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HIBITION. he report that an will be held at cially confirme ure will be exFIRST CONFERENCE OF FRUIT GROWERS

OF THE DOMINION

British Columbia Was Ably Represented and Made Splendid Showing of Fruit Culture.

(From Saturday's Daily.) R. M. Palmer, representing the proincial government at the Dominion

d Martin Burrell for the Kootenay in a forcible manner this whole ques-The various provinces tion. oughout the Dominion had delees in attendance; also the different in attendance; also the different imental farms. The Dominion inspector was in attendance, and rimental farms. The Dominion valuable assistance. During the e days' session a wonderful amof practical work was accomhed. This was rendered possible the methodical manner in which the siness was presented. As might be ected, each district had wants uliar to itself, and in some in- LEFT VANCOUVER EARLY nces antagonistic to those of other lities. However, the greatest good the greatest number was the motto pted, and the committee in charge he resolutions so handled them that e in such shape as to meet with y endorsation.

Mr. Burrell was deputed to prepare a ort for the press, from which the

The question of fruit statistics was ken up by representatives from each vince at the first session, Mr. Peart iving in full detail the figures for Onvn that Ontario orchards mustered ver 14,000,000 trees, and the speaker stimated the subsequent increase in anting at two per cent. per annum. Peart put a capitalization value n the Ontario orchards, taking young nd old, good and bad together, of \$150 er acre. The Nova Scotian speaker promptly responded by insisting that, a valuation of \$1,000 per acre, their earing orchards would pay 15 per cent. nterest. British Columbia did not propose to be outdone, and the speaker or this province, while assenting to the larger valuation, was further en-

trees numbered but 567,000. ncrease up to date had been at of 500 per cent., some two mil-

hich not less than 90 per cent, must | spirits. re not defined by the act.

aggested amendments to the act: alled "fancy," in which no defective pecimens should be included.

No. 1 grade to be left as at present. No. 2 grade to include at least 80 per defects, such as would cause material Prince.

No. 3 is to be left undefined. The abolition of the X's, and the pre

ention of such marks as "selected," prime," and so on. British Columbia delegates hinted hat they were not concerned in the Nos. 2 and 3 grades, which might fitbe dealt with by Ontario and Queec delegates. The implication was net with a vigorous and laughing protest from the men of the other provnces, one of whom confidentially remarked later, "Well, we can't help liking you British Columbia men, and we've got to admire you if for nothing but your gall!" Our men, however, held to the position that if we could produce a perfect grade of fruit we were entitled to have it recognized legally, both in justice to ourselves and to the con sumers. In this we received good backing from the men of the prairies. Nova cotia, too, leaned our way, and though amendment was proposed whereby fancy" grade might contain 5 pe ent. of defective fruit, it was subseuently withdrawn, and the amendents outlined by the committee were animously adopted. The abolition the X's may seem a somewhat radi ove, but the proposed change me ith general approval, it being felt that othing was easier than to add an X transit or on arrival, and that Unit-

d States shippers had run this system marking into the ground. The question of adulteration of fruit ducts resulted in the passage of reint the exact formulas on their labels. The experiment station question was cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills. Mr. Ball who had a short conversation with him ention endorsed a uniform apple bar- says: el of 96 quarts' capacity-practically and with special reference to cured me completely."

and the matter will receive his consideration in the immediate future.

In the debate on "markets," a resolution was placed before the meeting asking that the Dominion government icense fruit commission dealers, and ompel them to give bonds in substantial amounts for the better protection of the shipper. The question, however, was laid over one of the difficulties being that such legislation was more a WELCOME ACCORDED HELD AT OTTAWA matter for provincial than the federal solution on "nursery control" was thrown out on the same grounds.

The subject of packages took up a good deal of the last day; the barrel Prince Arthur Inspected the Duke of Conbox, and basket men all being in evidence. After a long discussion the conact was recommended whereby such boxes should be used within the country as well as for export. This applies

to closed packages only. On Friday morning a committee of seven, selected by the convention, waited on Sir Wilfrid Laurier to urge the placing of express companies under the onference of fruit growers held at jurisdiction of the rahway commission. and reports that the conference was a decided success, from whatever point it be viewed. It was the first gathering of the class ever held in Canada, should come under the control of the nd although it is not the intention to commission precisely as railway commake it an annual event, such confer- panies had done. The premier gave a ences will assemble every two or three particularly careful hearing to the comyears, and much good is hoped for as a mittee, and admitted the force of the result of the growing practical experiarguments. The claim that, when ence of the men engaged in this vast grievances crop up between the shipper and the express companies, there British Columbia was represented by should be a court of appeal composed R. M. Palmer, from the provincial gov- of absolutely disinterested parties, is a ment; Messrs. Grant, Victoria; sound one, and the fruit growers have randrith, Ladner; Metcalf, Hammond, accomplished something by introducing

