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which provides sport for those in n, as well as for others. The li-nas other uses. It affords identifi-as the holder has always to proto officers, or to 'occupiers

ense-holder can plead ignorance lose seasons appear on his li-Gross offence, or abuse, or re-produce license entails forfeiture. other reasons, but I must not too far on your space. d now ask those to whom this

is made, is it too much to ask ay a license fee of \$2 towards be raised for the purpose of and maintaining the sport ey love so well? There are s to be put down with regard ter for sale, export, etc., but one which applies most nearly e to whom I write. There are ong them who appear to be ther sense of shame or common They enter on men's lands asking leave, often do damage s and fences, and by neglecting gates; they use their guns with care as to injure live stock in of fire, and, when they are cha r these acts by the owners, they ry sort of abuse, and even in es use threats. Our committee are of two cases, at least, in which were, on their own land, ned and a gun pointed at them. sir, I am quite certain that the who commit these abuses are very small minority of the class poor, to'whom I. write, and that majority would condemn their neartily as I do. But these are e facts, and if they are allowed to will cause the farmers to le game a curse instead of an ad-

object in framing the proposed bill. h to stop abuses and afford pro-without hardship to the legitishts of any person or class, and I to those to whom I write not to but to support the gun license many of the provisions of the d act as they can, consistently e with their own private onin o hold which I admit their right by as I would defend my own. EDWARD MUSGRAVE. oria, Dec. 12th, 1903.

THE GOVERNMENT BILL.

he Editor:-There is no difference of as to the necessity of some legislaing provided so as to increase the It sulted the aims of the people ive controlled affairs in this prov are controlled affairs in this prov-uring the last decade or so to sow nd, and it logically follows that we reap the whirlwind. Unsound prin-of finance have prevailed, and there to be danger that we are to have to the conditions thus created an l system of taxation. The singular out the new assessment bill is that appears to be responsible for it, no one accepts it as his creation pts to explain and justify its ons. The public understand that th oduced was drawn up by one of nanent officials. The official is to limented upon his industry, but the ing feature of the case is that a e of this far-reaching importance ft to such an official to determine ply as to its phraseology and its ery, but upon the principle up it is based, and was brought down the ministers really knowing what isions were, how they would affect , or even what amount of money raised under it. The difficulties ing the preparation of an equitable ent law are many and great. The nious draughtsman could not hope one to which no objection could But the bill introduced, and amended, is so exceedingly faulty can only suppose that the minis ally did not know what they were do. I think these things will be

ernment ought not to have down a measure until they had: roughly acquainted themselves rtained the nature and extent

would impose upon eral classes of the community. timated the amount of revenue would yield. ill ought to have been in the mem-

is sufficiently long to enable them st it. less community ought to have ven an opportunity to examine its

and suggest changes. r of these things was done. The was brought down hastly and ed through the House, although nts were accepted, and in som posed by the government itself, effect of which could not possibly rtained in the hasty discussion under the circumstances. The ce is that the new law will be an urdensome one to the business ty, and no one pretends to know vill accomplish in the way of prorevenue.

and the government for appreciatessity of getting more revenue, are open to severe condemnation ner in which they have gone They ask why some one-does not a alternative. My recollection of in the House is that an alterna coposed, namely, that the rate of uld be increased without any the incidence. This was rejectgovernment, and yet it surely ve served as a temporary expediase the money-lenders, in whose province seems unfortunately to

A. B. C. A COMPARISON.

Editor:-I noticed only a few days article by wire illustrating the the C. P. R. and the sale of its is in London, from which I quote

in: the C. P. R. enjoys in Lon-ustrated to-day, when President, y announced that the issue of four per cent, debentures, auth-e last annual meeting, would be n at 106 within the next few of the moncy is to be utilized for the Atlantic steamships ae-spring, and the remainder in g or acquiring of 471 miles of y."

R., it is true, is a great and The second secon our bonds, and in par on the same. G. L. MILL

DISTINGUISHED SOLDIER ARRIVES

EARL OF DUNDONALD VISIFING VICTORIA

Has Been Inspecting the Strategical Features of Different Points Up the Coast.

