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"DONE TO DEATH."

TORONTO, July 15.—(Special)—This afternoon the long and vigilant search by Detective Seyer of Philadelphia for proof of the guilt of H. H. Holmes, an insurance swindler, now under sentence for fraud at Philadelphia, was rewarded. In the cellar of a vacant House in St. Vincent street the detective found the two dead bodies of the Pietzel children who, the detective asserts, were done to death by Holmes or through his instrumentality in order to secure the insurance money. Mr. Neudell, a clerk in the education department, to-day recognized a photograph of Holmes as the man who rented the cottage. He only had it for a few days, but long enough to kill and bury the children. The little girls were stark naked and were buried without coffin of any kind. The house was searched and the cellar last of all. Here the place was dug up, and presently the bare shoulder and arm of a little body were discovered. Then the whole body came into view, and under it another one was found. No traces of wounds were found, and it is thought that Holmes decoyed them into a trunk under some pretext and took them to the house. Then gas was inserted by means of a tube through a small hole. The trunk with a hole in it, nearly covered over, with the strap tacked down, has been found in one of Holmes' rooms. No trace of the boy Howard, a lad of eight, has been found, but he is thought to be undoubtedly dead. The house has been taken possession of by the police, and an inquest will be held to-morrow night at 8 o'clock. The names of the two girls were Esta Alice, aged 14, and Nellie, aged 12 As the crime was evidently committed in this country, it will be necessary to extradite Holmes and put him on trial for murder.

GREEN IS CAUGHT.

The man who under the name of Green victimized a Pandora street boarding-house keeper last week, by paying for rooms in advance, giving a bogus check and getting $10 in good money in change, has fallen into the clutches of the law at Vancouver. On Thursday last he played the very same trick on Mrs. Brown, who keeps a boarding house in the east end of Vancouver. He agreed to take rooms and board for himself and son for $40 a month, offered to pay in advance, gave a bogus check for $50 and received $10 change. As in Victoria, the check was signed Robert Johnstone, endorsed C. Green, and was on the Victoria branch of the Bank of British Columbia. Seattle seems to have been his field of operations before he came to this province, the same names and same old game being successfully carried out. His engaging manner and good appearance were effective in securing the cash he wanted. When the discovery was made by Mrs. Brown that the check was worthless she put the matter in the hands of the police, with the result that Green was arrested at Hastings. Then it came out that he had victimized several other people. He refused to give his real name in the police court, and was remanded till to-morrow.

"I don't hold ag'n this here new woman business so much as some," said Mr. Jason. "It's jist her material bent fer information takin' a new tack. Ef she wasn't tryin' to find out all about government an' microbes, she would be tryin' to find out all about the neighbors, an' you know the trouble that leads to."—Indianapolis Journal.

A bad break in a curate's sermon is reported in the Church Times. After appealing to the old with, "And you old men with your hoary heads," he turned to the young men with the appeal, "And you young men with your blooming cheek." He tried to change the phrase, but it was too late.

Mlle. Marie Lasargue, who has scored such a brilliant operatic success in London, was discovered in the Basque provinces by Comtesse de la Rochefoucauld, who sent her to the Paris Conservatory, where she won the first prize.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

What the Vancouver Rowing Men Say About the Northwestern Regatta Prospects.

"Bush" Thompson Will Try Again—Junior Lacrosse Trouble—Baseball on Tuesday.

VANCOUVER, July 15—(Special)—Both the senior and junior rowing crews are practising hard for the forthcoming regatta. The Burrards have thirteen men picked for the Indian canoe race, and are negotiating for the loan of a canoe to have practices before the event. The Burrard club are keen for this race. As free transportation for boats is given them by the C.P.N., the Burrard crew will take over two shells, a single scull and a lapstreak. The Vancouver juniors will go to Victoria on Tuesday to study the course. All the crews are confident. Some one has attempted to encourage the boys a little by telling them that the crew they fear—the James Bays—are pulling a snappy stroke with a slow recovery. The Burrard seniors, however, know what the James Bays can do in a lapstreak, and although they feel confident of their superiority over the other senior crews they have a premonition that the James Bay seniors will win this year. No matter where they finish, the race between the Burrard and Vancouver club juniors will be a very close one, as they are evenly matched.

