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The Weekly Coionist LOCAL INTELLIGENCE. TVESDAY, March I. STREET Rew. John Thompson was again prought before the Police Magistrate yeater Tuesday, March S., 1864.

THE TELEGRAPH SCHEME day charged with assaulting Ah Took, a The Bill to enable the California State was proceeding to Johnson street when he was Telegraph Company to extend their line to met by the prisoner, who, without any provothis city, was laid before the Honse yester-dsy, and it is justly deemed of such impor-with his fist. Another Chinaman stated that day, and it is finitely desined of sup-tance that the House has been asked to sup-pend the standing orders, so that it may be passed with as short detention as possible. The rules of the House in regard to private bills, require that a notice of three weeks be given before any such bill can be introduced but the enforcement of this in the present in-stance, and at this late period of the session of Patliament, would simply have the effect of throwing out the bill for the session, and might postpone the mach-desired arranges tance that the House has been asked to sus- he saw the prisoner strike the prosecutor.

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consequences; the principal object of the three weeks notice, required for private bills, is that no other interests, public or individual, may be prejudiced, and as no such difficulty can possibly arise in this case, the rules may safely be dispensed with. There will be abundant opportunity effered in committee, for the full discussion of the bill, and the re-jection of any of its provisions which may seem objectionable, without adopting a course which may endanger the success of the whole scheme. three weeks notice, required for private bills, the whole scheme.

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this is wanted to open up the northern end of the terra incognita which we inhabit.

have to pay assessments alike. have arrived by that time. The Banquet is

MODEL VERDICT .- The following ne plu Ung of verdicts was handed by the foreman of the special jury in the case of Emmick vs.

of this company was held yesterday when it was reselved to send 8 or 10 pounds of the quartz to New Westminster for assay. It was also resolved to get in half a ton of the Court, was again brought before Mr. Pem-tion restorday charged with being drunk and Dreak, we nest of two new Joint Stock Com-panies which have Been formed to develop the mineral resources of the neighboring sol-ony. One is the Goose Oreck Bed-Rock Flume Company with a capital of time thou-tand dollars divided into many shares ; and the other is the Horsefly Greek Mining Com-pany, with a capital of seven thousand dol-intense agony, death put an end to the suf-panies have obtained leases from the poor lad Thomas Searle, panies have obtained leases from the

it is said, to come here) stabbed his kloatch-man. Namoukoush, another well known Indian, killed the Euclataw, shief's kloatch-man. Minmin is almost dead from wounds received. Blueskin and his tillicums fixed at Tieraop in his house. The Comor Indians are fightened out of their senses. The Eu-clataws, who have for some time been threatening to drive out the Comox Indians, row say they will do it in carnest, and warn the white people to keep out of the way. grounds being that the verdict was against the weight of evidence—that the damages were excessive, and on the ground of mis-direction. Rule nisi granted. Another motion was made for a rule to show cause why this writ and all preceedings in this case should not be set aside and why Mr. Bishop, Mr. Cary, Mr. Green, and Mr. Masdonald, or some one of them should not pay the costs of the proceedings on the ground that the action had been commenced without the authority of the Company. Rule nise granted.

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nisi granted. A third motion was made to strike Mr. Green's name off the record as one of the laintiffs, Rule nisi granted. Then and a The rules to be argued on Tuesday, the 15th of March. BEFORE HIS HON. DAVID CAMERON, ESQ.

AND SPECIAL JURY. Emmiek v. Duncan.

The following gentlemen were empanelled as a special jury : J. C. Nicholson Foreman, James Moore, A. N. Nicholson, Robert Homfray, Frederick Pearkes, Henry Walton, E. J. Smith, and

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Having counted with confidence that the sum pledged by the general committee at its last meeting, would be forthcoming without any additional calls being made on the mem-bers of this committee. Your committee have endeavored to make the arrangements worthy of the occasion and the liberal spirit of our citizens. They contemplate erecting three arches with appropriate flags and other devices, and to erect a platform for ladies. Plans of which are here submitted. Two bands have been engaged, a carriage-to be drawn by six horses, with coachman; two possilions leaders on. They have appointed to act as Grand Marshal Mr. W. J. McDouald with Mr. Chas. Street and Mr. J. T. Pidwell as assistants. They have arranged for the firing of salutes.