Major-General Lord Dundonald, commander-in-chief of the Canadian militia forces, accompanied by his staff, reached

mission as lieutenant in the following year. In April, 1878, he was promoted to captain, and he served with the Nile expedition in 1884-85 in command of the 2nd Life Guards detachment of the Camel Corps. He carrieu dispatches to Korti announcing the selzure of the Gakdul wells, and commanded the transport and baggage of the desert column, under Sir Herbert Stewart, in the advance to Metammeth. He was present at the action of Abu Klea and in the engagement at Gubat, and acted as guide to the convoys which left Gubat on the evening of January 23rd and February 1st, and also the reinforcements to Abu Klea. Lord patches announcing the fail of Khartoum. The Officers Are Seriously Incommoded Resulted in Score of One to One-Na the brevet of lieutenant-colonel, the Egyptian medal with two clasps and the Khe dive's Star for these services. His commission as major bears date January 12th 1885, that of lieutenant-colonel June 15th, 1885, that of lieutenant-colonel June 15th, 1885, and that of colonel June 15th, 1885, and the inst in victoria of the source at an end. The cruiser arrived from In the same between the Garrison and Vic-In the same between the Carrison and Vic-In the same between the first in the memory In the same between the first in the the same between the first in the the same between the forces, accompanied by his statt, reached of the public, from towender, isos, de of at that the transformation and entered guadra. His Lordship is the guest of gade of the Natal army, which included dry dock at 9 o'clock this morning. The His Honor the Lieut.-Governor at Government House. * Bethune's, Thorneycroft's, Natal Volum-teers, South African Light Horse, Gough's Lord Dundonald reached the coast a Regiment of Mounted Infantry, and, for a menced shortly afterwards, and by 3



LORD DUNDONALD,

(Signed) D. B. M'CONNAN, Capt., Adjutant.

Lord Dundonald declined to talk for Machadedorp. It also got on the heights ublication in regard to his recent trip, above the British prisoners' camp at Noeltbut it is understood that his visit tp coast was for a double purpose. One burg, and in all the fighting on the Mauchobject was to ascertain the harbor 'sest adapted for the terminus of the Grand came back to England when the Natal army Trunk railway from a strategical stand- was broken up and his brigade as a bricoint, and the other to look into the gade ceased to exist. He was promoted nature of the two islands awarded to major-general. March 7th. 1900, for distinly, Wales and Pearse, and there is no doubt that he took occasion to investigate the strategical value of the two islands given to the United States and their bearing on the approach to Simpson. The

ton, 12th Earl of Dundonald, joined the minion. Lord Dundonald is a great bearmy in July, 1870, and received his com- llever in the citizen soldier.

MINING IN SIMILKAMEEN.

Company Operating at Aspen Grove Will very high. Increase Force if Railway Is Built. .

Mr. Bates, managing alrector of the Portland Mining Company, of Terre Haute, Indiana, which is operating on an exten-sive scale at Aspen Grove, in the Similkameen country, is visiting Vancouver. The News-Advertiser says: "Mr. Bates

has unlimited faith in the possibilities of that district, and that this faith is shared by his countrymen is proved by the fact that on December 3rd last, they put 100,-000 shares on the market at 50 cents each, and by the 15th of that month all were subscribed for by people in the vicinity of

feet. Lying on the dump at its different claims are 7,000 tons of ore in all, which 18, Toronto, Ont.

couver proceeded up the coast to inspect the strategical features of Port Simpson and Kilimat. After he had familiar. Afterses Buller's army at the battle of dimase, suffering severe losses, at seized the strategical features of Port Simpson and Kilimat. After he had familiar. Afterses Buller's army at the battle of diverses, suffering severe losses, suffering severe losses, suffering severe losses, suffering severe losses, suffering the diverses bull in consumption. The segment all feed the right flanks of str fifth Regiment, and led the advance into this concurry it without loss. It mestage versing the follow-ing regimential offer: Vitoria, S. C., Dec. 13th, 1908. The regiment will parade at the diring veid, which Str Edwares on Helpmäkan, on The regiment will parade at the diring veid, which Str Edwares on or the purpose of being inspected by the conttained severes areased on the or the built and central teel constrained a draw. The changion-for the purpose of being inspected by the offer teel marks and the Boers and Vitoria Staffs. A number of changes have taken and led the advance into the constrained with Str Edwares on the vitoria Staffs. A number of changes have taken ance." His guns shelle the Boers an ace." His guns shelle the Boers and Vitoria Staffs. A number of changes have taken ance." His guns shelle at the Boers and Vitoria Staffs. A number of changes have taken ance." His guns shelle the Boers and Vitoria Staffs. A number of changes have taken ance." His guns shelle at the Boers and Vitoria Staffs. A number of changes have taken ance." His guns shelle at the Boers and Vitoria Staffs. A number of changes have taken ance." His guns shelle at the Boers and Korts and Vitoria Staffs. A number of changes have taken ance." His guns shelle at the Boers and Korts and Vitoria Staffs. A number of changes have taken ance." His guns shelle at the Boers and the Boers and Korts and Vitoria Staffs. A number of changes have taken and cont shell at the advance taken diffier and contral tee was in gunsted to th other places, and pursued the Boers through came back to England when the Natal army oundary tribunal, name guished service in the field. Lord Dundonald's family is connected with Canada by ties of the past. The

