Provincial Gazette

Ald. Stewart Appointed a Member of the Licensing Board.

The Hutcheson Company Incorporated to Take Over the Westside.

The Provincial Gazette, which issues this evening contains the official announcement of the appointment of Ald. Alex. Stewart as a member of the board of licensing commissioners of Victoria. The new announcements in the Gazette will be as follows:

Sealed tenders will be received by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works up to March 18th, for the completion of the interior of the court house at New Westminster.

The partnership between D. H. McDonald and J. J. Moffat, carrying on business in Vancouver under the name of The Burrard Inlet Packing Co., has been dissolved, the last named retiring from the business.

Among the extra-provincial companies registered under the laws of the province are the "St. Clair Gold Mining Co., of St. Clair, Mich., capital $50,000, provincial office, Rossland, E. W. Liljegran, attorney; "The O'Shea Gold Mining and Milling Co.," of Spokane, capital $50,000 provincial office, Camp McKinney, Thos. Donald, attorney; and "The Shannon-Dolphin Gold Mining Co.," with the same capitalization, head office, local office and attorney.

A court of revision for the North Victoria district will be held by Wm. Wain at Salt Spring Island on May 1st at 9 a.m.; at New Westminster for Dewdney, Richmond, and Delta, at the same date at 10 a.m.; for Nanaimo City, North Nanaimo and South Nanaimo, at 12 o'clock noon the same day; for Cumberland, at Cumberland on 2nd May at 10 a.m.; and for Cowichan as Duncans on May 1st at 11 o'clock.

The following companies are incorporated: The Hutcheson Company, Limited, of Victoria, with a capital of $100,000, to take over the business of the "Westside;" the "Duncan River Co-operative Mining and Development Company, Limited," of Rossland, with a capital of $1,500,000; "Columbia Townsite Company, Limited," of Upper Grand Forks, with a capital of $150,000; the "Herst Estate Land Company, Limited," of Nanaimo, with a capital of $45,000; "Indiana Silver Mining Co., Limited," non-personal liability, of Whitewater, capital $100,000; Atlin Hydraulic Mining Company, Limited, non-personal liability of Victoria, capital $100,000.

The following appointments have been made: Peter W. Rolston, M.D., of Clayoquot, fleet surgeon, retired, to be a coroner for the province; Herbert R. Townsend, of Rossland, to be mining recorder for Trail Creek division; Cecil K. Courtney, of Victoria, to be a notary public for the province; and Alex. Stewart, of Victoria, to be a member of the board of licensing commissioners for this city; Frank R. Stewart, and Walter Boult, of Vancouver, and Alex. L. McKillop, of Nelson, to be members of the licensing commissioners of their respective cities; and Samuel Lovatt, of Pilot Bay, to be a coroner for the county of Kootenay.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to appoint:

David MacEwen Eberts, of the city of Victoria, esquire, barrister-at-law, to be Her Majesty's counsel learned in the law, and to take rank and precedence in the order in which their names appear.

Notice is given by Charles Hay that after the expiration of one month from date application will be made to the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council for the incorporation into a city municipality, under the name of the corporation of the city of Columbia, of that certain locality in the Province of British Columbia, being all the land included within the limits of lots 380, 520 and 533, group one, Osoyoos division of Yale district, in the said province.

SOME TALES OF WOE.

Among those who arrived on last night's Danube from the North were Messrs. McDougall and Stoddart, of Lowa, who went up to Skagway some time ago to work on the White Pass & Yukon railway. Mr. Stoddart fell ill with grip, and the doctor informed him that if he did not leave Skagway within a week he would have pneumonia and spinal meningitis. Naturally he does not give a very glowing account of a country in which he has had such hard luck and says that he would not return to work there for $5 a day.

He confirms the news of the strike on the railroad, and says that out of 1,500 employes nearly 1,000 are out. When he left every house in Skagway was full, many men sleeping in chairs in the saloons and the influx of strikers still being in progress when the Danube sailed. The strike was caused by the reduction of the wages of the men from 35 to 30 cents an hour, and the increase of the number of working hours from nine to ten. It was rumored in Skagway that the company intended suspending construction work until May. The high winds prevailing at the Summit are very hard on the men's constitutions, and almost all the men employed there are frost bitten on the face. About twelve of the strikers came down on the Danube.

The death occurred at Skagway a few days before the Danube sailed of Superintendent Foy, construction manager of the railroad. His family live in Seattle, where his remains are being taken by the Rosalie, which the Danube passed at anchorage in Queen Charlotte Sound. The cause of his death was pneumonia. He was about 50 years of age.

At Wrangel the Danube's steerage passenger list was augmented by the addition of two Edmonton men, who, with three others, started out last year to reach Dawson via the Edmonton trail. After spending one year and two days on the trail and encountering all forms of hardship and suffering they reached Glenora and came down the Stikine to Wrangel, where they were picked up by the C.P.N. vessel. They went on to Vancouver last night, en route home.

