

WARM WORDS PASS BETWEEN COUNSEL

JUDGE ADMONISHES THEM TO KEEP TEMPERS

Mr. Cassidy's Vain Effort to Force on North Victoria Protest—"San Toy" Application Again.

Mr. Justice Walkem's Judgment in Boscowitz vs. Powell. The case of Boscowitz vs. Powell was tried in the County court yesterday by Mr. Justice Walkem. T. M. Miller, appearing for plaintiff, and G. E. Powell, the defendant, acting on his own behalf. The suit was for only \$21, but as it practically amounted to a serious charge against defendant in his professional capacity, the trial was followed with interest by many spectators.

SUIT DISMISSED

Mr. Justice Walkem's Judgment in Boscowitz vs. Powell.

The trouble arose over a transfer of the Imperial hotel license to E. W. Van Sicken. E. A. Powell being retained by Mr. Boscowitz, and after obtaining the transfer he sent in his account for \$21. Boscowitz admitted that he asked G. E. Powell to try and make Van Sicken pay this account. Van Sicken refused, and the plaintiff then gave his cheque to G. E. Powell for the bill. Van Sicken, however, came to E. A. Powell a few days later and said he would give cash down for Boscowitz's account, and the plaintiff then gave his cheque to G. E. Powell for the bill. Van Sicken, however, came to E. A. Powell a few days later and said he would give cash down for Boscowitz's account, and the plaintiff then gave his cheque to G. E. Powell for the bill.



Sporting News

THE RIBBON. THE COMING SHOW. Preparations for the forthcoming show of the Victoria Kennel Club are proceeding apace, and indications are that this year's exhibition will exceed anything previously attempted. In point of number of entries and in the value and number of prizes offered. Word has been received from Washington, Oregon and California showing that American breeders intend giving the Victoria show every support this season. Portland has promised twenty-five thoroughbred dogs will enter from that city as far as known at present, and before the show is probable more will decide to compete. Last year only 11 canines entered from Portland. The total number of entries at the last show was over 200. The local association has written to the Canadian Kennel Club asking them to arrange for a different competition for the medals presented at the Victoria show. In presenting these medals the Canadian association stipulated that they be awarded to the best dog of the breed in the class, as against the rules of the Pacific Kennel Association that one class compete against another. It is the desire that some particular class be decided upon for the competition.

MINING LAWS.

To the Editor:—Through the columns of your paper I would like to express my views on Crown grant mining rights in comparison with lease rights. I for one cannot see how any reasonable man who wishes the welfare and prosperity of the country can ever look for a law giving Crown grant of mining property. With the glaring faults that are standing out before the miners of Barkerville, none but a land grabber or speculator could wish for such a law. The prospector and miner has no use for such a law. To those who wish to go to the mines, the only thing that is helping to roll forward the car of progress is a law is disgusting. The lease system will do for anyone who does not want to sit idly down and let someone else develop the resources while he comes in for an unearned share of the spoils.

BIG BABIES.

Healthy Children Make Happy Mothers.

No baby ever came into the world, however weak and frail, but held as its birthright the precious dower of a mother's priceless love. But love can do so little for the weakling child except to pity it and sorrow for its helplessness, that the mother who had looked forward to the care of her child with happy anticipation finds it a task that tests her devotion, to care for a puny, fretful, wailing baby.



to watch the growth of the sturdy little one, whose gurgling laughter finds an echo in the voice of every member of the family. The question is, are the conditions which determine the strength or weakness of the child unalterable? Is it possible that a mother who has borne several children and lost them all because of inherent weakness, can be so strengthened that her children shall be healthy and hardy?

neighbors and she tried it and the result is a big, healthy boy. Her last two babies before this one were born dead, after she had suffered untold misery. She feels very grateful for the 'Favorite Prescription.'

"I was very weak and nervous when I commenced taking Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery' about a year ago," writes Mrs. M. E. Everett, of 98 Oxford St., Woodstock, Ont. "I had been suffering for seven long months, and had taken medicine from a physician all the time, but it seemed to make me feel much worse. My stomach was bad (so my doctor told me), and my nerves were in such a state that I would start at the least noise. I felt irritable all the time. How I suffered! God and myself alone know. I was greatly discouraged when I commenced taking your medicines, but the first bottle seemed to help me. I took five bottles of 'Favorite Prescription,' two of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' also two vials of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. I can highly recommend 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery' to all who suffer as I did. My sickness dated from the birth of my last child, which died when she was born. My own life hung on a thread for several weeks. If I had only taken Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription I am sure my poor boy would have been alive to-day. I suffered all the time before she was born. I never had better health than I now enjoy, and it is all owing to Dr. Pierce's medicines."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a safe and sure medicine for women. It contains no alcohol, neither opium, cocaine nor any other narcotic. It establishes regularity, dries the drains which weaken women, cleanses the system and alleviates, and cures female weakness. It is the best preparative for maternity—tranquilizing the nerves, encouraging the appetite and inducing refreshing sleep. It cures the nervousness experienced by many women who participate maternity. It increases the physical vigor and vitality, so that the ordeal of approaching without anxiety, and the baby's advent is made practically painless.

Woman's Opportunity. Dr. Pierce invites women who suffer from long standing ailments to consult him by letter, free. All correspondence to be sent strictly private. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. Accept no substitute for 'Favorite Prescription.' There is no motive for substituting except to enable the dealer to make out of his customer the little more profit paid by less meritorious medicines. Absolutely Priceless. Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Advice is priceless in two meanings: It is priceless as being above price, and it is priceless as being without price, and the best popular work on medicine at any price, and it costs nothing, being sent entirely free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send 31 one-cent stamps for the book in cloth binding, or only 25 cents for it in paper cover. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. Cassidy asked His Lordship for his decision this morning, and the latter replied that the decision would be forthcoming just as quickly as he could go through a few minutes' rest. At the point, "Would you like the decision?" said Mr. Cassidy. "You can't press me any further," His Lordship replied. "You have a fair answer, but you are never satisfied with any answer or any decision."

The election petitions didn't stop there, however. Mr. Duff applied this morning for an order setting down the petition against Col. Prior for trial before the session, arguing that the appeal against the dismissal of the preliminary objections was no reason for delaying trial. Mr. F. Lenton opposed this, and Mr. Justice Walkem dismissed Mr. Duff's summons. The latter then asked leave to appeal to the Full court immediately. His Lordship granted leave, and conferred with his brother judges in an endeavor to have the Full court convened this morning, but latter announced that the application must be made through the registrar in the regular way. Counsel are now endeavoring to give the appeal on, and it may possibly be decided this afternoon.

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THE LENTEN SEASON. Begins To-day—Special Services in the Anglican Churches. The Lenten season begins to-day. This morning the communion was celebrated at Christ Church Cathedral, and matins litany and communion service at 11. This evening evensong will be conducted with sermon by the Bishop. The following services will be held at 10 a. m. and 5 p. m. On Friday evenings a course of addresses will be given by Rev. W. Baugh Allen on preparation for Easter communion at 7.30, commencing on Friday next.

During Lent, as usual, offerings will be asked throughout the diocese for the diocesan mission fund, for supplying the services of the church in those districts in which her members are not in a position to provide entirely for the necessary support of a clergyman. This morning services were conducted in St. Barnabas church as follows: Holy eucharist at 8 a. m.; matins and communion, 11 a. m. There will be evensong and an address this evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. Other Lenten services have been arranged as follows: Sundays—The holy eucharist, 8 a. m.; March 1st—Matins, 10.30 a. m.; choral eucharist, 11 a. m.; preacher, rector. Evensong, 7 p. m.; preached, the Bishop.

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