SUNDAY MORNING

n presented to the conference they Crowds Gathered at Points Along the ing to the grand traditions which have Railway and Cheered His Royal Highness.

Vancouver, April 1.-His Royal Highness Prince Arthur of Connaught and rio. From the 1901 census it was party left on a special train early this morning for the East. The departure was quiet and unattended by any ceremony. "Bob" Mee, who has piloted many royal trains, was once more at the throttle. Mr. W. R. Baker, assistant to the president of the C. P. R., is attending to all arrangements across the continent. His presence has been royal saloon, an honor greatly appreciated by Mr. Baker and the great company he represents.

Journey to Sicamous.

Sicamous Junction April 1 From Vancouver to Sicamous was to-day's journey in Canada of the "garter" mission on the return trip to England. Sharp at the scheduled hour, six a half being now planted, a o'clock this morning, the special C. P. omenal expansion of the industry R. royal train consisting of two bagpared with that in the older prov- gage cars, dining car Clandeboye, sleeping cars Andover and Canada, long and vigorous discussion took and the magnificent special cars Cornway up the weird and magnificent val- behalf. lected," "prime," and so on, are per- leys of the Fraser and Thompson rivand this grade must contain fruit of party were in the best of health and

free from scab, wormholes, and The Prince, seated in the commodious ther defects. The other two grades vestibule of the car Cornwall at the rear of the train, viewed the varying The committee on resolutions submit- scenes of mountain, river and canyon d to the convention the following and acknowledged by graceful smiles and bows the expressions of Canadian The creation of another grade, to be loyalty from the people along the

Although the hour was early the people were assembled at every station and as the train passed banners were ent, of fruit free from wormholes and waved and cheers given for the young

The first stop was made at North Rend at 10.45 where His Royal Highness enjoyed a walk up and down the station platform and in the beautiful gardens adjoining the C. P. R. hotel. A short stop was made at Spence's

Bridge. At Kamloops, where a large crowd had gathered. His Royal Highness inspected a guard of honor from the corps of the Rocky Mountain Rangers | mills and expressed extreme pleasure at the thoughtfulness which had prompted

this demonstration. Sicamous was reached at 7.30 p.m., where the party stays over night. In the morning the Prince will cast for the famous silver trout in Shuswap lake. The next stop will be made at Field on Monday night.

A MASS OF PROOF

BY DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Quebec Man Cured His Kidneys With Dodd's Kidney Pills, and His Lumbago Vanished

John Ball, a bricklayer, residing at 57 Westminster. Little Champlain street, this city, has Among the Veterans who paraded added his statement to the great mass of was J. B. Grant, who saw service in olutions compelling manufacturers to proof that Lumbago is caused by disor- the Crimean war. His medals attractdered Kidneys, and consequently easily ed the attention of Gen. Kelly-Kenny,

"I was troubled with Lumbago for two The Prince remarked that Mr. Grant It to three of our British Col- years. I could not work. I had to get was the youngest man he had seen umbia cases. On the box question the up at nights to urinate so often that my wearing the Crimean medal. anion was in favor of rest was broken. I read of cures by An informal reception was held in the egalized, viz., 20x10x11 in- Dodd's Kidney Pills and made up my officers' mess, before the party left. ment, and a change in the mind to try them. After the first box I An interesting and attractive feature

ish Columbia, with Hon. Sydney Lumbago, like Rheumatism, is caused other spring blooms by little girls. On her, subsequent to the convention. by uric acid in the blood. Uric acid can- the way from the park, the carriages hister was strongly urged to es- not stay in the blood if the Kidneys are were stopped to allow the presentation sh stations on the Island, in the working right. Dodd's Kidney Pills make of flowers, and at the drill hall four iry belt, and in Kootenay, respectively, the Kidneys work right.

THE ROYAL VISITOR

naught's Own Militia Regiment and Veterans.