CANADA WILL BE REPRESENTED.

LONDON, July 15.—The Metropolitan regatta, which comes off on the 25th of July on the Thames between Kingston and Henley, will see Canada represented. "Bush" Thompson, of the Toronto Argonauts, has entered for the sculling events, and will have against him Guy Nickalls and Hon. Rupert Guinness, with whom he was drawn in the first heat at Henley, and who won the Diamond trophy. He will thus be settled against two of the best amateur scullers in England, and will secure the chance that was denied him by an accident at Henley. Ex-Champion Sullivan, who has agreed to look after "Bush," is still of the opinion that the Canadian can keep in front of either of the Englishmen.

OFF FOR SARATOGA.

TORONTO, July 15.—The Canadian oarsmen to compete at the National regatta left here for Saratoga to-day. In the senior fours the Toronto rowing club sends to compete with Winnipeg: P. J. Mulqueen, A. Russell, J. H. Rumohr and Joseph Wright.

VANCOUVER REPRESENTED AT SARATOGA.

VANCOUVER, July 15.—(Special)—Johnson, of this city, has been entered in the Saratoga regatta single scull event by the Burrard Inlet club.

YACHTING.

"NIAGARA" AND "BRITANNIA"

HUNTER'S QUAY, July 11.—The Niagara, Zeinta and Dakotah started to-day in a race for 20-raters under the auspices of the Clyde Corinthian yacht club annual regatta. The result was as follows: Niagara (winner), 2:26:30; Zeinta, 2:27:50; Dakotah, 2:38:00. In a fresh S.W.S. breeze to-day the Ailsa and Britannia, both carrying their four working sails, started in a fifty mile race. The Britannia soon led, but the gap was small. They were timed as follows at the end of the first round: Britannia, 1:11:56; Ailsa, 1:13:09. The Britannia won by three minutes.

THE OAR.

THE NORTHWEST REGATTA.

A full meeting of the regatta committee in connection with the N.P.A.A.O. regatta was held last evening. The collecting and other committees gave good reports, and matters are shaping splendidly. The entries are expected to be all in by Monday evening. The Vancouver men have signified their intention to man a war canoe, so that with the two local clubs added this event should be a great attraction. The Westminster boys are again showing good sporting feeling by entering for the canoe events. The J.B.A.A. crews are putting in faithful practice and will make a hard fight to keep up their reputation.

LACROSSE.

AN EXPLANATION NECESSARY.

There seems to be a lack of harmony between the Westminster and Nanaimo intermediate lacrosse teams. When they played at Westminster June 1 there was a difficulty as to the referee and an arrangement was made for the match at Nanaimo on Saturday, the Westminsters having wired over to have everything in readiness and a Victoria referee appointed. On Thursday they wired again, saying "Won't play"; a return message was sent telling the game would consequently be forfeited to Nanaimo, but all the answer Nanaimo received to this was "No," probably meaning they would not go over. As a result there was no game in Nanaimo Saturday. The peculiar action of the Westminsters is hard to explain.

BASEBALL.

DEFEAT OF THE MAPLE LEAVES.

Carelessness in a great measure was the reason of the defeat of the Maple Leaves in their game with the visiting Port Angeles team on Beacon Hill yesterday. The home boys were apparently the better players and of this fact they gave abundant evidence until towards the end of the game, when the team went somewhat to pieces and gave the Angeles boys an easy victory. At the end of the ninth innings the score stood 20 to 20, and an extra innings was decided upon. In this the home team were "whitewashed," and their opponents added four to their score.

VANCOUVER V. NANAIMO.

These teams played an exhibition game at Brockton Point Saturday before a large gathering of people. The game was the most keenly contested of the season, and ended in a victory for the visiting nine on a score of 10 to 12. In the sixth innings, owing to some loose play on the part of Vancouver, seven runs were gained. Donovan was not in his usual form, and King, the Nanaimo pitcher, seemed to puzzle the best batters in the home team. The Nanaimo team are strong hitters and good fielders, and, as the game turned out, the Vancouver boys gave them a hard fight for the victory. —News-Advertiser.