A constant stream of travellers is coming from Dawson, some of whom report very quick journeys from the "inside." Two men reached the Gateway City about a week ago, who stated they had come out in 16 days. Five men reached Skagway via the Dalton trail in a starving condition. They stated that they had had nothing to eat for five days, and were in a very emaciated condition.

Another passenger aboard the Danube was a doctor, who, with two mineralogists, has been prospecting around Dawson in the interests of a German company. His two companions are awaiting him in San Francisco. The doctor says that the Dawson goldfields are over estimated and that there are very few valuable properties outside of about 150 claims on Eldorado, Bonanza and Dominion creeks.

OFFICERS ELECTED.

Grand Lodge Proceedings of the British Columbia A. O. U. W. Now in Session.

The Grand Lodge of B. C. of the A.O.U.W., now in session in this city, had a long and interesting discussion yesterday afternoon relative to a suggestion contained in the Grand Master Workman's report that a grand organizer be appointed. Arguments pro and con were advanced, and it was finally decided to leave the subject for future discussion.

Reports of special committee and the best method of dealing with extra-hazardous were also dealt with, and in the evening the report of the committee on laws was take nup and disposed of.

TO-DAY'S PROCEEDINGS.

Resuming this morning at 9 o'clock the Grand Lodge proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year, which resulted as follows:

G.M.W., E. J. Salmon; G.F., Geo. Adams; G. Recorder, J. T. McIlmoyl; G. Rec., R. T. Williams; G. Medical Examiner, Dr. W. A. De Wolf Smith; Grand Trustees, J. D. Warren, J. Hilbert, A. M. Bullock; Supreme Representatives, J. T. McIlmoyl, A. E. Woods, J. E. Church.

The question of the advisability of having an official organ was then discussed, a committee being appointed to deal with the matter.

At noon the Grand Lodge officers faced a camera operated by the well-known photographer, Mr. Jones, and at 1 p.m. an adjournment was taken until evening, when the newly elected officers will be installed.

In addition to the retiring grand officers the following delegates are in attendance:

Geo. Gawley, Victoria; A. M. Bullock, Vancouver; A. M. Fraser, New Westminster; M. W. Minthorn, New Westminster; Jno. Hilbert, Nanaimo; D. Daley, Nanaimo; J. W. Fleming, Spring Ridge, Victoria; T. H. Trahey, Victoria West; Thos. Houghton, Trail; J. Irving, Vancouver; H. Benson, Delta; Nelson Carter, Port Haney; E. Waddell, Kelowna.

VICTORIA CITY MARKETS.

The egg-eater may now satisfy his appetite without being guilty of extravagance, for the egg market has declined to such an extent that the imported variety are readily sold at 20 cents and the fresh ones at 25 cents. There is an abundant supply and dealers expect a still further reduction in the price.

As intimated in this column last week, the potato market is stiffening as most of holders have cleared out their stocks. They are now quoted at $1.25 a cwt., and are expected to advance still further in price. The retail quotations for the week follow:

Flour—	
Ogilvie's Hungarian, per bbl.	$ 4.00
Lake of the Woods, per bbl.	6.00
Leitch's, per bbl.	6.50
O. K., per bbl.	5.00@ 5.50
Snow Flake, per bbl.	5.00
Calgary Hung	5.00
Premier, per bbl.	5.50
XXX Enderby, per bbl.	5.00
Grain—	
Wheat, per ton	26.00@30.00
Corn (whole), per ton	26.00@28.00
Corn (cracked), per ton	27.00@30.00
Oats, per ton	23.00@25.00
Oatmeal, per 10 lbs.	40@ 50
Rolled oats (B. & K.)	04
Rolled oats (B. & K.), per sack	30
Feed—	
Hay (baled), per ton	10.00@12.00
Straw, per bale	50@ 75
Middlings, per ton	24.00@27.00
Bran, per ton	22.00@24.00
Ground feed per ton	25.00@28.00
Vegetables—	
Potatoes, per 100 lbs	90 @ 1.00
Beets, per lb	2
Cabbage, per lb	2
Cauliflower, per head	15
Celery, per bd	2½
Lettuce, 4 bds. for	25
Onions, per lb	2½
Onions (pickling), per lb	3@ 4
Gherkins, per lb	03@ 05
Fish—	
Salmon (smoked), per lb	20
Salmon (spring), per lb	12½
Oysters (Olympian), per qt	80
Oysters (Eastern), per tin	60
Cod, per lb	8@ 10
Halibut, per lb	12½
Herring	5
Smelts, per lb	10
Flounders	8
Crabs, 2 and 3 for	25
Farm Produce—	
Eggs (Island, fresh), per doz	25
Eggs (Manitoba), per doz	20
Butter (Delta creamery)	25@ 30
Best dairy	27@ 30
Butter (Cowichan creamery)	35
Cheese (Canadian)	15@ 20
Lard, per lb	12½@ 15
Meats—	
Hams (American), per lb	16
Hams (Canadian), per lb	15
Bacon (American, per lb	15
Bacon (Canadian), per lb	14@ 16
Bacon (rolled), per lb	12@ 16
Bacon (long clear), per lb	12½
Beef, per lb	8@ 18
Mutton, per lb	10@ 15
Veal, per lb	12@ 15
Pork, per lb	10@ 15
Shoulders, per lb	14
Fruit—	
Bananas, per dozen	25@ 35
Cocoanuts, each	10
Lemons (California), per doz	30@ 35
Oranges (California seedlings)	20@ 25
Oranges, Jap., per doz. (small)	10
Oranges, Jap., per doz. (large)	15
Melons (each)	50@ 60
Citrons	1½@ 2
Crab apples, per lb	04
Apples	1.25
Poultry—	
Hens (per doz.)	9.00
Dressed fowl (per pair)	1.50@ 1.00
Ducks (per doz)	9.00
Turkeys (per lb., live weight)	20@ 25

