rem THE DAILY COLONIST, May 13. THE CITY.

An Interesting Statement.

The sealers of Victoria are talking of preparing a statistical statement of the benefits which Victoria has derived, directly and indirectly, from the sealing industry. Such a statement would no doubt do considerable good, besides being very interesting.

Getting up the Crews.

Tom James is in Cowiohan busily engaged among the Indians in arranging for boat crews for the regatta. He is meeting with a good deal of success, and the probability is that the cance races this year will bring out a great many more contestants the

The Naval Ball. A grand naval ball will be given in the sail loft at the Dockyard on the 31st inst. Great preparations will be made for this social gathering, and owing to the number of warships in harbor, it is expected to be one of the most successful dances ever held in Victoria.

The Hydraulic Company's Property. Mr. D. E. Campèll is every day expecting the result of the first clean up of the season of his Hydraulic Company's property at Coquette Creek, South Quesnelle. About 3,000 inches of water are being used every day on the land, the large supply being obtainable through the late spring freshet.

A Bad Report. A letter received here last night from the A letter received neer last night from the vicinity of Soda Creek, gives a very discouraging report indeed of the prospects of the farmers. A great deal of fall wheat has been killed out in the locality owing to the frosty nights that have succeeded the snow. frosty nights that have succeeded the snow. So far there has been no rain whatever, and everything is drying up.

tiff is a logger at Carigliachlie, B. C., on the C. P. R., and he claims from the defendant's \$1738.87, as balance owing him for timber cut according to contract for them. The defendant's claim that in the statement

Mr. Prowis, of San Jose, who owns the Government street property between Sommers' building and the old Hook and Ladder House, arrived, on the 'Umatilla, on Wednesday last. Mr. Prowis owns considerable other property in the city, and was very agreeably surprised at the wonderful growth of Victoria since he was here, four years ago. The adopted city of his residence, San Jose, has made vast strides during that time, but she has hardly equalled Victoria in the building and other improvements which have been effected. Mr. Prowis will probably remain here for a few weeks, and he may possibly decide to commence building before he returns to California.

A Magnificent Find.

Last night, Mr. P. Dunlevy received from the Discovery Co's Horsefly diggings, in Cariboo, a piece of cement conglomerate of clay, sand and gravel. It is a sample of a wall of cement, that was discovered there in the beginning of the week, and which extends along the Horsefly river for a distance of 300 feet. It is about 10 feet high and 20 feet thick, and is permeated with free gold. The find is a splendid one, and will enhance the value of the property a great deal. Mr. Dunlevy and Major Dupont have it bonded, and have also applied for a lease for 25 years. If this is granted, the sum of \$50,000 will be at once spent in bringing in water and opening up the ground. The specimen, which reached here by express, was shown to a Colonist representative, last night. It bears on its face plenty of evidence of its contents, and is undoubtedly taken from an extraordinarily rich deposit. It is to be assayed, to-day, and the result will be made known immediately.

No News of the Challenger.

In reply to a letter from Chief Deasy, to Commodore Bartlett, of the U.S.S. Marion, making enquiries as to his brother-in-law, Fred Smith, who shipped on the sealing schooner Challenger, the following letter has been received from Yokohama;—

U.S.S. MARION, YOKOHAMA, JAPAN, April 25, 1892.

nas Deasy, Chief of the Fire Department

Thomas Bass, Unter of the Fare Department

Pictoria:
DEAR SIR-I am in receipt of your letter of
March 25, making enquiry in regard to Frederick Smith. Two men shipped on the Marion
at Unalaska from the sealing schooner challenger. They state that Fred Smith left the
Challenger at Seattle, and was not no board of
the Challenger when in Behring Sea. I am
sorry that I cannot give you further information. Yours truly,
J. R. BARTLET,
Commander U.S.N.
Commanding U.S.S. Marion.

The Chief of the Fire Department cannot

sorry that I cannot give you further information. Yours truly, J. R. Bartiert, Commanding U.S.N. Commanding U.S.N. Marion.