PORTLAND DEFEATS SEATTLE

In an eleven innings game on Saturday the Portland team defeated the Seattles by a score of 9 to 8. The match was played at Portland and is of local interest in view of the fact that the champions of British Columbia play the winners of the league series of matches, of which the above was one.

THE GUN.

THE SCORES NOT ALLOWED.

Although a plain and unqualified promise was given by both the Portland and Tacoma trap shooters that in consideration of the change of date without announcement, Mr. J. C. and Mr. F. S. Maclure's scores would be counted in the S.A.N.W. tournament events, not one vote was recorded in favor of this fair and sportamanlike way out of the difficulty. In consequence the Messrs. Maclure gained no position in the tournament through their having been on hand at the proper time and shot through the entire difficult programme, making high scores. The net result of their not inexpensive tour is the gain in experience which will enable them on the next occasion to properly estimate the value of similar promises.

LAWN TENNIS.

THE CANADIAN CHAMPIONSHIP.

QUEEN'S ROYAL, NIAGARA-ON-THE LAKE, Ont., July 12.—The final round of the Canadian tennis championship took place here to-day between W. A. Larned, of Summit, N.J., and A. E. Foote, of Yale. The match was played in a high wind, which rendered driving somewhat ineffectual and lobbying almost impossible. Foote's usual game of slow hitting and high tossing was at a peculiar disadvantage under these conditions, and he lost to Larned in three straight sets on a score of 6 1, 6 4, 6 2. The latter exceeded in cross court playing and passed Foote continually at the net. His pace was too fast for Foote, who contented himself with blocking the ball back and waiting for an opportunity to smash it. He did very little hammering and was outplayed from the start. The feature of the afternoon was the final match in the doubles between Fischer and Parker, and Foote and Larned. It proved the most exciting tennis the tournament has yet seen, and five sets were needed to decide the winners, Foote and Larned. To-morrow Larned plays R. W. P. Mathews of Toronto, the present holder of the Canadian cup, for the championship.

LARNED TAKES THE CHAMPIONSHIP.

QUEEN'S ROYAL, NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE, Ont., July 15.—There was some grand play in the championship events of the Canadian tennis tournament to-day. Larned, Middle States champion, defeated Matthews, of Toronto, holder of the Canadian championship cup, in three straight sets, thereby taking the cup from him. Matthews labored under a serious disadvantage from a sprained wrist and consequent lack of form. In the handicap singles, final round, Fritzward of Rochester beat Arthur Taylor of New York, 6 4, 6 0, 5 3. In the ladies' singles championship, Mrs. Sydney Smith, Ottawa, beat Miss Maud Osborn, Sutton, Ont., 3-6, 6 3, 6 3.

CHESS.

The following is the score in the sectional tournament:

SECTION I.

Class. Name.	Won.	Lost.
1—J. R. Hunnex	9½	½
2—B. Williams	7	3
4—C. D. Mason	4½	5½
5—E. C. Bour	2	6
4—C. E. Clarke	3½	4½

SECTION II.

4—W. Scowcroft	2	6
4—E. A. Wolff	4½	3½
4—R. H. Johnston	1½	6½
3—B. Schwengers	5½	2½
3—A. Gonnason	4	4
2—C. Schwengers	6½	1½

SECTION III.

3—P. T. Johnston	2½	7½
2—W. Marchant	8	2
3—B. J. Perry	8	2
4—C. W. Rhodes	2	6
1—P. Schwengers	4	3
5—T. Lawrie	2½	6

SECTION IV.

3—F. C. Berridge	6½	1½
2—Dr. Hands	3½	1½
4—G. Langley	0	6
5—B. Goward	4	2
4—A. S. Innes	2	6

CRICKET.

H.M.S. "ROYAL ARTHUR" VS ALBION C.C.

The following is the score of the above teams in the match at the Canteen grounds on Saturday last:

H. M. S. "ROYAL ARTHUR" C. C.

Mr. C. F. Petch, b Warden	16
Corp'l Glover, b Anderson	48
Lieut. Davy, b Anderson	31
Mr. Wigram, b Anderson	4
Lieut. Ommaney, b Anderson	0
Lieut. Phipps Hornby, b Anderson	0
Mr. Maitland, b Anderson	20
Barraclough, run out	13
Lieut. Waiter, b Anderson	5
Capt. Finnis, not out	3
Lieut. Stanley, b Anderson	0
Extras	19
Total	159

ALBION C. C.

