helmcken. Mr. Aikman of that firm being out at the outer wharf during part of the day to look after his clients' interests. However, he was absent, when Dr. Duncan had marshelled the big wagons and had the numerous impediments of the Mongolians loaded up; and the expected passengers didn't climb up on top of their loads when the doctor intimated "All aboard for bath" Not much. The new arrivals began instead to act in anything but a pesceable manner, and the majesty of the law in the forms of four or five stalwart constables headed by Sanitary Inspector Conlin had to content with what looked like the inception of a first class row. More help was telephoned for, and several constables were dispatched to reinforce their comrades at the wharf.

Services of the care mony.

The committee appointed by the congregation of St. Addrew's (R.C.) Cathedral to arrange a reception to be tendered His Lordship Bishop Lemmens on his return, met last evening to arrange a reception to be tendered His Lordship Bishop Lemmens on his return, met last evening to arrange a reception to be tendered His Lordship Bishop Lemmens on his return, met last evening to arrange a reception to be tendered His Lordship Bishop Lemmens on his return, met last evening to arrange a reception to be tendered His Lordship Bishop Lemmens on his return, met last evening to arrange a reception to be tendered His Lordship Bishop Lemmens on his return, met last evening to arrange the final details. The congregation will be duly notified of the date of the reception through the press.

The British Columbia Cattle Company have received a consignment of Australian mutten, which a number of connoisseurs who have had the pleasure of partaking of it in sample roasts pronounce the finest meat that has been placed on this market. The British Columbia Cattle Company will receive regular co

company, of San Francisco.

Off they were dispatched to the suspect station without any further trouble, and their lawyers in the meantime took steps to have a writ of habeas corpus issued. About 7:30 Mr. H. Dallas Helmcken applied to Mr. Justice Walkem for a writ, which was granted, and later in the evening Dr. George Dancan was served with an order from the court to produce at 10 o'clock this morning in the law courts, the bodies of fifty-six Chinamen with unpronouncable parames.

Company, of San Francisco.

THE A O U.W. reception and ball at Ladners on the evening of the 11th, promises to be a treat; anyone who can get away should take advantage of the cheap fares offered by the C.P.N. Co. Those who attend will certainly have an enjoyable time "in the heart of the cream and butter section of the province." Tickets are on sale now, and may be secured from Mr. Gustav Leiser or at T. N. Hibben & Co's.

While this was going on in town the sus-

GIRDLING THE GLOBE.

The Latest Candidate for Fame This Kind Passes Through Victoria.

This Time Sixty-Four Days is the Mark-The Straits Settlement Commander.

George Griffeth, of Pearson's Weekly, the London journalist who is on his way round the world in an attempt to make the circle of the globe in 64 days, was a passenger by the Empress yesterday, and is now, according to his calculations, twenty hours ahead of time.

He is a tall, sparely built young man, with a considerable amount of energy, and seems to have all his arrivals and departures at the various points "figured down remarkably fine." Cooks, of tourist fame, had made all his arrangements, he remarked, and so far things have worked out very smoothly. In fact Mr. Griffeth hopes to get back to London one day shead of his schedule.

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He has changed his mind about going by way of Montreal, and will branch off at Moosejaw to the Soo line, reaching New York by way of St. Paul and Chicago. He expects to arrive at New York on the 7th instant in time to take the North German Lloyd steamer Trave the next day. Then, with 24 hours to the good, he expects to arrive in London without dropoing the advantage he has gained in time.

"I have spent seven days assers since I started," he explained yesterday in the course of a hasty conversation just before the tender left the Empress, "and that was practically wasted time. Forth-eight hours were lost at Hongkong, but twenty-four of those were made up between there and Yokohama, which city I reached on April 17. I have had a telegram sent on to Yanoouver to hold the results.

Singapore club at which the Governor of the Settlement was present.

Sir Charles, when he assumed command at the Straits Settlements, undertook with a will the task of strengthening the defences of the colony, and the result is that at Singapore to-day there is one of the strongest fortresses in Asia, with a garrison whose readiness and perfection of mobilization cannot be surpassed.