FARMERS' INSTITUTES.

Details of New Districts and Suggested Meeting Dates.

According to the amended act passed at the last session of the legislature, the following districts have been sub-divided:

Victoria district now includes the electoral divisions of South and North Victoria, exclusive of Salt Spring Island.

Metchosin is created a separate district and includes the electoral division of Esquimalt.

Surrey and Langley are divided and each municipality is created a separate district.

Okanagan is sub-divided into three districts, called respectively Spallumcheen, Okanagan and Osoyoos.

Spallumcheen includes the municipality of Spallumcheen and all that portion of East Yale lying to the southward of the municipality of Spallumcheen as far as and including what is known as the commonage.

Osoyoos includes all the remaining portion of East Yale.

Kamloops now includes all that portion of North Yale lying to the northward and westward of a line drawn from the southeast corner of township 19, range 2, to the south of Chasses creek; thence of a line northward to the northern boundary of North Yale.

Salmon Arm is created a separate district and includes all the remaining portion of North Yale.

The name of Salt Spring Institute is changed to the Islands Farmers' Institute.

In conformity with the opinions expressed by the delegates of the Central Farmers' Institute at the recent meeting as to the best time for holding regular spring meetings, the superintendent, Mr. J. R. Anderson, has suggested the following programme to the various Institutes, viz:

Monday, 15th May, Salt Spring Island.
Tuesday, 16th May, Nanaimo.
Thursday, 18th May, Sandwich, and another point if desired.
Friday, 19th May, Parksville.
Saturday, 20th May, Alberni.
Tuesday, 23rd May, Cowichan or Cobble Hill.
Tuesday, 23rd May, Duncans.
Friday, 26th May, Metchosin.
Saturday, 27th May, Metchosin.
Saturday, 27th May, Garnham or Saanich.
Tuesday, 30th May, Richmond (morning or afternoon).
Tuesday, 30th May, Central Park (evening).
Wednesday, 31st May, Port Hammond (morning and afternoon).
Wednesday, 31st May, Haney (evening).
Thursday, 1st June, Ladners.
Friday, 2nd June, Surrey Centre.
Saturday, 3rd June, Langley.
Monday, 5th June, Abbottsford.
Monday, 5th June, another point, say Mt. Lehman.
Wednesday, 7th June, Chilliwack.
Thursday, 8th June, another point.
Friday, 9th June, Agassiz.
Monday, 12th June, Kelowna.
Tuesday 13th June, Vernon or vicinity.
Wednesday, 14th June, Armstrong.
Wednesday, 14th June, Enderby.
Friday, 16th June, Salmon Arm.
Saturday, 17th June, Kamloops.

All disorders caused by a bilious state of the system can be cured by using Carter's Little Liver Pills. No pain, griping or discomfort attending their use. Try them.

Rev. E. Ewrads, pastor of the English Baptist Church at Minersville, Pa., when suffering with rheumatism was advised to try Chamberlain's Jain Bajur. He says: "A few applications of this liniment proved of great service to me. It subdued the inflammation and relieved the pain. Should any sufferer profit by giving Pain Balm a trial it will please me."

For sale by Langley & Henderson Bros., wholesale agents, Victoria and Vancouver.

WOMAN'S FAVORITE WEAPON.

Paris, March 8.—Madame Charles Blanchini, wife of the famous scenic artist of that name, whose trial on a charge of attempting to poison her husband began on Monday last, was sentenced to-day to five years' penal servitude. As she was leaving the court room the prisoner made a futile attempt to commit suicide by stabbing herself with a hat pin.