H. J. Martin, b Barraclough	5
C. Schwengers run out	11
R. H. Swinerton run out	5
A. C. Anderson, c Maitland, b Hornby	1
Q. D. H. Warden, c Maitland, b Finnis	31
L. York, c Barraclough, b Walter	19
A. A. Green, b Barraclough	23
H. L. Gulline, b Walter	0
J. E. Martin, b Barraclough	5
F. W. Thomas, c Ommaney, b Barraclough	7
A. Booth not out	1
Extras	2
Total	110

THE RIFLE.

CANADIANS AT BISLEY.

LONDON, July 11.—At Bisley to-day the weather was clear and a strong wind swept over the commons. The Thomas Ellen Company, of Sheffield, have presented to Lieut.-Col. Markham, commanding the Canadian team, a handsome set of carvers for competition among the members. Sergt. Meadows, of the Queen's Own Rifles, made a capital score in the Railway match, for Martini-Henri rifles, at the 500 yards butts. His first shot was an inner, close to the bull's-eye, and the next six shots all plunked the centre, he thus making 34 out of a possible 35. In the Flood-Page match, Private Rolson of the Thirty-Seventh battalion, has made 33 in a possible 35.

In the contest for the Kolapore cups the Canadian team will probably be composed as follows: Lieut. Mitchell, 12th battalion; Pte. Rolston, 37th battalion; Staff Sergt. Simpson, 12th battalion; Capt. Russell, 45th battalion; Lieut. Boville, 43rd battalion; Pte. Hayhurst, 13th battalion; Capt. Mercer, Queen's Own Rifles; Colour-Sergt. Skedden, 13th battalion, or Sergt.-Major Armstrong, 1st brigade field artillery.

POOR SHOOTING FOR THE KOLAPORE CUPS

LONDON, July 12.—To-day proved a very unfavorable one at Bisley for the competition for the Kolapore cups, contested for annually by teams representing Great Britain and the Colonies. It resulted, as usual, in the Mother Country taking first and Canada second, but the scores, owing to the trying weather, were low all round—the lowest in fact since the old days when the Snider rifle gave place to the Martini-Henry, the weapon still used. In 1894 the winning score was 699, the average of recent years. To-day Great Britain scored 638, Canada 618 and Guernsey 596. The shooting at the longer ranges was very poor, as the details of the Canadian score show:

	200.	500.	600.	77.
Pte. Hayhurst, 13th Bn	28	31	27	86
Pte. Rolston, 37th Bn	31	27	26	84
Capt. Spearing, 53rd Bn	28	31	24	83
Lieut Mitchell, 12th Bn	32	30	18	80
Pte. Simpson, 12th Bn	28	30	18	76
Capt. Mercer, Q.O.R.	30	26	16	72
Capt. Russell, 45th Bn	31	27	13	71
Lieut. Boville, 43rd Bn	30	19	17	66
Total	238	221	159	618

Canada secured the prize of £80 given to the highest colonial team. Messrs. Ellis & Co., of Sheffield, presented a silver mounted carving set, which was won by the Mother Country team; and the Canadian Club of London presented a cup, to go to the man making the highest score.

THE WHEEL.

TO MEET THIS EVENING.

A special general meeting of the Victoria Wheelmen's club will be held at 8 this evening. Every member is urged to be present, even at a sacrifice of time, as it is necessary for the club to take some definite action immediately in regard to the management of racing meets and to devise means for the systematic carrying on of the work of the association. The question of fixing the date and arranging preliminaries for the championship meet will also be included in this evening's business.

HERE AND THERE.

GENERAL GOSSIP OF CURRENT EVENTS.

At Bisley yesterday firing in the first stage of the Queen's Prize competition was commenced, the 200 and 500 yard ranges being completed. The Canadians on the whole did very well, their best scores for these two ranges being: Bent 64, Nutting 63, Hayhurst 63, Skedden 61, Armstrong 60, Rolston 59, Spearing 59, Chamberlin 58, Tink 58, Meadows 57 and Wynne 57. The same average at the 600 yards range would put nearly all the above in the second stage.

THE NORTHERN SALMON PACK.