The Chief of the Fire Department cannot understand how Smith left the Challenger at Seattle, as she is supposed to have gone directly from Sand Point to Behring Sea. Life had landed at Seattle, it is only ment of this rule will be punished.

natural to suppose that he would have written or communicated with his friends. The reply of the Commander of the Marien adds further mystery to the fate of the Chal-

A Pioneer Called Home Passengers by the Danube, on Wednesday night, brought news of the accidental death by drowning of D. Mackenzie, of Masset, on the 28th ultimo. The deceased was one of the pioneer servants of the Hudson's Bay Company, in this province.

The Nelson and Fort Sheppard. The Nelson and Fort Sheppard.

It is understood that the promoters of the Nelson and Fort Sheppard railway have made arrangements with eastern capitalists whereby the construction of that road will be commenced almost immediately and completed by the end of 1893. The capitalists who have undertaken the building of the line are confident that no obstacle will be thrown in the way of connecting the line at the boundary with the American system.

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Will the Cle Move?

Thanks to the efforts of Mr. John Bowker, the property owners on Fort street have unanimously consented to donate sufficient land on either side of the road, so that when widened it will, from the junction at ytates street, be of an uniform width of 60 feet. The Government have already compared work widening that portion of the street outside the city limits, having in view the necessity of such action previous to the heavy travel that will certainly result during the spring races. It is, however, as absolutely necessary that the City should commence work at once on that portion of Yates street within their jurisdiction, as in its present narrow state this thoroughfare is a very dangerous one to traverse when more than ordinary travel tends that way.

Gazette Announcements, the B. G. Gazette declares the official Stenographers' Act to be in force, and announces that the Governor-General-in-Council is pleased to order that the agricultural lands in the Kaimloops Lands Agency, being the lands in the Railway belt in British Colume is a key dangerous one to traverse when more than ordinary travel tends that way.

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Proposed Change.

The Westminster Lacrosse Club wish to have the schedule altered, so that they may meet the Victoria team here on the 24th instead of the 23rd as arranged. The matter will be referred to Vancouver, the third club in the B.C. League, for them to decide upon the matter, as the Victoria club oppose the change very strongly.

Over the Average.

A trout weighing seven and a half pounds is not by any means an every day victim to the artful skill of the disciples of Isaak Walton, but such a one is on exhibition in Joe Levy's restaurant. The clever fisherman who captured him was W. K. Reynolds, assistant passenger agent of the E. & N. railway, and be lured him from his retreat in Cowichan Lake.

The case of Genelle vs. Macdonald & McRae, is an interesting cause that has been docketed for the 20th inst. The plaintiff is a logger at Carigilachlie, B. C., on the C. P. R., and he claims from the defend.

AN INFORTUNATE CHINAWOMAN.

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THE SPRING MEETING.

Full List of Entries for the Races a the Jockey Club Spring Meeting.

Saturday, May 21. 2.30 CLASS TROTTING AND PACING.—PURSE \$4 Gannon & O'Leary's "Belle Watts." M. G. Terhune's "Colonel Stoner." W. S. Chambers "Maud C." RUNNING ONE MILE DASH,-PURSE \$100

F. Campbell's "Jim Murphy."
QUEN'S PLATE—14 MILES—PURSE \$500.
Wm. MoNeill's "Leap Year."
L. H. Webber's "Prunella."
G. A. Rithet's "Gertie."
Broadmeath Farm "Victoria."
R. G. McKenzie's "Bounty."
C. T. Dupont's "Amphion."
G. H. Ogilvie's "Hex."
Harry T. Cole's "Jenny C."
James Shaw's "Domino."

Monday, May 23rd. ROTTING AND PACING, FREE FOR ALL—PU. \$400. \$400.

J. H. Warner's "Harry Velox."
Gannon and O'Leary's "Belle Watts,"
Byron Barlow's "Mink."

B. C. HANDICAP, 1½ MILES—PURSE \$500.
F. Campbell's "Jim Murphy," 143 lbs.
C. T. Dupont's "Amphion," 110 lbs.
T. Elford's "Polly," 130 lbs.
G. A. Rithet's "Gertie," 127 lbs.
James Shaw's "Domino," 122 lbs.
Wednesday, May 25.