At one time Sir Charles was perhaps the most abused man in the colony by people who were inclined to find fault with his methods Bat, regardless of what any one thought or said, he kept on the even tenor of his way, doing his duty unmindful of the

attacks showered upon him, until finally people began to understand him better, and in the end the very people who were his greatest detractors became his strongest admirers, and the regret when he resigned his post was universal.

THE CITY.

In is understood that the legal steps taken to quash the civic electric light by law have been dropped.

Ar the meeting of the Y.L.I. No. 33 last evening Miss M Dwyer was elected delegate to the seventh Grand Council, to be held in San Francisco on July 2.

THE Alberni paper mill is now all ready for operations, the machinery being tested on Saturday and found to work most satisfactorily. Operations begin this week for turning out a regular supply of paper.

Twenty men of the Royal Engineers, who are to assist in the construction of the Esquimalt fortifications, arrived from the East yesterday evening. They are men of fine physical and military bearing, armed with the latest magazine rifle.

More help was telephoned for, and several constables were dispatched to reinforce their comrades at the wharf.

By the time that they arrived upon the scene, better thoughts had prevailed and the Chinese consented to pack themselves on top of their belongings and take part in the parade.

WORK on the erection of a new Chinese of Government street, between Fisgard and Herald, will shortly be commenced. The building is to cost in the neighborhood of \$4,000, and will, it is understood, be a two-story frame structure. It is to be built for one of the societies in connection with the Yune Wah Company, of San Francisco.

YESTERDAY the Mount Baker hotel at While this was going on in town the suspects were being put through their bath right merrily at Ross Bay, and with such good effect that the performance was nicely completed by the time the papers were served.

The case will come up in court this morning, but is questionable whether the 56 will be there, for they being cleaned and given an inght's lodging were to be turned loose at 7 o'clock this morning, to go where they please. Their baggage will be fumigated to-day—at least that was the intention.

YESTERDAY the Mount Baker hotel at Ook Bay opened for the season under the management of Mr. J. A. Virtue, who last year gained a most enviable reputation for that enjoyable summer resort. The high state of excellence then attained through Mr. Virtue's capable superintendence will be fully kept up, and no doubt the hotel will be well patronized by the public. As an additional attraction Mr. Virtue has arranged to secure the B C B G. A. band for one day eachlweek, an attention that will be appreciated by the guests of the hotel.

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An arrangement has been made for the construction of an electric railway for the city of Nanaimo, with an extension to the town of Wellington. The line will be about ten miles in length, and the equipment the best system now in use. Among those interested are several Victorians, from whom it is learned that the road will be pushed through without delay, and likely be in operation by the 1st of September. By the construction of this railway the city of Nanaimo will be greatly benefitted, as it will bring the towns of Northfield and Wellington within easy access of the Coal City. From present indications there is no doubt but that the enterprise will be a success.

SALVATION ARMY HOME.

plains itself:
"There is a grand and noble work go "There is a grand and noble work going on from day to day in an institution at 66 Second street, Work estate, that the great majority of even Victoria citizens, let alone those of the other Coast cities, know nothing about, nor do many of them even dream of its existence. I refer to the Salvation Army 'Provincial Resoue home and children's shelter.' There toil two brave and devoted women officers of that organization who, though confronted by difficulties and disadvantages in every shape and form,

women officers of that organization who, though confronted by difficulties and disadvantages in every shape and form, especially during these hard times, cheerfully go about their work week after week as though they enjoyed riches and plenty, Easign Fitzpatrick, of Winnipeg, is in charge, and is assisted by Captain Heaelip, late of Montreal. On visiting the home I was cordially received by the former and shown through the rooms, and was especially struck with the exquisite cleanliness and perfect order that prevailed everywhere. The ensign readily gave any information that was desired and seemed very anxious that some of the ladies of Victoria, and also risitors from other parts of the province should call and inspect the home and shelter. "I understand that although it naturally cannot be maintained without subscriptions, they aim as far as possible to make the institution self supporting, and sewing of all descriptions is gladly taken in, also dress making. There are but five inmates at present, three of whom are children, but the ensign informed me that, with the exception of needing a few cots or cribs for the latter, they have accommodation for more. Children whose mothers are compelled to make a living are taken in and eared for, also given instruction, for whatever remuneration is convenient to the parent. Fallen girls are fitted for situations which are procured for them before they leave; quite a large percentage having passed through satisfactorily who have come, not only from Victoria, but other parts of the Coast. The home is kept up principally by donations. Food, groceries, provisions, clothing, ate, are gratefully received, even though in the smallest possible quantity. Thanking you for allowing this apace in your valuable columns, I sincerely hope that

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Says that rather than try
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THE WORLD OF SPORT.