Salmon, box lumber and furs, made up the freight brought from the North by the steamer Danube yesterday. There were 2,000 cases of salmon in the shipment for Bell-Irving & Co. When the Danube left the Skeena the sockeye run continued good, but the spring fish had not yet made its appearance. Of the former the packs reported are as follows: Inverness, 2,500; Carlisle, 2,000; North Pacific, 3,000; B.A.P. Co., 4,700; Balmoral, 2,500; Cunningham's, 1,800; Claxton, 2,100, and Standard, 2,000. At Rivers Inlet the trouble between the cannery managers and the Indian fishermen on the matter of wages has been settled, but one day's fishing, however, was lost. This spring the run there is exceptionally good; in fact, at each of the canneries, other than those mentioned, good catches are being made. The packs to the date of the Danube's departure are about as follows: Lowe Inlet, 2,000; Wannock, 2,000; Royal Inverness cannery, 5,400; Good Hope, 3,000; Spencer's, Alert Bay, 1,000 cases; and Namur, 500.

COL. FIFE AS RICHELIEU.

A Noteworthy Representation of Bulwer Lytton's Great Historical Creation and Masterpiece.

The Crafty Cardinal to the Life Mid Accustomed Scenes and Characters.

Col. W. J. Fife and his company of Tacoma players presented Sir Edward Bulwer Lytton's historical play of "Richelieu" at the Victoria theatre Friday evening. The play is too well known to need extended comment. The writer's brilliant genius, his firm grasp of character, and his gothic massiveness of construction are apparent in every line; the play is so strong it will live a century more. Cardinal Duc de Richelieu, the crafty diplomat of the degenerate court of Louis XIII of France, is the mainspring of the plot of the drama, and around him is woven the web of subtle and many sided political intrigues which involve all the courts of Europe during the "Great Cardinal's" career. To portray Richelieu in all the phases of his character—to be the Cardinal of Bulwer's thought—has been the dream and the ambition of many of the monarchs of the stage. In the hands of Irving, Booth, Barrett and McCullough, "Richelieu" has gained fresh lustre, and the several artists fame; with the lesser lights of stageland utter failures have been recorded, for the presentation of a man so much a master and so much a diplomat may only be attempted with success by actors of breadth and force. The strength of statesmanlike self-reliance and the petty craft of intrigue can only be moulded together by a master hand.

And such Col. Fife undoubtedly is. His conception of the character is broad and vigorous, and his acting manly and free of all ranting or affectation. To those who looked for traces of amateurism in his interpretation there was only agreeable disappointment. Compared with any of the fathers of the part his work did not shine with paler light. His Richelieu was Bulwar's Cardinal, polished and suave and cunning, yet born to be a ruler of men—a maker of a nation's history. On the threshold of his career, Col. Fife has demonstrated that histrionic ability of no mean order is his; his course will be upward, and Victorians will watch his progress to the foremost rank with interest and appreciation. To studious analysis and scholarly preparation, he adds strong acting, generally good enunciation and the personal magnetism that is indispensable to the securing and holding of an audience's never faltering and sympathetic interest.

Mr. J. Pheniere as the Chevalier de Mauprat last evening fulfilled a rather prominent part in able manner. Miss C. B. Wetmore as Julie de Martemar, the ward of the Cardinal, acquitted herself most creditably, while Miss Covington as Marion de Lorme, the fair tool of Richelieu, did her small part well. Mr. Hoff made the most of his character as the crafty Capuchin confidant of the Cardinal. It is impossible and unnecessary to mention all the actors, but it can be said that the audience appreciated their efforts as they deserved. The piece was well staged and presented with every attention to detail.

It is pleasant news for Canadians that Col. W. J. Fife is by birth a Canadian, claiming Meaford, Ont., as his native town. He is but thirty years of age, and by profession a lawyer. His parents came to the Dominion from Fifeshire, Scotland, and W. H. Fife, the Colonel's father, was one of the Cariboo pioneers of 1861. Col. Fife is chief of ordnance of the staff of Governor John H. McGraw; a member of the Elks; a life member of the Tacoma fire department; and an honorary member of the Tacoma Press club.