Vancouver is reported to have had bright weather for the arrival of Prince Arthur of Connaught on Saturday. His Royal Highness was received by a guard of honor from the local Vancouver at 12.30. While the band of the regiment played "God Save the King" cheers echoed from the Japanese on barges moored in the inlet. Immediately after landing, carriages conveyed the party to the drill hall, where the civic address was presented,

The address from the city, read by A. McEvoy, city clerk, was as follows: To His Royal Highness Prince Arthur Frederick Patrick Albert of Connaught, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, Knight Grand Aide-de-Camp to His Majesty the

King, etc., etc., etc.;

to which an appropriate reply was de-

May It Please Your Royal Highness: The citizens of Vancouver are most happy in extending to Your Royal Highless their sincere welcome to their city. Permit us to congratulate you on the very important part Your Royal Highbetween the Empire of Japan and our own Motherland. We would voice the aope that you may be long spared to a fe in which Your Royal Highness may ontinue to contribute your share in add-

made the rule of our Empire the synonym of justice and truth. We have an additional satisfaction in welcoming Your Royal Highness to our city, inasmuch as you are the son of His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, the Colonel-in-Chief of our city

tense pride. far brought on your journey in safety, passed. and as your face is now turned home ward, we express the hope and belie that Your Royal Highness' journey from the Pacific to the Atlantic, through our Dominion of Canada, will be replete with interest and enjoyment, the recollection desired at lunch and dinner in the of which will not soon be effaced from your memory. We trust that under God's Providence

you will reach your home in safety, and we entreat Your Royal Highness to convey to our Sovereign Lord, King Edward VII., the assurance of our unmixed loyalty and devotion Signed on behalf of the corporation and tizens of Vancouver,

A. E. M'EVOY. A. BETHUNE, City Clerk. Acting Mayor. The Prince read the following reply:

Mr. Mayor and Gentlemen:-I am, I assure you, deeply impressed

I account it no small privilege to be gistrar of the County court of Nasible in designating No. 1 grade, ers. The weather was fine and all the permitted to undertake this journey, a naimo, holden at Duncan; recording the Guggenheims into the Cariboo will journey which, if I augur anything from officer for the Cowichan and Islands probably mean a very wide extension its beginning, promises to be full of in- electoral districts, constituted cattle of that corporation's operations in the terest and enjoyment. The pleasure of districts; and stipendiary magistrate in north before long. It will also give an

> the name of my father. It will be my agreeable duty to convey to the King the loyal assurances of this under the Election Act for the taking city of Vancouver, which, but yesterday of affidavits: in its infancy, bids fair to become at no

marts of the world. Representatives of the Vancouver consular corps met the party at the drill hall, and were presented, Colonel Dudley, of the United States; Hon. K. Morikawa, of Japan, and Hon. Johann Wulffsohn, of Germany.

Luncheon was partaken of at the Hotel Vancouver, and at 3.30 the trip started round Stanley Park with a stop at the mills of the Pacific Lumber Co. The process of manufacture into lumber was inspected by the Prince at the Abrahamson, P. M. Shepherd, F. Mum-

Upon arrival at the big tree in the park the head carriage containing Prince Arthur, J. C. Pope, Captain Wyndham, equerry to the Prince, and o the hollow and a photograph obtain-

drawn up in square formation, and re- capital stock of \$100,000. ceived the Prince with the royal salute THAT LUMBAGO IS ALWAYS CURED ber on parade were some of the East torney for the province. ance of the men, and the soldierly care April 21st. of their equipment. The corps was 360 Quebec, P. Q., March 30.-(Special).- strong, 61 of whom were from New

concerning the events of the campaign.

aken up in a general way at the con- could see and feel a change. Three boxes was the presentation to the Prince of bouquets of hyacinths, daffodils and bouquets from as many little girls were

FIVE GOLDEN RULES. First_Eat only 3 meals a

day, 5 hours apart. It requires 4 to 41/2 hours to digest a meal. This leaves 1/2 to 1 hour for the stomach to rest Second-Eat nothing bet-

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ween meals. If anything is taken into the stomach while digestion is going on, digestion stops and may not start again for an hour. Third-Eat slowly and

chew food thoroughly. This insures food being well mixed ith saliva and partially digested before it reaches the stomach. Fourth-Drink little fluid

with meals. The stomach gives out about a pint of gastric juice to digest each meal. If you take another pint of tea, wine or water, then the digestive juices are too diluted to properly digest the food.