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Mr. Bing and Mr. McCreight Instructed by Mr. Dennes appeared for the plaintiff. The Attorney General, instructed by Mr. Drake for defendant. This was an action for \$520, claimed for wages. The case was tried last year before a special jury, who could not agree upon a verdict. The evidence adduced is the same as that given the last time the case was tried. drews, the Hebrew, French and German Benevolent Societies, the I. O. of Good Fel-lows and Caledonia Society, and a cordial

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papy, with a capital of seven thousand dol-lare divided into seventy chares. Both com-panies have obtained lasses from the Gevernment, and none of the stock will be thrown in the market. Goose Creek falls into the Cariboo Lake opposite Keithley's Oreek, and the banks yielded largely in 1861. It can be easily worked with a bed rock fume, and the company look forward con-fidently for a rich harvest of the precious metal. The Horsefly was worked in 1860 and 1861, and the celebrated Bine Lead dis-covered there must be tresh in the resolled tion of all old colonists. It has been descried tion of all old colonists. It has been descried tion of all old colonists. It has been descried tions of the latter year owing to small compa-

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VANCOUVER ISLAND COAL .- The discovery of large deposits of a valuable quality of coal lately made between McNiel Harbor and Fort Rupert, is likely to divert the attention an act of justice that we have always con-

of mining spesulators who have hitherto thought of nothing but copper. We learn that no less than six well defined seams of coal ex-ist in little more than a square mile of ground near MoNiel's Harbor, and that the quality is much better than the general run of the Nan-aimo article; should the mine be opened, sea-going vessels will have to go round the north end of the Island to load. Something like first house into which it has been brought from this source.

WEDNESDAY, March 2. WEDNESDAY, March 2. DEATH AND INQUEST .--- On Monday fore---

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Summary suit. Important Cariboo, wages or an a whaleboat left the harbor on Sunday morning with twelve miners on beard bound for the Departure Bay and Sangster Island copper mines. They were sent up by the contractors, who intend pushing the works is vigorously through. ADMITTED AT LAST.—Mr. John Cepland was yesterday admitted and enrolled a mem-ber of the side bar of this colony by His Honor Judge Cemeron. This is an an act of justice that we have always con-ceived to be due to that gentleman. THE WATEE WORKS.—Yesterday the Wa-ter Company introduced a supply of water from their mains, into the San Francisco Bath-house, Government street, this being the first house into which it has been brought

Mr. Dennes, on behalf of Barnston, urged the nonjoinder of the rest of the sharsholders as a good reason why his client should not be held liable, and further that his client had DEATH AND INQUEST. On Monday fare-noon the dead body of a young Indian boy of Mr. Park said there was great difficulty in

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and has constructed lines of Telegraph ex-tending through the said State and the ad-joining States and Territories, and connecting with the telegraphic systems of the Atlantic States and of the British Colonies in North America tendo office sepera ville

States and of the British Colonies is North America. And whereas, the President of the said California State Telegraph Company has been authorised by a resolution of the Board of Directors of the said Company to repre-sent the said Company and to bind the same in all matters and things connected with the extension and construction of its telegraph lines from California northward ; and where-as, it is expedient to enable the said Company to extend its telegraph lines to the City of Victoria, with a view of increasing the fa-cilities of the said city for communication with the Pacific and Atlantic States of the United States and with the Cacadas. Wherefore your Petitomer prays your Honorable Body to pass an act to authorise the said President of the said California State Telegraph Company and his successors in office and their assigns, to construct and lay a line or lines of telegraph cable or cables actors any stream, creek, river, strait, bay, guil, water, or water-course, within the Colo-ny of Vancouver Island and its dependencies, and to authorise the said President of the said California State Telegraph Company and his successors in office, and their assigns, to construct or lay a line or lines of Tele-and to authorise the said President of the said California State Telegraph Company and his successors in office, and their assigns, to construct or lay a line or lines of Tele-and to authorise the said President of the said California State Telegraph Company and his successors in office, and their assigns, to construct or lay a line or lines of Tele-and to anthorise the said President of the said california State Telegraph Company and his successors in office, and their assigns, to construct or lay a line or lines of Tele-and to any private land situate between or adjacent to, any public land or highway

A same will be fired on the arrival of the gunboat in the harbot and answered from the ship. The procession will be in waiting to re-ceive His Excellency and to escort him to the Gevernment Buildings. On landing, His Hanor the Chief Justice, the Hen. the Speaker of the House of As-sembly, and the Mayor of the City, will be introduced. They will secort His Excellency to the eatriage in the line. The Colonial Secre-tary, senior officer of the fleet, and the Mayor will accompany His Excellency in the carriage. The procession will then move towards James Bay along Store street to Johnson street, thence to Wharf street, along Wharf street to Yates street, up Yates street to Gov-ernment street, along Government street to James Bay. The address prepared by the Committee to be signed by them on behalf of the people. The report was approved and adopted. On motion, the following was adopted : *Resolved*—That no Society er organized body shall be permitted to form in the line of order other than the one assigned to them by the Marshal of the day, deputized by the committee of arrangements for the occasion. The committee appointed to prepare an address submitted a very appropriate one for the occasion, which was immediately adopted. On motion, it was ordered that the Secrefor the occasion, which was immediately adopted. On motion, it was ordered that the Secre-tary invite all scheols to take part in the ceremonies of the day. On motion the Secretary was requested to communicate with the Mayoress to submit to her a design for a flag, and to ask her co-orderation eration. at bud tozet le of the 20th ult, announces that is is that morning printed by steam, the proprietors

having had a steam engine manufactured in Portland for the purpose. Our neighbors exhibit a most commendable enterprise in this undertaking, and we wish them every success. car inten todion

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