Wednesday, May 25. TROTTING AND PACING, 2:40 CLASS — PURE \$250. M. G. Terhune's "One-Eyed Johnny."
J. Mennier's "Dart."
W. G. Stevenson's "Fleta F."
H. D. Helmcken's "Kitty."

UNNING HALF-MILE AND REPEAT — \$175.

A SERIOUS CHARGE

Laid Against One of Victoria's Best Known Barristers, and Brought Into Court

The Examination Continued for One Week-Defendant Admitted to Bail.

Frederick George Walker, barrister and olicitor, of Langley street, appeared in the olice court, yesterday, in response to a summons issued on Wednesday by Mr. Thomas

fore evening, and Mr. Walker was released.

Mr. Walker's financial affairs were also before the Supreme Court yesterday, Mr. Justice Drake disposing of several Chambers applications, in which he is concerned.

The Bank of British Columbia sued C. S. Rashdale as the maker, and F. G. Walker and Walker, Pemberton & Dumbleton, as endorsers of a promisory note for \$450, made January 16, in favor of F. G. Walker, and bearing his individual endorsement above that of the firm of which he was at that time the head. Mr. Alkman (Drake, Jackson & Helmcken) appeared for the Bank, Mr. Wootton (McPhillips, Wootton & Barnard) for Mr. Pemberton, and Mr. Prior (Eberts & Taylor) for Mr. Dumbleton. Mr. Alkman moved to set aside appearance and sign judgment. Leave was given to defend upon the payment of the amount of the suit, the face value of the note with interest and notarial charges, into court. Messrs. Pemberton and Dumbleton claim that they did not endorse, or authorize the endorsement of the note, and that for Mr. Walker to do so was contrary to the articles of the partnership then existing.

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SUPREME COURT. IN CHAMBERS. (Before Mr. Justice Drake.)

13th May, 1892. Mason vs. Walker—Mr. Wootton for plaintiff. Application to sign final judgment, under Order XIV. Granted.

Adams vs. N. E. T. & L. Co., Ltd.—Application to examine Hon. D. W. Higgins before the Registrar. Consented to.

Young vs. Phænix Insurance Co.—Hon. Mr. Pooley for plaintiff. Mr. Wootton for defendants. Application to enlarge the time for reply to the 24th inst. Consented to.

Sented to.

Carmody vs. Morse — Mr. Eberts for plaintiff. Mr. Williams for defence. Summons for examination. Granted in the usual way. Plaintiff to pay costs in the first in-

A DIFFERENCE OF OPINION.

The Rector's Warden Not Received With Extreme Cordiality-The Point at Issue.

Wednesday evening, May 11, was the date fixed for the adjourned vestry meeting of St. Barnabas church. It was also the date set for the bazaar and concert arranged and conducted with great success by the ladies of the con-

regation.

The two seemed to conflict, and so when the The two seemed to conflict, and so when the rector, Rev. G. W. Taylor, took the chair at the vestry meeting, he announced that on account of the concert it had been considered advisable not to go into any business, but to adjourn again until some evening when other church affairs did not require attention.

The announcement was at once challenged, one of the members present enquiring, "Who decided the matter ?"

"I understood it was the wish of the meeting," cryplained the rector.

"Wouldn't it be well to call the meeting to order and see?" advised the gentleman who had first spoken.

The rector complied, and a vote being taken it was decided by a majority of two to proceed with the business of the church were presented, showing a very healthy condition of finance, and after discussion were adopted without dissent.

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Several other matters of routine business
were disposed of in order, and then the consideration of the rector's action in nominating Mr. P. H. Marshall as his warden was
taken up.

This subject had been debated thoroughly,
outside the church, by the members of the congregation, who wery naturally hold different
opinions in regard to it. One portion of the
flock uphold Rev. Mr. Taylor's action, and say
that he was quite within his rights. The other
contingent assert that Mr. Marshall, being a
non-resident of the parish, has no right to hold

wo church wardens the work of irther point that there are no legally defined arishes in the province arishes in the province. The matter was debated with animation at misiderable length, the discussion being ornated with periodical motions to adjourn, and it was finally decided, though not by any ymal motion, to request the Lord Bishop to ecide the disputed point.