Celebration Arrangements Advancing— Two Suggestions for the Regatta Committee.

The Junior Lacrosse Schedule-Canoe Club Cruise on Satur-

The committee on Finance in connection with the forthcoming celebration met last evening at the City Hall, when a letter was read from His Honor the Lieut. Governor losing his check for \$25 towards the festival fund. An application from the Printing committee for \$250 for advertising purposes was received and passed, and a similar application from the Regatta com-mittee was tabled, to be dealt with when a satisfactory estimate can be formed of the amount to be contributed by the citizens. The following amounts had been received since the last statement of the Finance comnittee was issued :

"I was a little surprised on reading the programme of the regatta, on Sunday merning, to find that no provision had been made for a race for professional oarsmen. This must certainly have been an oversight on the part of the committee and should be at conce rectified, as there are quite a number of the young men of the city who have, through no fault of their own, become professionals, and it is unfair to debar them from taking part in sports which are provided with the citizens'money. I would also suggest that a prize be offered for a race to be rowed in regular sealing boats, of which there must be several about the harbor. I trust that these races can be arranged by the regatta committee before it is too late."

LACROSSE. THE JUNIOR SCHEDULE. STAR

At a meeting held last evening of the committee of the Victoria lacrosse club to whom was left the arrangement of the junior schedule. 15 was decided to divide the junior teams into two districts—Mainland and Island. The Mainland club will include the West Enders and Moonlighters of Westminster and the Vancouver juniors; while the Island clubs are the Nanaimos and the Stars and James Bays of this city. The teams are to play home and home matches, and the champions of the respective districts will play the final in Victoria on or about the 25th of August. The following is the 45hedule addred for the Island games, subject to alteration if necessary: eration if necessary:

June 2.—Stars v. Nanaimo, at Victoria. June 16.—Stars v. James Bay. at Victoria. June 30.—James Bays v. Nanaimo, at Na

July 7.—Stars v. James Bays, at Victoria, July 21.—Stars v. Nanaimo, at Nanaimo. Aug. 16.—James Bays v. Nanaimo, at Victoria,

AN OUTING SATURDAY.

At a general meeting of the Wictoria Canoe Club, held last evening at 30 Broad street, the following new members were elected: F. M. Rattenbury, Chas. Quinnan, A. C. Martin, F. C. Quigley, R. Cooper, Fred. Wollaston, J. M. McGregor, and F. A. C. Armfelt. The first outing of the canoe club will take place on Saturday, the 5th inst., when a cruise up the Arm will A correspondent has sent in for publication the following letter, which fully explains itself:

"There is a grand and noble work going to the resignation of Mr. C. M. Page, who is spending the summer in England, Mr. F. G. White was lected secretary-treasurer. The constituand a report from the secretary was read, showing that the club commences its second year of sport with a good balance on hand.

THE GUN. TACOMA WILL BE ON HAND.

The Victoria Gun Club held a well attended meeting in the Hotel Victoria last evening, at which two new members were initiated. A communication from the Tacoma Rod and Gun Club, respecting the tournament here on the Queen's Birthday, was read, expressing the Tacoma club's willingness to participate, which the home club are anxious that they should do, receiving some encouragement in the way of suitable prizes to be competed for. Not only is the Tacoma club expected to take part in the calebration, but Seattle, Vancouver, Ladner's Landing and other places will also be represented. It was decided at last evening's meeting to send for a quantity of English partridge eggs at once, and also to accept the invitation of the Union Gun Club to shoot a friendly match on Saturday, the match to take place at the Oak Bay traps.

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PARIS, May I.—All the jurors who found the anarchist Henri guilty have received letters threatening their lives. They, as well as the judges, prosecutors and court officers who were concerned in the trial, are receiving special police protection. The guards at the houses of the high officials who have earned the enmity of the anarchists and at the public buildings have been increased.