ALTON, July 12.—Capt. W. P. Lamothe has commenced proceedings to recover 6,000 acres of land in Canada on which the city of London is located. In 1708, it is claimed by Lamothe, the land was leased by his grandfather for 98 years. When this lease expires the heirs will claim the land.

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WILLIS AND COOK.

The Independence Day Speech of the Boston Lecturer at Honolulu Sharply Criticized.

Capture of the Notorious Leper Outlaw Manuela—President Dole's Yacht Stolen.

Rev. Joseph Cook of Boston, whose semi-political lectures were the cause of considerable discord in California recently, has been making more trouble for himself of the same kind in Honolulu, where he arrived just in time for the celebration of Independence Day by the numerous residents forming the American colony. He was received with open arms and assigned an important part in the literary exercises at Independence park, the Monowai—on which he had taken passage for Australia—being held so that he might attend and deliver a patriotic oration. Minister Willis was chairman of the day, and formally introduced the Boston lecturer in complimentary terms. Then the surprises commenced. Mr. Cook announced as his subject "The Republics of the Tropics," but had not a word to say about the glorious Fourth of July. He repeated several times that "when a crown fell it is pulverized," and congratulated Hawaiians that they had neither slavery nor the color line among them. He then entered into a dessertation on "Southern republics as upheld by what I term Northern principles," and coming with a jump to Hawaii proceeded to criticise in terms of unmeasured severity the Cleveland administration, arraigning it for "incompetence, dishonesty and double dealing."

Here Minister Willis protested, reminding the visitor from Boston that neither the occasion nor the place was suitable for a partisan campaign speech.

Mr. Cook replied with heat, asking for a bill of particulars of his offending and assuring the chair that he came "from a land of free action and free speech, and was not accustomed to either the straight jacket or the gag."

To this Minister Willis replied that the contracted sentiments to which the speaker had given expression, while they might possibly suit the environments of Boston, were not broad enough for an American celebration in the republic of Hawaii.

Mr. Cook made answer that Boston had much to do with the establishment of American independence.

"Admitted," said the Minister. "We know it and are proud of it, but the men of Boston then were a unit for their well loved country, not prone to sowing the seeds of discord and of civil strife."

The lecturer concluded hastily with a few disjointed remarks on annexation and then bowing stiffly to Mr. Willis and Rev. Dr. McArthur stalked through the silent audience and out of the pavilion. Minister Willis was afterwards overwhelmed with congratulations on the stand he had taken, and was assured by the chairman of the celebration committee that that body had not in any way anticipated Rev. Mr. Cook's line of discourse. They had thought, they said, that they would parade the big gun from Boston, but they had no idea that it was loaded.

Three sailors of the American ship Tillie E Starbuck recently made a bold attempt to steal President Dole's yacht Bonnie Dundee, while their vessel was lying at Honolulu. They stole the craft without difficulty, and they would doubtless have got away but for mistaking the two boilers on the Ewa side of the lighthouse for the buoys in the passage. They steered by the boilers and as a result went on the reef and stuck fast. In an interview the men stated that it was their intention to make for the Mexican coast, expecting to fall in with shipping on the way and secure stores and provisions. Should they fail short of supplies they were to stop at Hilo and secure eatables.

Honolulu advices by the Miowera Saturday note the capture, near Pearl City lake in June, of Manuela, the famous leper outlaw, who for years has been defying arrest. It is to C. A. Brown that the honor of the capture belongs, Manuela having been surprised by him in his house and quietly submitting. His .44 Winchester rifle and his well-filled ammunition bag he handed to his captor, and at the sailing of the steamer for Victoria he was still lodged at Ewa jail awaiting transfer to the lazaretto. Manuela is admitted to be a dead shot, and when officer Kingsley and a posse endeavored to arrest him some time ago Kingsley returned with a bullet in his leg which will not allow him soon to forget Manuela. Since then Manuela has not been troubled. He has been living in the Waiawa mountains, coming to his house in the night and returning to the shelter of the hills at dawn. Recently Manuela came near adding murder to the incidents of his unlawful career. Deputy Marshal Brown, Capt. Parker and other officers had gone to Waiawa to arrest another leper outlaw who had shot his wife. The arrest was made, and Capt. Parker happening to look toward a little knoll not seventy yards away saw Manuela standing with his rifle aimed at him. The outlaw had mistaken Parker for a haole and was determined to kill him. It was a narrow escape, and one that Parker will not soon forget. Manuela is a half-caste Portuguese and devoted to his wife and family. The former has voluntarily determined to followed him into his lifelong exile at Molokai.