ARE THEY THE SAME?

Party of Chinese Whose Present Whereabouts are Unknown-They May Be Lost.

Rumor Has It That They Formed the Cargo of the Lottie.

Following up the exclusive story of the schooner Lottie, published in the COLONIST yesterday, further details are to hand which may be presumed, to some extent, to bear out the theory that among her passengers were between 25 and 35 Chinamen. About two months ago, among the big batch of Chinamen who arrived here on the Empress of India were about 40 who found board and

of Chinamen who arrived here on the Empress of India were about 40 who found board and lodging with Hick Ho & Co., on Store street, next door to Tim Kee's employment agency, opposite the railway station. Here they lived until a few weeks ago. Hick Ho says that only five of them had any money to speak of, the leader, Mah Suey, being in possession of about 690 Japanese yen, and two others, Yuen Chung Goon and Wah Loong, having nearly that amount between them. The whole party came from the Hoy Peng district, and nime were relatives and clansmen. They did no work while they were here, and some weeks ago half of them, including the leaders of the party, announced their intention of moving to other quarters. They had their baggage packed up, and hiring a wagon belonging to Yick Yuen & Co., of Cormorant street, started ostensibly for Lim Sam's boarding heuse, above his store, at the corner of Government and Cormorant streets. The never reached there, however, and lalthough every enguiry has been made to find the driver of the vehicle that took them from Hock Ho's he cannot be discovered. Of the twenty men of the barty that were left behind, nine have gone to New Westminster, under the protecting care of Ah Foo, and the other sleven are still in the same place. The time of departure of the twenty fits in with the date that the Lottie is known to have left here, and although some of the party promised to communicate with their friends left behind, they have not done so. The latter state that their kinsmen may probably have tried to get into the United States. The whole matter, as far as regards this particular band of Chinamen, is very shady, and forms a seemingly disjointed statement, which may be true or not. Of course, it is a very hard thing to tell whether this party went away on the Lottie or some other vessel. It is certain that they are not now on this island.

ITALY'S CRISIS ENDED. How Signor Gioliti's Cabinet is Com-

ROME, May 12.—Signor Gioliti has succeeded in completing his cabinet. General Polloux has been offered the ministry of war, which he formerly held under Rudini, but has not signified his acceptance. Signor Brin will probably be minister of foreign affairs. Signor Gioliti has chosen for himself the ministry of the interior, and the other ministers announced are as follows: Signor Lavaca, minister of works; Signor Benacci, minister of justice; Signor Martini, minister of public instruction; Signor Poressi, minister of the treasury; Signor Poressi, minister of finance. Signor Poressi is a member of the right and the others of the left. The senate has passed the bill prohibiting the maintenance of gaming tables, this will put an end to the operations of a company that has been trying to establish another monte carlo in Belgium. ROME. May 12,-Signor Gioliti has suc

From THE DAILY COLONIST, May 14. THE CITY.

Volkenburg v. Strout: For trial ut a jury. Subsequently settled out

Mr. W. G. Henly, of Clover Point, has dug new potatoes already. They are of course not very large, but they are well formed and fit for the table. The fact that potatoes growing in the open air are large enough to be used on the 13th of May, speaks volumes for the mildness of the climate of Victoria. In the Eastern provinces potato planting is not finished at this date.

The many friends of Mr. Ira Wilson, of Cadboro Bay, will learn with regret of his death, which occurred at midnight on Thursday, after a lingering illness, extending over several years. The deceased, though only 42 years of age, was a pioneer of the Province, to which he came from England many years ago. The funeral takes place to-morrow, the members of the A. O. F., to which order deceased belonged, attending in a body. Death Claims a Pioneer

The Wilson Block.

The Wilson Block,
Yates street, will be completed to-day. The
building quite overshadows the two-story
structures on either side, and presents a
light and handsome appearance. Humber
& Son have made an excellent job of the
brick work. It is rumored that the building on the corner will be raised from two to
four stories. This done, three corners of
Yates and Douglas streets will have been
substantially built upon.