Rome, May I.—A middle aged man named Cameli returned to ftaly a few months ago from America. He settled in San Benedetto del Tronto, province of Ascoli-Piceno, where he had lived before emigrating. He had saved a considerable sum of money and wished to open, a rest attrant opposite the largest restaurant in the town. Merline, the proprietor of the old restaurant, had influence with the officials, and they refused a license, On Sunday Cameli entered Merline's place, picked a quarrel with him, stabbed him, his wife, two attendants and three customers. He steen stabbed himself fourteen times. When is vocal contest will be given in St. Paul's institute on the evening of the 10th instant, wheri is vocal contest will be given the best singer. The funeral of the late Charles Burke, first mate of the late Charles Burk

NEWS OF THE PROVINCE.

Revenue Returns and Other Vancouver Statistics—Business Changes at Nanaimo.

Grand Jury Throw Out a Libel Charge -Wages of Chinese

(Special to the Colonist)

TOHOU VANCOUVER. VANCOUVER, May 2 .- The Chief of Police has received word from Jailor Sinclair, of

has received word from Jailor Sinolair, of Kamloops, that James Baird has died in the hospital there.

Rev. E. P. Flewelling, of St. Paul's church, was tendered a farewell reception on the eve of his departure for Kamloops.

The customs and inland revenue returns for April are: Inland revenue receipts, \$7,182 27. Customs—Duty collected, \$25, 680.20; other revenue, \$4,740 95; imports, free, \$92,307; da, dutiable, \$87,053. The exports amounted to \$17,505.

During August there were 11 marriages, 20 deaths and 26 births.

A meeting of those opposed to the Gov-

A committee was appointed from each ward who will meet on Tuesday to choose ten delegates from each ward, who will meet on Wednesday and nominate Opposition can.

WESTMINSTER.

New Westminster, May 1 .- The May day celebration was the most successful in years. Miss Gertrude Monorieff was Queen of the May. The weather was beautiful but cold. A couple of thousand children were present at the festivities and a host of older people. A grand children' dance is going on this evening at the exhibition

buildings.

The Coquitlam dyking commissioners have awarded MoLean Bros. a contract to dyke 3,300 acres of the Pitt Meadows, the price being between \$65,000 and \$70,000.

Fish exporters complain that the C. P. R. charges such high rates on fresh salmon to New York that they cannot make anything. About three cars weekly are being shipped, and the rate is about \$800 per car of 20,000 pounds.

o house at 2 p.m. Mem-to turn out in good force Owing to the resigna-Pare which is residually set aside for the firemen's conpreviously set aside for the firemen's contest was still further increased, and, as priyate subscriptions are being raised to augment this contribution, it is confidently expected that prizes amounting to not less than \$300 will prove sufficient attraction to the firemen of the other cities in the province.

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At a meeting of the Opposition party held in Mahrer's opera house this morning. Thomas Keith was elected as a candidate by a majority of 32 over Ald. A. Wilson, the other nomines. Mr. Keith received seventy-seven votes and Wilson forty-five.

The spring assizes opened here to-day, Mr. Justice Crease presiding. The case of Regina vs. Clarke was concluded, a verdict of guilty on the second count, receiving stolen goods, being returned. The case of Regina vs. Campbell and Charley is now in progress.

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The fourth annual concert and ball of the Miners' and Mine Laborers' Protective Association took place in the opera house this evening and was well attended.

The funeral of the late Charles Burk, first mate of the ship India, who was killed yesterday, takes place to-morrow afternoon. The inquest will also be held in the afternoon.

NANAIMO, May 2.-Van Howten & Randle, hardware merchants, have dissolved

partnership. W. J. Van Howten continues the business.

meeting on the 15th instant. One new member was elected.

In their presentment, the grand jury re-ported both slaughter houses on Departur Bay road as nuisances. They also com-plained of certain bad drainage on Selb

and Wilton streets and recommended that their services be financially rewarded.

In the criminal libel suit brought by the Raform Club against W. J. Gallagher, editor and manager of the Telegram, the grand jury found "no bill."