Fifth—Take one "Fruit-a-

tives" tablet about twenty minutes before meals. "Fruita-tives" tone up and sweeten the stomach - insure an abundant flow of digestive juices-and cure Dyspepsia. Follow these directions for a month and see how much better you are in every way. At all druggists.

Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, signed herself "A Little Canadian," and asked for his autograph, which was graciously given. Another said she was "A Little English Girl." He fact that Mr. Hobson will employ durwas much pleased to receive these ing the whole summer about 600 men. small tokens, and expressed his appre- | More than this number will be given

ciation. Saturday evening was privately spent

on board left Vancouver Sunday morn- lake, where an unlimited supply is t ing for the East.

Coast 16 years ago.

The C. P. R. is taking extra precautions for the safe passage of the special train. Men are being stationed on regiment, in the efficiency and esprit de every mile of track as far as Laggan, \$500,000 for the delivery of 5,000 miners corps of which our citizens take an in- the eastern terminus of the Pacific division, and these will cautiously pa-We thank God that you have been thus trol the track until after the train has

OFFICIAL NOTICES

Which Appear in This Week's Issue of the Provincial Gazette.

This week's Provincial Gazette contains notice of the following appoint-

William H. Rawijson, of Langley; Bruce A. Lawson, of Revelstpke, and Hays Hammond, general manager and hibit showing the front and rear views tending Cleasby, of Coutlee, consulting engineer; and A. Chester of the house using the Great West soap Nicola district, to be justices of the peace in and for the province of Bri-

Alfred Hilton Lomas, of Duncan, V. I., 'to be government agent, registrar under the "Marriage Act"; district registrar under the "Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Act"; registrar | the consulting engineer of the Guggenthe Cowichan assessment district; rethe occasion is enhanced by the fact and for the county of Nanaimo; from assurance to the industry in those secthat this unmistakably cordial welcome the 1st day of April, 1906, in the place tions which will result in the introducis participated in by a regiment bearing of James Maitland-Dougall, S. M., re-

signed. The following have been appointed

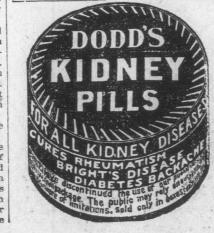
For Columbia Electoral District.-J. distant date one of the chief maritime Frederick Stalker, F. P. Armstrong, Edward Plowright and L. H. Estell, of Golden; W. J. Barry and Alex. Macaulay, of Spillamachene; J. D. Carlin, of Field; James S. Johnston, Andrew Jert in the line of platinum, will be in Green and John M. McLeod, of Wilmer; John H. Taynton and James W. Morland, of Athalmer; J. C. Pitts and A. property to make the necessary sur-Walter Tegart, of Windermere; Robert McKeeman, of Galena; Mac Mitchell, of Brisco; John D. Spencer, of Thunder An unlimited supply may be obtained

Hill; Thomas Alton, of Carbonate. For Kaslo Electoral District.-O. W. mons, of Trout Lake City; E. Mobbs,

of Gerrard; L. Hanna, of Kaslo. The following companies have incorporated: Canada Gold Hydraulic Acting Mayor Bethune, was backed in- & Dredging Co., capitalized at \$250,000; in such a favorable light as it has been Canadian Mine & Smelter Supply Com- put by the efforts of Mr. Hobson. The At 5.30 the Prince returned to the Franklin Townsite Company, with a sult of the quickening of the interest drill hall and inspected the Sixth Regi- capitalization of \$20,000; Kettle, Valley in that part of the province be at least ment and the Veterans. The men were Irrigated Fruit Lands Company, with a fifty miles of canal put in.