The Case Mas Been Dropped. Several months ago, it will be rememered, Mr. George J. Cook was committee or trial at the next court of competen jurisdiction, on a charge of maliciously shooting and wounding cattle belonging to a neighbor named Gillespie. The evidence offered at the police court hearing was most direct, but it is new announced that the case will not come up at the Assizes, opening Monday, the prosecution having been abandoned.

A Surveying Expedition The following prospectors left on the steamer Mexico for Cassiar, yesterday morning: W. B. Gauvreum, Capt. Moore, James McCanley, and O. L. Pondrier. The party will be gone about six months from Victoria and will make further surveys on the Stickeen River, in the interests of the Provincial Government. When they return, they will, no doubt, bring important news from the far north, as the details of their expedition are sure to be of interest, as well expedition are sure to be of interest, as well as utility.

More Cruel Work.

For several days past people who own valuable dogs have been losing their animals by reason of their being deliberately poisoned, and the last sufferer in this respect is Mr. Fred Adams, whose dog, a valuable and beautiful setter, was killed at the Gorge yesterday. Nobody seems to know or suspect who the culprit is, but the manner in which he goes about his work proves that it is one individual who is guilty of many of these acts. Mr. Adams offers a reward of \$50 for information that will lead to the conviction of the miscreant. More Cruel Work.

For Japanese Sufferers. Mr. Couperous, whose visit to Victoria has been referred to at length in these columns, is perfecting arrangements with local amateurs for a grand concert to be held in The Victoria on the night of the 23d inst. in aid of the sufferers by the late Japanese earthquake. The Lieut. Governor and the Japanese Consul have signified their intention of being present. Mr. Couperous, in his position as Agricultural Adviser to the Government of Japan, will forward all subscriptions to the Imperial officers through the Japanese Consul. Mrs. Couperous, who will take part in the concert, is one of the

The E. & N. Railway Co. The E & N. railway people seem deter-mined to catch all the traffic that they can

with its support.

"It is not generally known, and it seems to be a way out of the present difficulty," said Mr. John Teague yesterday, "that the preliminary plans drawn by me for last year's Council for an Old Folks Home were not limited to an arrangement of rooms and wards for men only. I was distinctly instructed to lay out the plans so that it could be divided into two separate buildings under one quadrangle, one side being for the men, and one for the women. The arrangement shows a central administration building, into which both sexes could come for their meals, this being the only time when they commingled. In fact, the whole place of the year in the year of their meals, this being the only time when they commingled. In fact, the whole place of the year in Manitobas up to day, this year. During the whole of last year the total was only 16,000.

To-day's train from Paris. The commission to purchase the following described tract of land, situated on Salt Spring Island: The writ for the Beauharnois local election has been instead of Messara. Mercier, Bernat the N. corner stake of my pre-emption, thence east 40 chains, thence south along sea then of the the work of the Legislature were: Minnedosa, extending the whole of the Legislature were: Minnedosa, extending the whole of last year the total was only 16,000.

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The date I intend applying to the Honomaric Chain the commission to purchase the following described that he nomination takes place on the 23rd inst., polling a week later.

WINNIEG. May 13.—Yesterday's nomination takes place of commencement, containing 250 acres more or less.

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To-day's train from Vancouver was five house and value of the crops are almost.

CHATHAM, Ont., May 13.—Owing to the double of the crops are almost.

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described at length by the Colonist, and several Aldermen have communally advocated its adoption, and the immediate building of the place on the land so liberally offered by Mr. Rithet.

Trades and Labor Council. Trades and Labor Councit.

The regular meeting of the Trades and Labor Council was held last evening, President Chipchase in the chair. Credentials were received from delegates representing the Stone Cutters, Iron Moulders, Tailors' and Ship Builders' unions. A communication from Col. E. G. Prior, M. P., was read. explaining his action at Ottawa in reference to the Chinese Exclusion Act, but it was deemed unsatisfactory by the meeting. The Anti-Chinese movement of the Trades and Labor Councils of B. C. was discussed at length, and the committee having it in at length, and the committee having it in charge reported progress.

They Mean Eusiness.