LOVE'S FLOWER GARDEN.

In Love's Flower Garden there is the full-blown rose of married happiness and the holy perfume of joyous motherhood for every woman who takes proper care of her health in a womanly way. For the weak, sickly, nervous, despondent woman, who suffers untold miseries in silence from weakness and disease of the delicate organs concerned in wifehood and motherhood, there are only thorns, and to her the perfume of motherhood is the aroma of death.

No woman is fitted for the responsibilities of wifehood and the duties of motherhood who is a sufferer in this way. Every woman may be strong and healthy in a womanly way, if she will. It lies with herself. She needs, in the first place, a little knowledge of the reproductive physiology of women. This she can obtain by securing and reading a copy of Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser. It contains 1008 pages and over 300 illustrations. It tells all about all the ordinary ills of life, and how to treat them. Several chapters and illustrations are devoted to the physical make-up of women. It tells how to treat all the diseases peculiar to women. It gives the names, addresses, photographs and experiences of hundreds of women who have been snatched from the verge of the grave to live happy, healthy lives by Dr. Pierce's medicines. This book she can obtain free. It used to cost $1.50, and over seven hundred thousand copies were purchased by women at that price. Over a million women now own copies. For a paper-covered copy send 21 one-cent stamps, to cover cost of customs and mailing only, to World's Dispensary Medical Association, Buffalo, N. Y. For cloth binding, send 50 one-cent stamps.

Licence Authorizing an Extra Provincial Company to Carry on Business.

"COMPANIES ACT, 1897."

Canada,
Province of British Columbia.

No. 127.

This is to certify that "The Quesnelle Dredging and Hydraulicing Syndicate, Limited," is authorized and licensed to carry on business within the Province of British Columbia, and to carry out or effect all or any of the objects hereinafter set forth to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the company is situate at No. 139 Cannon street, London, England.

The amount of the capital of the Company is £50,000, divided into 50,000 shares of £1 each.

The head office of the company in this Province is situate at the City of Victoria, and Cuyler Armstrong Holland, manager of the British Columbia Land and Investment Agency, Limited, whose address is 40 Government street, Victoria, is the attorney for the company.

The objects for which the company has been established are:

(a.) To search for mines, minerals, ores and precious stones, and to explore and prospect land supposed to contain minerals or precious stones in any part of the world; to obtain information as to mines, mining districts and localities, mining claims, water claims, water rights, and any other rights, claims and property; to purchase, take on lease or concession, or otherwise acquire any interest therein or to enter into agreements to this end provisional or absolute, and to pay deposits or instalments of purchase money subject or otherwise to forfeiture on non-completion:

(b.) To hold, sell, dispose of and deal with mines, mining rights, mining claims, and land supposed to contain minerals, precious stones, and undertakings connected therewith; to work, exercise, develop, finance and turn to account the same, and to buy, sell, refine, manipulate and deal in minerals and metals of all kinds, and in particular, gold, silver, and other precious metals and precious stones:

(c) To examine, investigate and secure the titles to lands, farms, mines, minerals, ores and mining or other rights and claims in any part of the world; to print, publish, advertise, and sent to any part of the world and to pay fees, costs, charges and expenses of agents, including persons and incorporations, mining experts, legal counsel, and all persons useful, or supposed to be useful, in examining, investigating and exploring lands, farms, mines, minerals, ores, mining and other rights and claims, or in examining, investigating, and securing the title to lands, farms, mines, minerals, ores, mining or other rights and claims in any part of the world; to print, publish, advertise, and circulate reports, maps, plans, prospectuses and documents of every kind whatsoever, directly or indirectly relating, or supposing to relate, to lands, mines, minerals, ores, and mining or other rights, concessions and claims in any part of the world, or the title thereto, or to the organization, operation, and objects of this company or any other company:

(d.) To acquire from time to time, by purchase or otherwise, concessions, grants, freeholds, leases, rights, claims and interests in lands or other properties of every description, in any part of the world, including mines, works, railways, tramways, lands, wharves, docks, canals, water rights and ways, quarries, forests, pits, mills, building, machinery, stock, plants and things, upon such terms and in such manner as may be deemed advisable:

(e.) To lease, settle, improve, colonize and cultivate lands and hereditaments in any part of the world, and to develop the resources of any lands and hereditaments, by building, planting, clearing, mining, and otherwise dealing with the same.