Licenses were issued to the following tation in the Cariboo this winter, as he entered the hall. He carefully extra-provincial companies: Anglo- that Mr. Hobson does not intend this inspected the various companies, and American Fire Insurance Company, of summer to attempt any work on the spent some time in conversation with Toronto, with W. S. Holland, Van- taking out of gold. He will give all his the Veterans, many of whom had seen couver, as attorney for British Colum- attention to the putting in of the canal service in the most noted campaigns of bia; Heintzman & Co., Ltd., of Toronto, for the new water supply. This will

Indians who bore medals of service in The incorporation of North Vanthe armies of the Empire. The Prince couver has been authorized. The first congratulated Col. Whyte, who was in election is fixed as follows: Nominacommand, upon the excellent appear- tion day, April 14th, election (if any)



GREAT ACTIVITY PROMISED CARIBOO

WORK ON BIG CANAL WILL BEGIN SHORTLY

J. B. Hobson Has Returned After Interesting the Guggenheims in Hydraulic

J. B. Hobson, accompanied by his private secretary, F. R. Luce, has arrived in the city from the East, where he has been engaged in connection with the interesting of capital in the immense undertaking which he has planned for bringing a water supply to the property of the Cariboo Hydraulic Company. His efforts have been entirely successful and he is now in a position to push the work to comple tion. Mr. Hobson will remain in charge of the work at the property, this, it is understood, being one of the conditions of the capital being furnished He is necessarily very busy now get ting ready to open the operations with the beginning of spring. About a week will probably be spent in the city ir business necessary to the undertaking and then Mr. Hobson will leave for handed him. One of them for instance | Cariboo to take active steps in connection with the work.

Some idea of the greatness of this undertaking is to be derived from the

work if they can be found. This engineering scheme, which has on board the train, but a grand display before been referred to in the Times, is of fireworks took place from the scows one of which Mr. Hobson has himself ness has so efficiently performed in the in the inlet, which was arranged by the further establishing of the friendly ties local Japanese. worked out all the details. It involves seventeen miles of canal and pipe The train with the Prince and party lines to carry the water from Spanish be derived. The canal will be 21 feet Robert Mee, the engineer who has wide by six feet in depth. There will charge of the engine conveying the Prince over the C. P. R. lines, served Quesnelle river a large quantity of in a similar capacity on the occasion of steel pipe system 40 inches in diamthe trip of the Duke of Connaught, the eter. One year from this coming sumfather of the prince, to the Pacific mer Mr. Hobson expects to have the water delivered by means of this sys-

> The whole work has been carefully estimated by Mr. Hobson to cost about inches.

The money introduced into the enter prise as referred to at other times in officers the following: David Guggen heims. It is safe therefore to say that there can be no question as to the ability of the company to carry out anything which is proposed. The Guggen heim Exploration Company, which has been interested, embraces among its officers the following David Guggenheim, president; Morris Guggenheim vice-president; Isaac Guggenheim, treasurer; W. W. Porter, secretary; H. P. Whitney, S. R. Guggenheim, Simon Guggenheim, managing directors; John ing engineer.

recognized as at the head of the profession of mining engineers. It is and watches, therefore reasonable to suppose that F. Carne has gition prevailed for the introduction of tion of other money into the province These latter effects are already being

felt and through the efforts of Mr. Hobson there has been another Cariboo hydraulic property brought to the attention of eastern capital. The I wenty-Mile Creek has been placed in Philadelphia 'Phis property will be thoroughly exploited for gold and platcharge of this latter mine.

Engineers have been sent up to the veys preparatory to commencing the task of bringing water to the claim. from Smith river or Cariboo lake.

W. W. Anderson, who has had a splendid record in hydraulic work in mery, J. C. Murray and J. Fitzsim- California, will have the oversight in the practical work on the claim. This is but one of the many signs of activity in the Cariboo arising out of

the placing of the Cariboo hydraulic pany, with a capitalization of \$150,000; latter expects that there will as a re-

There has been a very light precipithe last half century. Among the num- with W. F. Evans, of Victoria, as at- occupy all the summer and continue into the following summer.

SOAP DISPLAYS.

Standard Company, of Calgary, Has Interesting Competition On in the - City.

(From Saturlay's Daily.) The Standard Soap Company, of Calgary, has taken a very effective way of advertising their manufacture. By offering prizes of \$25, \$15 and \$10 to the grocers f the city for descriptive windows, most of the retail dealers have been induced o make very attractive displays.

This company began the making o soaps in the city of Calgary about four Friday for England, accompanied by months ago and are pushing their business with energy in the West. The works were located just next to the abattoir three or four men on the ship and they near that city, and from there an absolutely pure supply of the raw materials in the way of tallow is derived. In sev- had been thought the men would reach eral of the window displays advantage is taken of this fact to show the proximity

SEEDS THAT GROW

When you get ready for Spring plasting what will you do-buy Seeds you know all about, or try to see how cheap you can get them? You run no rick at all in getting

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and if by any chance you pay less for other kinds you can be sure you get less. We've been a life-time studying Canadian needs and supplying Canadian wants, and our business hasn't grown and kept on growing without good reason. Our Seeds are sold by leading merchants everywhere You get your money's worth every time.