The annual meeting of the fire department was held last evening: J. H. Scales was re-elected chief, and Geo. Davis was chosen as assistant chief. The other officers appointed were: Ald. R. Nightingale, president; L. Laurence, vice-president; H. Horne, secretary; J. H. Pleace, trassurer; George Norris, R. Nightingale and J. H. Pleace, trustees.

The assizes closed to night. John Camp.

Pleace, trustees.

The assizes closed to-night. John Campbell and Mrs. E. Charley were acquitted of the charge of receiving stolen goods. Mr Perry Mills appeared for the defence. The prisoner Clarke was convicted on the charge of receiving goods stolen from the Grand hotel and sentenced to two years.

Duncan, April 30 .- A fire broke out at Oak Park, Quamichan lake, yesterday morning, destroying the residence of Mr. W. H. Elkington and nearly all the contents.

HARDSHIPS OF SEALERS.

Lost for Days Upon the Pathless Sea or Struggling Hard to Make Unsatisfactory Wages.

Reported Catches of a Few of the Fieet—The "Henrietta" Under the Hammer.

The news recently published in the Seattle press of the loss of the sealing schooner Henry Dennis on the Japanese side lacks cenfirmation by the advices brought by the C. P. R. liner from Yokohama yesterday. Indeed, though missing boats are unfortunately numerous, no serious disasters to the fleet have yet been serious disasters to the fleet have yet been and pointed address, in which he showed the urgent necessity for the farmers of Elgin, Mud Bay, and Surrey in general to possess a ready means of access to all the available markets. He said that at present the facilities were very meagre, and therefore if any additional outlet could be obtained he would certainly advocate its claims. He believed an effort had been made to secure connection with Victoria and Vancouver via White Rock, by a line of steamers that would carry both freight and passengers. If this connection were made it would bring Elgin within about three miles of the point of shipment.

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H. G. Thrift, of Hazelmere, being reso older people. A grand childrens' dance is going on this evening at the exhibition of this evening at the exhibition of the control of the

March, with 30 feet of her rail and four boats carried away, no lives lost; the Agnes Macdonald with 1,000 skins aboard, about he 9th of April; the Ocean Belle, boat and crew lost, but recovered safely; the Henry Dennis, with 700 skins at last account; the Vera, with no skins; the Viva, with 107 below her decks on the 9th of April; the Maud S, with 260; the Alexander (San Francisco) 215 the Wellberg (San Francisco) Francisco), 215; the Wahlberg (San Fran-isco), 41; the Matthew Turner (San Fran-30), 360; the Louis Olsen (San Francisco), the Lewis Adair (San Francisco), 500, and he C. G. White (Seattle), 191. jority of them were reported by letter Robt. Ward & Co., Ltd. Captain Robt. Ward & Co., Ltd. Captain S. G. Cox was to have come home by the Empress of China, but on account of the mishap to the Carlotta G. Cox, decided to wait for the N. P. liner Victoria.

THE "DANUBE" AWAY.

Skidegate is the terminus of the Danube's Skidegate is the terminus of the Danube's present trip, upon which she started last evening. In comparison with her last Northern cargo, the steamer's freight was rather small, although considerable tin was shipped by her for the canneries, the majority of which will commence operations about the middle of this month. Rev. Mr. Price and wife, S. A. Spencer, Mrs. M. Robertson, B. G. Swertz, Mrs. Stevenson and S. Gray were among the passengers who left on the steamer. SOLD FOR \$1,000.

The sealing schooner Henrietta, which has long been in the fetters of the law, is now the property of Captain Hackett, who purchased fire yesterday afternoon for \$1,000. The sheriff is sale at which she was disposed of was fairly well attended, but bids were not numerous. Captain Hackett is yet undecided as to what he will do with his purchase, but it is expected that nothing will be decided this year, the sealing season being almost too far advanced to be taken advantage of. THE SEIZED "OHIO."

Collector A. R. Milne is awaiting word from Ottawa as to what will be done with the seized schooner Ohio. The Ohio was captured by the customs authorities last year for illegal trafficking on the West coast, and will in all probability be sold.

BELLEVILLE, May 2.—J. B. Ashley the institution for the deaf and dumb, formerly editor of the Ontario, of this city, an of the Kingston Whig, is dead, aged 53.