Quadra made good time from Kitimaar, [tion. The father of the present peer served covering the distance in forty-five hours. there for several years in the army. These are purely naval and military ties, but he Major-General Douglas M. Bailie Hamil- has also other ties of kinship with the Do-

> should average from \$30 to \$60 per ton, the copper values of these ores running

"The scene of the company's operation s about 25 miles from Nicola Lake. At present it is greatly hampered by want of railway facilities, the nearest station, Spence's Bridge, being some 60 miles from the mines. If the Nicola & Similkameen

1 200 men. needs railway communication for its set-

nel 378 feet long with a depth of 137 time, write us at once for sample and

IS NOW IN DOCK

NOW FULL OF WATER

-Arrival of the New Commandant, Commodore Goodrich.

work of pumping out the dock combe exposed to view.

The vessel started from Union on Saturday afternoon, and anchored off Nanaimo over night. She came in under her own steam and save for the diger. This was made from a penalty kick, Rivers her own steam, and save for the disorher own steam, and save for the disor-derly appearance of the deck and the was secured from a corner, the kick being water marks decorating the sides of the taken by W. York and the goal made by water marks decorating the sides of the ship there is little to indicate that the ship there is little to indicate the indicate the indicate ship there is little to indicate the indicate the indicate ship there is little to indicate the indicate the indicate is is state the indicate the indicate the indicate is is state the indicate the indicate the indicate is is is an argument indeed, and a person must is parent to is for the indicate the is is a coal re-gion to fully appreciate is is of the indicate is indicate the indicate the indicate the indicate the indicate is is a coal shift the indicate the indicate the indicate is is a full back. Time is is state the local forwards rushed the gained to indicate the indicate the indicate the indicate is is state the indicate the indicate the indicate the indicate is is a state the indicate the indicate the indicat ship there is little to indicate that the L. S. V. York. destroyed. Book cases have swollen and broken, and sleeping apartments are in such order that they cannot be used. Office that they cannot be used.

captain, navigating officer and officer on watch at the time of the accident has

H. Hawthornthwaite, M. P. P., died H. Hawthornthwaite, M. P. P., died suddenly of heart failure as he was arising from bed yesterday morning. Deceased was in his usual good health the night before when he attended a meeting of the Nanaimo Poultry Asso-ciation. He was 33 years of age, and following are brothers and sisters of Mr. The deddimension of the tunker because to work. How does he defend his action? Dominion government steamer at Van-couver proceeded up the coast to inspect the strategical features of Port Simpson and Kitimaat. After he had familiar-ized himself with the characteristics and adventure and the state of the strategical features of Port Simpson and Kitimaat. After he had familiar-ized himself with the characteristics and adventure and the state of the Boer set Action of Set I Heathcote, Nelson, B. C.; Mrs.

on Tuesday evening, the loth inst, at 4.30, for the purpose of being inspected by the general officer commanding the Canadian militia. Dress, review order. took part in the battles of Botha's Pass is a very valuable one, was missed the and Alman's Nek; it occupied Standerton, Ermelo. Carolina, Waterval, Boven and watch to A. E. Hilbert, whom he asked to dispose of it in San Francisco. The latter showed the watch to Chief Grossedacht, took part in the advance on Lyden, burg, and in all the fighting on the Mauch. pleaded guilty this morning and threw himself on the mercy of the court. Magistrate Yarwood imposed a sentence of three years in the penitentiary, making the term light in considerat fact that the man has a large family of small children.

Early this morning some rubbish caught fire in the basement of the hos-pital, causing considerable alarm. The flames were extingnished before serious damage was done, the patients knowing nothing of the trouble. This morning at the provincial jail a dispute occurred about the quality of food. The row terminated in a prisoner

hitting the cook, another prison the head with a board. Magistrate Yarwood will investigate the matter MISSING SEALERS.

Japanese Schooner, Commanded by Vic torian, Has Disappeared-News Received by Letter.

À letter has just been received from Japan referring to what is considered to be Japanese fleet, which cruised in Northern the most part was in Nanaimo territory. number of years ago made Victoria his near Nanaimo's goal line, they endeavored fate as us brother Pat, who had shipped as towards the victoring goan, but these on-mate on the ill-omened voyage of the Hatzie. Two or three more Victorians are known to have been on the Jap scaler. The game in the second half was more known to have been on the Jap scaler.

sils, seel, iron and tinware, knives and

GAME WAS A TIE TWO CRACK TEAMS IN

naimo Hornets Won Rugby Match.

toria teams on Saturday at Beacon Hill. | the finish was 13 to 8. All points of vantage outside the grounds were crowded. Each good play on the liftle over ten days ago, and boarding the large part of the time, Lord Strathcona's o'clock this afternoon it is expected the part of players on either side was greeted ertire damage to the ship's bottom will with cheeks, and thus encouraged they set an unusually fast pace from the start and continued until the finish. The result was

Fred. Richardson acted as referee.