(f.) To purchase or otherwise acquire, hold, sell, lease, grant licenses or easements, exchange, turn to account, dispose of and deal in real and personal property of all kinds, and in particular lands, buildings, hereditaments, business concerns and undertakings, mortgages, charges, annuities, patents, patent rights, copyrights, licenses, securities, grants, charters, concessions, leases, contracts, options, policies, book debts, claims and any interest in real or personal property, and any claims against such property, or against any person or company or corporation, and to finance and carry on any business concern or undertaking so acquired, and to enfranchise any leasehold property acquired by the company:

(g.) To aid, encourage and promote immigration into any lands or property acquired or controlled by the company, and to colonize the same, and for such purposes to lend and grant any sums of money for any purposes which may be, or may be supposed to be for the advantage of the company:

(h.) To lay out towns or villages on any lands acquired or controlled by the company, or in which the company is in any way interested, and to construct, maintain, carry on, and alter roads, streets, hotels, boarding houses, factories, shops and stores, and to contribute to the cost of making, providing and carrying on and working the same:

(i.) To purchase or otherwise acquire and undertake all or any part of railway or tramway property, or the rights and liabilities of any person or company holding or seeking to acquire, or making or constructing railways or tramways, canals, water-works or public improvements in any part of the world:

(j.) To promote, construct, equip, improve, maintain, work, manage, or control or aid in or subscribe towards the promotion, construction, improvement, maintenance, working, management or control of, or to hire, rent or charter works, undertakings and operations of all kinds, both public and private, and in particular roads, tramways, engines, wagons, telegraphs, telephones, cables, lighters, harbors, piers, docks, quays, wharves, warehouses, bridges, viaducts, aqueducts, reservoirs, embankments, water-works, watercourses, canals, flumes, irrigations, drainage works, sewerage works, saw mills, crushing mills, smelting works, iron, steel, ordnance, engineering or implement works, hydraulic works, gas, electric lighting and electrical works, power and supply works, quarries, collieries, coke ovens, foundries, furnaces, factories, carrying undertakings by land and water, stage coaches, fortifications, markets, exchanges, mints, public or private buildings, newspapers and publication establishments, breweries, wineries, distilleries, hotels, residences, stores, shops, houses, places of amusement, recreation or instruction, theatres, race courses, cattle shows, flower shows, schools, technical institutions, universities, colleges, hospitals, laboratories, libraries, gardens, exhibitions, concert rooms, churches and chapels, whether for the purposes of the company, or for sale or hire to or in return for any consideration from any other company or person:

(k.) To purchase or otherwise acquire, hold or sell, or manipulate, exchange, turn to account, dispose of or deal in agricultural, plantation, fishing and trading rights; and all or any products of farms, plantations, vineries, forests, fisheries, and the like, including animals, grain, provisions, fruits, wines, spirits, cotton, wool, silk, fibres, tobacco, coffee, tea, sugar, timber, rubber, oils, chemical, explosives, drugs, dye stuffs, nitrates, petroleum, bullion, specie, coin, copper, lead, tin, quicksilver, iron, coal, stone, and other merchandise and commodities of all kinds, either for immediate or future delivery, and whether in a crude state or manufactured or otherwise, and to advance money at interest upon the security of all or any such products, merchandise and commodities, and to carry on business as merchants, importers and exporters:

(l.) To undertake and carry on any business, transaction, or operation commonly undertaken or carried on by bankers, underwriters, concessionaires, contractors for public and other works, capitalists or merchants, and generally to institute, enter into, carry on, assist or participate in financial, commercial, mercantile, industrial, manufacturing, mining and other businesses, works, contracts, undertakings and financial operations of all kinds, and to carry on any other business which may seem to the company capable of being conveniently carried on in connection with any of the objects of the company, or which may be thought calculated, directly or indirectly, to enhance the value of or render profitable any of the company's property or rights:

(m.) To deal in, purchase, make merchantable, sell, and dispose of ores, minerals, goods and merchandise generally in any part of the world:

(n.) To carry on the business of a mining, smelting, trading and metallurgical company, in all its branches, in any part of the world:

(o.) To acquire by grant, purchase, or otherwise, concessions of any property or privileges from any Government, British, Colonial, or foreign, and to perform and fulfil the terms and conditions thereof:

(p.) To sell, exchange, mortgage, lease or otherwise deal with, either absolutely, conditionally, or for any limited interest, the undertaking or property, rights or privileges of the company, or any part thereof, as a going concern or otherwise, to any public body, corporation, company, society or association, whether incorporated or not, or to any person or persons, for such consideration as the company may think fit, and in particular for cash, shares, stocks, debentures, securities or property of any other company; to distribute any of the assets or property of the company among the members in specie or otherwise, but so that no distribution amounting to a reduction of capital be made without the sanction of the Court where necessary:

(q.) To promote, organize, and register, and to aid and assist in the promotion, organization and registration of any company or companies, either in Great Britain or elsewhere, for the purpose of acquiring, working or otherwise dealing with any of the property, rights or liabilities of this company, or any property in which this company is interested, or for any other purpose, with power to assist such company or companies by paying or contributing towards the preliminary expenses or providing the whole or part of the capital thereof, or by taking or subscribing for shares, preferred or ordinary, or by lending money thereto upon debentures or otherwise, and to incur and pay out of the property of the company any costs and expenses which may be expedient or useful or supposed to be expedient or useful, in or about or incident to the promotion, organization, registration, advertising and establishment of any such company, and to the issue and subscription of the same, and to pay commissions, brokerage and commissions for obtaining applications for or placing, or guaranteeing the placing of the shares or any debentures, debenture stock or other securities thereof, and to undertake the management and secretarial or other work, duties and business of any company on such terms as may be arranged:

(r.) To lend and advance money upon the security or supposed security of farms, lands, mines, minerals, claims, mining or other rights, concessions, claims, or pastoral or other leases in any part of the world, with or without security, and in particular to customers of and persons having dealings with the company:

(s.) To make and carry into effect all arrangements with respect to the union of interests or amalgamation, either in whole or in part with any other companies or persons having objects similar to, or included in the objects of this company:

(t.) To transact and carry on all kinds of agency and commission business, and in particular to collect moneys, royalties, revenue, interest, rents and debts, and to negotiate loans and find investments, and to issue and place shares, stock, bonds, debentures, debenture stock, and other securities; to subscribe for, purchase, or otherwise acquire and hold, sell, exchange, dispose of, deal in, negotiate or issue shares, stock, bonds, debentures, debenture stock, or securities of any company or of any authority, supreme, municipal, local or otherwise:

(u.) To guarantee the payment of money secured by or payable under or in respect of bonds, debentures, debenture stock, contracts, mortgages, charges, obligations and securities of any company or of any authority, supreme, municipal, local or otherwise, or of any persons whomsoever, whether incorporated or not incorporated:

(v.) To guarantee or take the title to or quiet enjoyment of property, either absolutely or subject to any qualifications or conditions, and to guarantee persons and corporations interested or about to become interested in any property against any loss, actions, proceedings, claims or demands in respect of any insufficiency, imperfection or deficiency of title, or in respect of any incumbrance, burdens, or outstanding rights:

(w.) To furnish and provide deposits and guarantees of funds required in relation to any tender or application for any contract, concession, decree, enactment, property or privilege, or in relation to the carrying out of any contract, concession, decree or enactment:

(x.) Generally, to carry on and transact every kind of guarantee business, including the performance of contracts by members of, or companies or persons having dealings with the company, and to undertake obligations of every kind and description, and also to undertake and execute trusts of all kinds:

(y.) To receive moneys, securities and valuables of all kinds on deposit, at interest or otherwise, or for safe custody, and generally, to carry on the business of a Safe Deposit Company:

(z.) To make, accept, issue, indorse, and execute bills of exchange, promissory notes, and other negotiable instruments, and to discount, buy, sell, and deal in the same; to grant, issue, buy, sell, and deal in bills of lading, dock and other warrants; to issue, buy, sell, and deal in coupons and all other promises to pay moneys:

(aa.) To borrow or raise money for the purposes of the company, in such manner and upon such terms as may seem expedient, and to secure the repayment thereof, and of moneys owing or obligations incurred by the company, by redeemable or irredeemable bonds, debentures, or debenture stock (such bonds, debentures, or debenture stock being made payable to bearer or otherwise, and payable either at par or at a premium or discount) or by mortgages, scrip certificates, bills of exchange or promissory notes, or by any other instrument or in such other manner as may be determined, and for any such purpose to charge all or any part of the property of the company, both present and future, including its uncalled capital, and to allot the shares of the company credited as fully or partly paid up, or bonds, debentures, or debenture stock issued by the company, as the whole or part of the purchase price for any property purchased by the company, or for any valuable consideration:

(bb.) To make donations to such persons and in such cases, and either of cash or other assets, as may be thought directly or indirectly conducive to any of the company's objects, or otherwise expedient, and in particular to remunerate any person or corporation introducing business to this company, and to subscribe, or guarantee money for charitable or benevolent objects, or for any exhibition, or for any public, general, or other object, and to aid in the establishment and support of associations for the benefit of persons employed by or having dealing with the company, and in particular friendly or other benefit societies, and to grant any pension, either by way of an annual payment or a lump sum, to any officer or servant of the company:

(cc.) To purchase or otherwise acquire and undertake all or any part of the business, property, good-will and liabilities of any company, corporation, society, partnership, or persons carrying on or about to carry on, any business, which this company is authorized to carry on, or which is in any respect similar to the objects of this company, or which is capable of being conducted so as directly or indirectly to benefit this company, or possessed of property deemed suitable for the purposes of this company, and to enter into partnership or into any arrangement with respect to the sharing of profits, union of interests, or amalgamation, reciprocal concession or co-operation, either in whole or in part, with any such company, corporation, society, partnership, or persons:

(dd.) To pay out of the funds of the company all expenses of any incident to the formation, registration, advertising and establishment of this company, and the issue and subscription of the share or loan capital, including brokerage and commissions for obtaining applications for, or placing or guaranteeing the placing of the shares, or any debentures, debenture stock or other securities of this company; and also all expenses attending the issue of any circular or notice, and the printing, stamping and circulating of proxies or forms to be filled up by the members of this company:

(ee.) To obtain, or in any way assist in obtaining any Provisional Order or Act of Parliament, or other necessary authority, for enabling this or any other company to carry any of its objects into effect, or for effecting any modification of this or any other company's constitution, to procure this or any other company to be legalized, registered or incorporated if necessary, in accordance with the laws of any country or state in which it may, or may propose to carry on operations; to establish and maintain agencies for this company, and to open and to keep a colonial or foreign register or registers of this or any other company, in any British colony or dependency, or in any foreign country, and to allocate any number of the shares in this or any other company to such register or registers:

(ff.) To all or any of the above things in any part of the globe, either as principals, agents, contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and either alone or in conjunction with others, and either by or through agents, sub-contractors, trustees, or otherwise, and with power to appoint a trustee or trustees, personal or corporate, to hold any property on behalf of the company, and to allow any property to remain outstanding in such trustee or trustees:

(gg.) To do all such other things as are incidental or may be thought conducive to the attainment of the above objects, or any of them, and so that the word "company" in this Memorandum, when applied otherwise than to this company, shall be deemed to include any partnership or other body of persons, whether corporate or incorporate, and whether domiciled in the United Kingdom or elsewhere, and the objects specified in each of the paragraphs in this Memorandum shall be regarded as independent objects, and accordingly shall be in no wise limited or restricted by reference to the objects specified in any other paragraph, or the name of the company, but may be carried out as full and as ample a manner, and construed in as wide a sense as if each of the said paragraphs defined the objects of a separate, distinct and independent company.

Given under my hand and seal of office, at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 23rd day of January, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

(L.S.) S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that we intend to apply to the Hon. Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a special license to cut and remove timber and trees from off a tract of land situate in Cassiar District, more particularly described as follows:

Commencing at a post on the westerly boundary of W. J. McKeon's tract, eight chains south from the Homan river, thence (200) two hundred chains westerly, following the sinuosities of the river, and (200) twenty chains therefrom, thence northerly (50) fifty chains, thence easterly (200) two hundred chains, following the sinuosities of the river a distance of (30) thirty chains therefrom, thence southerly (50) fifty chains to the point of commencement, comprising (1,000) one thousand acres, more or less.

The Victoria-Yukon Trading Company, Limited.

J. HOLLAND,
Managing Director.

LAW INTELLIGENCE.

The appeal in Pender v. War Eagle from the order of Mr. Justice Drake refusing to order C. F. Jones to furnish notes of evidence taken at the trial, was heard by the Full Court this morning and judgment was reserved. The Attorney-General appeared for the plaintiff, the appellant, and A. S. Potts for Jones. In September Jones went to Kootenay to act as court stenographer during the sittings of the court up there. His instructions were contained in a letter from the Attorney-General's department, in which it was stated that his remuneration should be settled on his return, and when he came back he relied on an old order-in-council passed in 1891 and claimed $10 for the first day's work and $8 a day thereafter. The department would not pay him this and he refuses to give the parties in the action a copy of the evidence, although they offer to pay him the usual rate per folio for copy. He claims a lien on his notes and will not transcribe them until the government pays him what he claims. Mr. Justice Drake refused to make an order to compel him to deliver up the notes, basing his reason on the fact that Jones was never appointed by an order-in-council an official stenographer. The Attorney-General contended that Jones was now estopped from contending he was not properly appointed because he had acted as a court stenographer and could not now be heard to deny that he was. He also argued that it was a contempt of court. A. S. Potts for Jones claimed his client had a lien on his notes until paid for his services, and he only claimed a fair remuneration and such was fixed by the order-in-council in 1891. Judgment will be given to-morrow.

Bank of Montreal v. Williamson was the next case taken up. The notice of appeal was given the same day the statutes of 1899 came into force and Mr. Wilson for the bank took several preliminary objections to the appeal. The notice was given for the court sitting at Victoria and because the writ was issued in the Vancouver registry he claimed the appeal should have been set down for Vancouver. The court ruled against him on this objection and he then claimed that the appeal from the interlocutory order is out of time under the amended Supreme Court Act, but was in time under the old act. The question is being argued at the time of going to press.

Mr. Peters appears on the other side.

SCURVY AT GLENORA.

An Epidemic Breaks Out in the City at the Stikine Head.

According to a letter received from Glenora under date of February 25 from Mr. M. Martin, an epidemic of scurvy has broken out at that town.