Halifax, April 30.—The strike at the Springhill, N. S., mines is at an end. A settlement has been arrived at and the men resumed work to-day.

agreeable. A pleasant and perfectly harm-less medicine for all liver and stomach trou-bles is Eseljay's Liver Lezenges. They effectually regulate the digestive organs and purify the blood. 25 cents at all druggists.

CONNECTION WITH VICTORIA

Surrey Farmers Pledge Themselves to support the Contemplated Line of Steamers.

The Necessity for Access to New Markets Strongly Emphasized-Encouraging Prospect.

A public meeting was held in the Mud Bay schoolhouse, Surrey, on the evening of April 25 for the purpose of discussing the expediency of making an effort to promote direct connection with the markets of the Province. The meeting, which was ther. oughly representative, elected Mr. John Stewart chairman and Mr. B. Stevenson ecretary. The chairman invited anyone in favor of extending and developing facilities for reaching the markets of the Province to Mr. Artemas Davidson made a vigorous

and pointed address, in which he showed

loss, \$100,000.

Sr. Louis, May 2.—A special to the Globe Democrat from the City of Mexico says that President Diaz, under the authority conferred by Congress, has issued a decree altering the tariff of import duties in many particulars. The most important changes are on the following articles: Ordinary are on the following articles: Ordinary bags made of jute, pita, henguin and canmazee, per kilo gross, three cents. Articles, not specified, of copper, brass or any other common metal, gold or plated ware whose weight exceeds 100 kilos, per kilo 40 cents; jewel ornaments of any metal, not being gold, silver or platinum, gilded or plated, per legal kilo \$1.50. Pig iron, of first melting or in fragments or small pieces, per kilo gross one cent; rough, forged 'pig iron or pig steel, per kilo gross one cent. SAN FRANCISCO, May 2. - The customs

authorities are still hunting for 2,000 pounds of opium, but the chances are that it will of opium, but the chances are that it will not be found. About three weeks ago Col-lector Wise and special treasury agent Phenix were informed that the above quan-tity of drug was on its way to San Francisco on a sailing vessel. An extra watch was ordered and over forty coasters were search-ed. The consignment is worth about \$35,-000, and no effort will be spared to capture it.

San Francisco, May 2.—The funeral of the late George B. Bayley, who was accidentally killed while riding in an elevator in his own premises, was held to-day in Oakland. The insurance on his life amounted to \$165,000, being larger than any similar life loss ever sustained on the Pacific coast. Some of the policies dated back ten years, while one for \$20,000 was issued only three weeks ago. The deceased at the time of his death was paying \$4,000 in yearly premiums.

POET TOWNEEND. May 2.—The U.S.S. SAN FRANCISCO, May 2.—The funeral of

PORT TOWNSEND, May 2.—The U.S.S. Adams, which arrived from Honolulu to-day reports that everything is quiet and orderly on the islands.

Subscribe for THE WEELEY COLONIST.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia IN PROBATE.

In the Matter of John W. Spinks, de-ceased, and in the Matter of the Official Administrator's Act.

Notice is hereby given that by an Order of Mr. Justice Walkem dated the 28th day of April, 1894. Thomas Pearson Reed, Official administrator for the County Court District of Cariboo, was appointed Administrator ef all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Ohn W. Spinks, deceased.

Dated 28th April, 1894.

DAVIE POOLEY & LUXTON.

From THE DAILY COLONI THE CIT

Dr. Drew, the solitary carsented himself at the May the British Columbia Medioncluded yesterday, has been ractise his profession in this pagraduate of the New York.