The men and material to build the Queenstown Trading Co's store and sawmill leave for the new city on Quatsino Sound by the Danube on Monday, and by commencing operations at once those in charge of the party expect to have the mill and station buildings completed by fall. The resident Indians will be given steady employment in clearing ground and assisting the builders, and already 30' or more have been engaged. It is not yet known when the keel of the trading steamer Queenstown will be laid, as a difference of opinion has arisen in regard to the model. The beat is, however, expected to be ready for service before many months.

A Schelarly Series.

Monsieur H. Menut, who has spent considerable time both pleasantly and profitably in Victoria, is now at work upon an article on the coal mining industry of British Columbia. It will be his fifth contribution to the Moniteur Officiel Aut Commerce; the official paper of the Minister of Commerce of France, in which are published all the reports from the consuls and agents of the French Government abroad. The first article of the series treated of the general industries of British Columbia, the second was devoted to the sealing industry, and the Behring Sea question as applying to the people and business of this province; No. 3 deast with salmon canning and fishing, and No. 4 with mining generally. The articles are able and comprehensive, and are attracting considerable attention in Europe.

SUPREME COURT.

IN CHAMBERS. (Before Mr. Justice Drake).

Sinclair vs. Lorimer and Jensen. Messrs.
Bodwell & Irving for plaintiff; Yates & Jay,
for defence. Application for final order.
Judgment reserved.

Vye vs. McNeill. Mr.! Wootton for
plaintiff; Eberts & Taylor for defence.
Application for sheriff to return seized
animals. No order made. Summons dismissed, with costs.

Smith vs. Macintosh. Mr. Wootton for
plaintiff; Mr. Eberts for defence. Application to dismiss action for want of prosecution. Withdrawn.

Carmody vs. Glover. Eberts & Taylor
for plaintiff; Bodwell & Irving for defence.
Application to consolidate. Adjourned swe
disc. (Before Mr. Justice Drake).

THE LOST FOUND.

Russian Lad Runs Away From San Francisco and is Two

Years in Victoria. His Father, Getting a Clue, Come to This City and Discovers His Child.

Two years ago Mr. Alexander Goldstein, a merchant tailor, doing business on Kearny street, San Francisco, awoke one morning to find that his only son, Edward, had disappeared. Mr. Goldstein had left Odessa some years before, having lost his wife and all his children but one by the dread hand of death, and his but one by the dread hand of death, and his grief may be imaged when his only surviving child disappeared, leaving no trace of his exist ence. The sorrowing father used every possi deterhey can
wile on
while means to discover the whereabouts of his
son. Liberal rewards were offered, an accurate description of the boy was inserted in every
paper in San Francisco, and the best detectives
within ten minutes' walk of proposed Nicela The Credit Valley Railway received a bonus of \$00.00 from the City of Toronto, in 1877, or mired to catch all the traffic that they can be the second of the treatment of \$00.00 from the City of Toronto, in 1877, or mired to catch all the traffic that they can be the second of the treatment of the trailway subsequently smalgranated with the C.F. Ht., which removed the shops from Toronto, and thus of the case, to day, holding finat he case, to day, holding finat he case, to day, holding finat he safety and the case, the safety, holding finat he case, the safety, holding finat he safety and the safety

QUEBEC, May 13.—The expenses of the con missioners to Europe, to study the cultivation of beet root, were over \$11,000, all paid on Hon

Surgical NO. 318 BUSHST., SAN FRANCISCO, WILL BE AT Oriental Hotel, Victoria. MAY 14 & 16, To examine cases for treatment by this Institute, which is devoted to treating

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REFERENCES Governor E. P. Ferry, Olympia; John P. Hoyt. Associate Justice of Supreme Court, 602 Fourth St., Seattle; Wm., McKeon, Oriental Hotel, Victoria; Ben. E. Snipes, Banker, Seattle.

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G. A. MCTAVISH,

EDUCATION OFFICE, Victoria, 26th April, 1892. WHEREAS, the Council of Public Enstruc-tion is empowered, under the "Public School Act," to create School Districts, in addition to those already existing, and to define the boundaries thereof, and from time to time to alter the boundaries of existing Districts; it is hereby notified that the Council has been pleased to create the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of "Galiano be a School District, under the title of "Galiano School District:"

All that tract of land known as Galiano Isl-

ereate the following tract of land to be a School District, under the title of "North Vesuvius All that portion of Salt Spring Island lying north of the boundary line between Sections 11 and 12, extended westward and eastward to

the sea-shore.