The writer says: "Three weeks ago a case of scurvy was reported to Judge Porter, the sufferer being an unfortunate Klondiker. Since that date quite an epidemic has broken out, which has necessitated Judge Porter opening an hospital, the headquarters being at Glenora.

"Thirteen cases have come under Dr. Layton's care, Dr. Layton is a graduate of the College of Medicine, Detroit, Mich. Mr. Louis Watson has been put in as nurse and superintendent. Mr. Watson has always a pleasant greeting and is kind and gentle in his manners. When I visited the hospital I was struck by the general cheerfulness of the humble sanitarium.

"The hospital is naturally merely a log cabin, but unlike most miners' cabins it has plenty of light, good ventilation and an even temperature is kept up. The patients seemed to be having a really good time; they looked cheerful; color was returning to their cheeks, and satisfactory progress towards recovery was shown in the interest many were taking in the books and journals that had been supplied them.

"Malcolm Maclean, the head of the police, has been instrumental in bringing the patients in, one from the half-way house on the Teslin trail, one from the Hudson's Bay post, several from the Tahtan, three local, and one from Glacier Creek. I think to Judge Porter much praise is due for his humane organization."

CANADIAN BREVITIES.

Brantford, March 8.—Dan Stevens was to-day sentenced to 20 years' imprisonment for manslaughter. Last December he shot a fellow tramp.

Toronto, March 8.—A bill giving Ottawa power to run street cars on Sunday was passed by the private bills committee to-day.

Winnipeg, March 8.—The remains of the late Rev. Principal King were interred in Kildenan cemetery to-day.

Montreal, March 8.—Cordelia Poirier says she will make a confession on the scaffold. The scaffold is so arranged that the executions can take place simultaneously, but Father Maloche is unwilling that the condemned should see each other there. Radcliffe, the executioner, cannot obtain accommodation at St. Scholastique and has to ride to and from Montreal every day.

Britain Will Support Ch

Important Announcement the British House Commons.

No Power Will Be Allowe terfere With the Railr Contract.

London, March 9.—In the H Commons to-day the parliamen retary of the foreign office, th Hon. William St. John Broderic ing to a question on the subject, Majesty's government had not its undertaking to support China a power committing aggression because the latter had granted subjects permission to make or railroad or public work, but, the government did not expec question of this description wo with respect to the British con the northern railroads.

The foregoing question and arose from the Russian protes the British railroad contract, statement of the British ministe kin, Sir Claude M. McDonald, attempt to repudiate the contra be regarded as a breach of fai ing retributive measures. At time he recalled Lord Salisbury ance of support for China, if power should attempt to fore repudiate the contract.

POPE LEO'S CONDIT

His Holiness is Reported To Be Ma Progress Towards Recover

Rome, March 9.—An exami the Pope's wound was made Dr. Mazzoni, who found it wa excellent progress. His Holin to re-commence his receptions The fact that Dr. Lapponi sleeping at the Vatican has fresh crop of rumors, includin the effect the Pope is suffering senile cancer, but his physician vocally deny this. They say th has a good appetite and is rapidly.

ARMING THE FILIPI

An American Traveller Says Arm plied by a Firm in Shangh

Cincinnati, Ohio, March 9. M. Shoemaker, of this city, and traveller, has returned from tour through India and the P He spent the greater part of of January in and about Mani he made a study of the Filip says self government by the will be impossible, and that th would soon relapse into savag are, he says, naturally a tre suspicious and "no account" ra need the iron rule of good gove keep them within the bounds o tion. The half-caste class in corresponding to the Mulatto, most intelligent.

Speaking of how the insurg cure arms, Mr. Shoemaker sa firm in Shanghai, consisting brothers, furnished arms, and the responsibility by represent each one is a resident of a country, so that if one nation o blame can be laid on some ot try.

Inspection of United States Valetta, Island of Malta, M The United States transport from New York on February 1 nila arrived here yesterday. B sion of the governor of Malta, Sir Arthur James Lyon Freema American troops, consisting men, landed to-day and the gov tended by his staff, inspected the Floriana parade grounds. Su ly, the Americans marched created a favorable impression. Sir John O. Hopkins, comm chief of the Mediterranean sta Major-General Lord Congleto manding the infantry brigade, staffs, were present. There w large attendance of naval and men, and an immense concours ple, as spectators.

Dewey's Health.

Washington, D.C., March his attention was called to the coming from Vancouver, to t that Admiral Dewey is breaki and cannot last a month longe fary Long said that he had no tion whatever on this point. T of the admiral's ill health have circulation with more or less p for the past four months. The traceable to private reports, an officers of the navy who have recently from Manila state that health so far as it could be gau his appearance, is about the sa has been for the past year, th that the private reports probab fair basis of fact. Dewey w years old next December, and years has not been a strong m cally.

I have been afflicted with rh for fourteen years and nothin to give any relief. I was a around all the time, but consta fering. I had t