The returns for April of the library are as follows: Number issued to ladies, 585; to gent total, 1,342. The highest issued ay was 170, and the average 75. There were 24 new member seven ladies and seventeen gent

Chief Justice Sie M. B. Beg side at the May session of the C opening to-day. The list of bu long one, containing 25 ordinary 3 adjourned summonses, 34 gars 30 judgment summonses. The Esnouf v. Falconer is also up for Mr. Ewen Morrison, for

connected with the Shawnigan ber Co., has purchased the v Rock Bay lumber yard at the Bridge and John streets. This y future be kept well stocked. Shawnigan Lake lumber, which a troduction to the people of Victor THE Provincial Government ha the Provincial Government has be seen by advertisement in to offered a reward of \$250 for such as will lead to the arrest of the plicated in the shooting and seried ing of Mr. W. J. Moggridge, of Mead fruit farm, Westminster of the night of the 30th of March las

MR C. A. RATTRAY, local man Great Northern, has received the self-explanatory telegram from Traffic Manager W. W. Finley, of "Differences between the comparemployes have been adjusted.
resumption of traffic at once. Enter immediately for all points on or reour lines."

At the quarterly meeting of C Methodist church Mr. Noah She was appointed representative to the meeting, and on the question of the ment of a pastor Messrs. W. H. Tranter were chosen a delegation to the wishes of the congregation be stationing committee, which meets couver on May 10.

JAMES SMITH, a waiter on be steamer Princess Louise, slipped between the vessel and the dock wh on board Tuesday night, and was, with considerable difficulty. He has long in the water that he was of the bone, and as he did not recover it was thought best to send him to bilee hospital for treatment. He is that institution receiving every or attention. VICTORIANS will this month

VICTORIANS will this month he pleasure of listening to the cell Chicago Ladies' Quartette, under the agement of Mr. H. B. Therre, their date being Monday, May 21. As the tette arrive in the city during Sundandon it is quite probable that a saccert will also be given on the evening 20th; many lovers of good music toria would greatly appreciate a arrangement.

Mong Kow, alias Ah Sing, guilty to the theft of several art clothing belonging to a compatriot Mong, when arraigned before Mr. Fa Mong, when arraigned before Mr. Fa Macrae, S.M., yesterday morning sentence of the court was three mont prisonment at hard labor. The case provincial one, Sergeant Langley fir portion of the missing property in a shop, and locating the remainder woods near the Point Ellice bridge, they had been carefully cached by th Mongolian.

REV. JOSEPH HALL, president British Columbia conference of the M lat church, occupied the chair last e at a reception held in the Jame Methodist church to welcome the del convened to-day. Numerous excelled dresses were made, a good music iterary programme was ogramme was presented a were served in abundance adies of the church, under whose the affair was arranged and carried

YESTERDAY afternoon Mr. A. E. Phillips, on behalf of Messrs. Elf Smith, made a motion before Mr. J. Walkem to raise the amount of securit up by the Victoria & Sidney Railway pany on a warrant of possession to one of the security of the se pany on a warrant of possession to clands in the city. The amount of se given by the company for the lands, were for the purposes of the railway \$1,574, a sum which Mr. McPhillips clawas inadequate. An order was made rithe security to \$5,000. Messrs. Li Crease and Bodwell & Irving contra.

HENRY VALLACOTT, a resident of Sa is at present a patient in the surgical of the Jubilee hospital, in consequence serious accident which befell him a few ago, and which will confine him to a l ago, and which will confine him to a be pain for several weeks at least. The fortunate man was felling a tree, and not rightly estimate the time of its fall the result being that he was struck badly hurt. A companion carried him his arms to the nearest house, a very siderable distance, and he was at the opportunity brought to the city for the pert attention of which he stood so gre in need. Though he is not yet on danger, the attending surgeon is hor that he will pull through all right.

ALL that was mortal of the late Charlotte A. MacDonall was laid at res Rosa Bay cometery yesterday aftern The attendance at the funeral obacque which were conducted by Rev. Solo Cleaver at the house and at the graves demonstrated the general sympathy of residents in the locality in which the ceased had lived. She had been sufferom consumption since last year, the case being the sequel of a bad cold. To who acted as pall-bearers were: June and Junes Mulrhead. The deceased was one of family of five daughters and two sons, father, Mr. A. C. MacDonald, being faman of the new marine railroad at Esqualt. ALL that was mortal of the late

Last evening Cupid's anvil was again demand. On this occasion it was down a Pieneer street, and the golden band to Pieneer street, and the golden band was placed around the finger of Miss Field was a proper to the first gave Miss Field was, and after the always interesting of away, and after the always interesting of away, and after the always interesting of the first washes of the friends assemble and best wishes of the friends assemble street.

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