

DAYS OF PUBLICATION. The days of publication of the Two-Week Times will be changed after this issue from Tuesdays and Fridays to Mondays and Thursdays.

THE LIBEL SUITS.

Somewhat more of courtesy to the office, if it cannot show any to the man, were more becoming in the Colonist in treating upon the subject raised in Hon. Mr. Speaker Higgins' letters. A journal that has so recently discredited with dogmatic vehemence upon the subject of personalities should set a better example.

As to the libellous character of the articles in question there can hardly be any doubt. Just the language of a judge charging a jury strongly against the defendant, no language would be too strong to offend such foul play, but we do not intend to use what is popularly known as "strong" language; facts, logic, truth, justice require no such language to establish their case.

AN EXPLANATION WANTED.

It will be remembered that Hon. Mr. Turner, shortly after the Times published the startling facts connected with his and Hon. Mr. Pooley's names and official titles appearing on the directors of a Klondike company, said in the course of an interview in the Colonist that his name and that of Hon. Mr. Pooley had been used improperly without their consent by the promoters in London.

IS IT A SLANDER?

As has often been remarked, there is nothing more calculated to drive away the blues and bring the glad sounds of mirth to the streets of this sober city than the Colonist in a passion. "When anger's in his out," says the old proverb, and never saw we it more charmingly exemplified than in the case of the local morning newspaper.

YUKON WHISKEY.

If the statements contained in the Ottawa despatch, which will be found in another column, prove to be correct, Sir Charles Tupper will certainly occupy a curious position before the people of Canada. But it is not the fact that he has been charged with selling whiskey in the Yukon that is the matter of concern.

WIDESPREAD MISCHIEF.

One of the very worst results of the behavior of Hon. Mr. Turner and Hon. Mr. Pooley in allowing their names and titles to be associated with a company which came under the ban of the London and Canadian press so soon as its real character was disclosed, is this: In the answers to correspondents in that section of London Truth devoted to stocks and shares—"Moses Moss to Benjamin Boss"

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Britain's Complications Straightening Out and War-Clouds Blowing Away.

The Friction Between Sweden and Norway Is Said To Be Becoming More Marked.

London, Jan. 29.—After an unusually prolonged period of extreme tension, all signs point to an early improvement in, if not a complete solution of, the various international political problems agitating the nerves of Great Britain.

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