Also, that the Council has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Mayne Island School District, as follows: All that tract of land known as Mayne

Also, that the Council has been pleased to alter and re-define the boundaries of Vesuvius School District, as follows: All that portion of Salt Spring Islandlying between the Northern boundary of Burgoyne Bay School District and the southern boundary

of North Vesuvius School District.
S. D. POPE, Secretary, Council of Public my20-wkly

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SAMUEL MAXWELL.

A CHILDREN'

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Mrs. Dickenson's How the

It is only very seldo ple are permitted to wi sing sight, as v y Rooms, last on's class of ju ful, pleasing sight,
Assembly Rooms,
Dickenson's class o dancing season of 1891 dress ball.

As early as 8.30 carr and by 9 o'clock the rooms were full of muc ple, who were surround rather excited parents. removing from them a ing, until they stood fancy costumes, of ever When Haines' band be several hundred ladies grouped round the side decorated ball room, the applause that gre-given without stint. people made up the p

people made up the proThe Misses Bertha
Sylvester, Clements, SusMamie Fell, L. Tugwell
Dunlevy, B. and C. Popvieve Grant, Louisa aston, Magurn (2), Emma
McDonald, A. Morris, B.
Newby, Kattle Lettice
Booth, Hilda Harris,
Brown, Winnie Wilson,
Kitty Johnson, Blanch
Morse, Alice Moss, M.
and Roberts.

Masters Walbey, T. P.
Hartnagel, T. Hickey, J.
ter, C. McMicking, RobKuttz, Donnie Kurtz, P.
Jack and Darrell Han
Brown, Bruce Irving,
Verrinder, Lloyd Dicke
urn, Walter Story, W.
S. Moss, Reg. HayGeorge and Harry Dick
The following progrformed:
Grand March. Grand March. Lancers.
Polka.
Waltz.
Sailor's Hornpipe—I
Tambourine Dance—
Jiss Frances Morse.
Berlin.

Berlin.
Polka Quadrille.
Sailor's Hornpipe—Ge
Minuet de la Cour—
Maypole Dance—By
Comus.
Cachuca—By Miss F
Swedish Wedding Do
Of the above prog Of the above prog which it is needless t with a staid childi charming, the Spanis Gowan was easily the young lady went the intricate motions peo-paletio in an exceller paletio in an excelle warmly applauded w a real old Castilian compelled to perform

The two sailors' is spectively by Maste George Verrinder, formed. The little is of careful training an from bashfulness or large audience the spirit of the spirit of the sincerest cheer efforts came from a g men in one corner of and genuine approb crowd of spectators else.

The Misses Johns graceful tambourine body who watched to the perfect in perfect

rapidly in perfect rythmic time with bells and the music was one of the pi evening.
The Berlin was Gowen and Master minuet de la Cœur l and Master L. Ha Wedding Dance, and was led by Miss Cler Dickenson. All the thoroughly well pe youngsters were ne just a little over-bur of frills and wigs, an Louis XIV, that had for a few hours. Bu

gether, it may be tr exhibition has ever vince before, and ev ed evidence of the their well known them.
The costumes w exception, charmin high enough to be crowd were gorge stocks and cumin green and gold. cesses, too, among act miniature of M small impersonate mother who must pains to her toil girls, just merging fellow's, "where w meet," appeared powdered coif an They looked like

gallery that had si frames for a whi the multitude. When the Swe over the children splendid supper in and then were take while the rooms w folks, who were pr following program through, and ther the usual "just the convenient nan Waltz, ripple, s cers, waltz, polke waltz, Jersey, wal "God Se

TORONTO, May 12 will be in Toronte when, with the Vi view the volunteer. The City Councestimates for the tion at 14 mills on A carload of cott Kingston to China. The Board of We the head trolley, at be held to confirm the change of systomes.

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Compulso OTTAWA, May mentary Committ pulsory, to-day, a inserted a clause to be pleaded as a and another allow exercise the fram