In celebration of the Fourth of July a large number of political and other prisoners were pardoned, and several sentences were commuted. In the latter class were Gulick, Seward, Rickard and Wilcox, whose imprisonment was reduced from 30 to 20 years and fine of $10,000; Marshall and Greig from 20 to 15 years and $10,000; and Walker and Widemann from 30 to 15 years. The others affected were nearly all natives, twenty-seven of whom were released.

The following is from the Hawaiian Star: "The rumor section of the air is overloaded at present with opium yarns that are for the most part ridiculous as the Castle appointment. The story that the Norma cargo was 14,000 tins has been published and the officers laugh and the dealers smile. That amount is just about the supply of a year for the islands, and to swing it would require a first output of $50,000 spot cash at Victoria. Possibly there were 1,400 tins. The greatest opium deal ever known here was with the Halcyon cargo, which came from Hongkong direct and cost $140,000. That expedition was entirely successful. Much more opium was used in the country then."

The "Jim Kaharna race, from India, with American and Hawaiian alterations," is the way the Honolulu sportsmen announce the contests corresponding to the "gymkhana" events occasionally seen here.

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The intense heat of summer aggravates the sad condition of those who suffer from dyspepsia and indigestion, and there is no physical or mental rest for the afflicted ones.

Have you tried Paine's Celery Compound, that marvelous health and strength giver? It is nature's true and infallible cure for your distressing ailments. It never fails to banish disease; it gives natural and healthful strength when most required, so that the oppressing and enervating weather cannot overcome your bodily powers.

Reader, if you are numbered in the large army of dyspeptics, and held captive by a cruel destructive disease, use Paine's Celery Compound at once, if you desire full and robust health, pure blood, strong nerves, good digestion and a healthy appetite. In past days thousands have been saved by Paine's Celery Compound. It will do the same blessed work for you. Strong testimonials sent in every day from cured people. Sufferer, try it, "it makes people well."

IN answer to many inquiries by post (in B. C. and other parts) concerning the price of Waltham, Elgin, Dueber, Columbus, Rockford and other brands of celebrated

WATCHES

the following schedule will show that the prices of our firm are Rock Bottom Prices:

MOVEMENTS.

Waltham Watch Co., stemwind, 7 jewels, gilt	$ 5.00
Ditto, 11 jewels	7.00
Ditto, 15 jewels, P. S. Bartlett	8.90
Ditto, ditto, 15 jewels, fine Damaskeened nickel movement	10.50
Dittto, Appleton, Tracy & Co., 15 ruby jewels in gold settings, Brequet hair spring, gold screw, compensation balance adjusted to heat and cold and position	15.00
Ditto, non-magnetic	20.00

SILVER CASES.

Plain	$ 4.00
Engraved	4.50
Ditto, gold inlaid with subjects, Wood Chopper, Locomotive, Stag, etc.	6.00

GOLD FILLED CASES.

Open face, from	$5.00 to $12
Ditto, hunters	6.50 to 15

Ten to twenty-one years warrants to wear equal to gold.

Fourteen karat Solid Gold Cases, 90 cents dwt. A 50-dwt. Case is strong enough to last a century.

Prices of other movements to follow.

Goods sent C.O.D., with permission to inspect on paying express carriage.

WATCH JOBBING, no matter how difficult, can be done at our establishment at most reasonable rates. We can refer you to customers all over British Columbia.

S. A. STODDART,

68 Yates Street, - Victoria, B.C.

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South Victoria Electoral District.

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JAMES W. MELDRAM,
Collector South Victoria District.

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North Victoria Electoral District.

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JOHN NEWBIGGING.
Collector.

Sidney, B.C., May 31st, 1895. je21-td

THIRTY DAYS after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for leave to lease 160 acres of meadow land for hay-cutting purposes, situated about 2½ miles S.W. of Morrison's and Adams' meadow on Mackin's Creek.

WM. WEBSTER.

Alexandria, June 27th, 1895. jy5-4t