

to use every effort to secure a r for each of the following s: Duncan, Chemainus and h, and two from the rural dis-E., Castley and J. Norcross represented to communicate with equested to communicate with inus and Crofton with the obfurthering this resolution

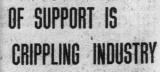
that there would be a saving of a naval and military expenditures to employed in keeping Russia in in Far East.

was herd in the council cham-o discuss the formation of a new of trustees, for which nomina-were held yesterday. C. H. was voted to the chair. In to a letter from the municipal a telegram from the superintend-education was read, stating that uncil had the power to pay the ing expenses of trustees. Much ad been expressed that the out-

d been expressed that the out ortions of this wide distance of the board, hough there are seven schools hough there are seven of may have only five members was the feeling of the meeting ey should try to make the best act. ras proposed by Mr. Stilwell, led by W. P. Jaynes and carried

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tead of turning out 125 tons of tead of turning out 125 tons of month, the present capacity of ant, we are only able to run of forty tons, working about eight days a month," said James. ey, proprietor of the British Co-rice mill, yesterday in conversa-th a Colonist representative. Mr. ley feels aggrieved at the treat-te has received at the hands of a of the trade who under a signed but, through the good offices of of the trade who under a signed ont, through the good offices of anufacturing committee of the of trade, agreed to support the Mr. Townsley would start it up-ok place over a year ago, and the n says that with the exception P. Rithet & Co., who have stood behind him, with the exception we trial orders not another house we trial orders, not another house ered to take his product. The hen in operation, employs from eight white men; but the runs short that it is with difficulty

keep a crew going. ding that with the exception of firm I mention, the wholesalers d to carry out their agreement ve their brown rice to a Chinese have had to resort to dealing nendent retail grocers in Vic-ugh a commission man. Even firms seem to prefer to buy the Vancouver rice mills, notwith-g that No. 1 grade of rice can hased here for \$4 a ton less than in the Terminal City—and this, small lots. Over and above what hased here, the balance of the of the mill goes direct to Winni-here a most satisfactory market d, and the dealers are well sat-

from being discouraged, Mr. ev has decided to secure further for his rice mill and intends yout for the scalps of those who if thim in the cold, and says, be ing on a rate war in rice that the things lively.