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west by Arthur Nelson, who will take up his residence in this city. It is under his charge that the competition is being that the competition is being the conducted area to be a conducted conducted among the retail dealers. The judges selected were R. Hall, M. P. P., R. H. Swinerton and R. A. Ogilvie.

The Windsor Grocery has a neat ex consulting engineer; and A. Chester of the house using the Great West soap Beatty, assistant manager and consult-made by the Standard Company. The West End Grocery has made a Florofoam Shaving Cream 35c. Mr. Hobson and Mr. Hammond were novel display in introducing into the ar- Colgate's Shaving Stick25c old friends in California, both being rangements a little girl who does actual

washing while the old grandmother sits F. Carne has a very suggestive window. By a liberal use of the soap the factory blace over the proposed amendments to wall and York, bearing His Royal by the hearty welcome accorded to me of voters, and a magistrate under the heims when he entered into negotia- is shown and alongside it is the abattoir. when you come to Victoria. the Fruit Marks Act. As it stands at provides for three and party, took its departure from grades, viz.: No. 1, or XXX; No. 2, or Vancouver and followed its winding the latter are shown on this my first landing on the Mainland on province that this condirectly from this to the soap factory.

finished product is shown. Fell & Co. show a miner at work with windlass drawing up the Golden West soap. His cabin stands near by and the

whole scene is attractive. Speed Bros have a window which is sure to arrest attention. It shows a masked robber holding up a Rube at the point of a revolver. The latter has handed out his cash, but prays to have the Lumber & Manufacturing Company, Limited, will be held at their office, No. 2 Golden West soap left to him.

pretty display with a dolls' scene. R. Mowat has a very neat window showing the lacrosse champions of the city who are described as using the soap W. Acton has shown a fortress of the

F. E. Plummer, on Fort street, makes

Standard Company's soaps guarding the conveyance of the product. L. Dickinson has a wheel made up o he soap which is run by water power and makes a very attractive advertise-

exhibit. They show the factory and the abattoir adjoining. The carriage of the provided for, and at the same time there are trains leading out of the factory in different directions distributing the s In addition to this there is shown Fort Standard with the guns trained on all

Watson & Jones show the coming of the Golden West. Its cleansing powers are also shown by cloths before and after the using of the soap. F. J. Schroeder shows a Chinaman in

other soaps and knocking them out.

the act of washing and saying "Me usee G. W. soap." In addition to these there have also been displays made by other grocers many of whom in so doing did not intend to enter the competition. These included the following: Deaville & sons, A. G. Robertson, T. Redding, A. Hunter, Geo. Clark, A. Schroeder, W. B. Hall, W. A.

Burt, E. B. Jones. The judges visited the stores yesterday afternoon, but were unable to come to a decision until noon to-day. After being empanelled for an hour and a half they finally awarded the prizes to the clerks of the following stores: 1st prize, Fred. Carne, Government street; 2nd prize, West End Grocery, Government street 3rd prize, Watson & Jones, Yates street special prize, Johns Bros., Douglas street.

-Eighteen more members of the crew of H. M. S. Egeria left Victoria on some three or four members of the Shearwater's crew. There are now but will remain to keep guard over the vessel until the new crew arrive. It Victoria on Saturday, but as the voylonger time than expected the men and A. A. Colquhoun are permitted to The company is represented in the cannot get have until Manday.

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E. J. PALMER, Local Secretary.

March 1st. 1906. ESTATE OF JEREMIAH GRIFFITHS, DECEASED.

All persons having claims against this estate are notified to send particulars thereof in writing, duly verified, to the indersigned, one of the executors of the will and codicil of the deceased, of which probate was granted by the Supreme Court of British Columbia on the 15th March, 1906. After the 1st June, 1906, the executors will distribute the estate, having regard only to such claims as they shall then have received notice of. Dated 17th March, 1906.

EDWARD HENRY GRIFFITHS,

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-A special dispatch to the Times from Ottawa says: "The following is Gazetted: Fifth, British Columbia age across the Atlantic occupied a Regiment: Provisional Lieut. T. Patton

recire."