Following is the present standing of the

The deciding game of the junior league ise him our support." ponents by one point.

Capitals 4 1 0 3 Centrals y 4 North Ward As will be seen by the above the league went to Northport smelter for experi-was closely contested. There is only two mental purposes, and the outcome will points difference between the leading and in connection with the treatment of end teams, and only one point between the first and second elevens.

On Christmas Eve the Victoria theatre will be the scene of a twenty-round contest No. 2's plant, which is already charged between Laesar Attell and H. Krant, who; with oil lost in the first mill. The efit will be remembered, fought a similar fect may be to cut down the White battle at the Savoy some months ago. The Bear's oil loss to a minimum. decision in this event was won by Attell. The latter started training to-day. -----

between Victoria and Nanalmo at the Cale- and it is certain now the total tonnage donia grounds on Saturday. The kick of will exceed 400,000 tons by a small took place shortly after 3 o'clock and the game was stubbornly contested, resulting in a win for Nanatmo by the narrow mar-grand the previous year. The details of shipments were: Lee Point 5760. gin of 3 points to nil.

remarkably well together. In the scrim-mages they reversed the usual order of Jumbo, 120; Spitzee, 60; total, 9,690

ploded. Monkey Brand Soap cleans kitchen uten-sils, steel, iron and tinware, knives and Within a few minutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few feet of the visiting team's goal line, and there were several openings for Victoria to soore which were not taken advantage of. Within a few minutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few winutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few field to cursing through the vening, which source which were not taken advantage of. Within a few minutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few winutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few winutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few winutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few winutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few winutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few winutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few winutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few within a few minutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few within a few minutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few within a few minutes of time the Nansimo ber of times the ball hovered within a few to three days. 35c. ber of the vent of times the ball hovered within a few to three days. 35c. ber of the vent of the

Coal Company's railway project goes another fatality of the sea. One of the things, and the result was that plat of year to date, 385,785 tons. through, as there seemed to be every pos-sibility, the Portland Company would comand would probably put on a force of some was commanded by Wm. Farley, who a "Besides its mineral resources the Aspen Grove district contains a large area of pas-toral and agricultural land which only toral and agricultural land which only

terms. Address Ideal Watch Co., Dept. forks, and all kinds of cutlery.

WELL FOUGHT BATTLE

BIG ASSOCIATION

The score is as follows:

Officers lost nearly all their clothing and the personal belongings, and are appearing now in all kinds of dress. Driven out of their own quarters they have been obliged since the accident to make their home in the forward part of the cruiser and a number in the first few days of the method was taken. For the rest and a number in the first few days of the cruiser and a number in the first few days of the cruiser and a number in the first few days of the cruiser and a number of unsuccessful efforts were have that to accommodate themselves in chairs. Until after the court-martial of the cruiser and an margating officer and the locals were unable to the locals were unable to the stewards of the date for entry of the fails it is too much; all of the locals were unable to solve the locals were unable to the locals were una

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from England, he and his staff having
arrived on Saturday night. So far as
known no date has been set for the
court-martial.Fred. Richardson acted as referee.SECOND ELEVEN WON.SUDDEN DEATH AT NAMAIMO.
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the Victoria Hockey Club and the Victoria
at Oak Bay on Saturday
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to more V. Bate, Son of Ex-Mayor Bate, Passed Away Yesterday Morning. Nanaimo, Dec. 14.—Wm. Bate, son of be settled definitely. This, it is hoped, Nanaimo, Dec. 14.—Wm. Bate, son of be settled definitely. This, it is hoped, The Mont Sicker Librard Sector ex-Mayor Bate, and brother-in-law of J. will be acted upon.

The standing of the league follows: Played, Won. Lost. Drn. Pts.

THE RING.

FIGHT ON 24th.

RUGBY FOOTBALL. NANAIMO, 3; VICTORIA, 0. There was a fair attendance at the game

From the start the local forwards played 1,500; War Eagle, 1,250; Le Roi No.

BASKETBALL.

forwards started out on one of their rushes dribbling the ball from the half way line. Gillespie, at full back, made an effort to save, but slipped at the critical minute, and Patton, who also attempted to prevent a score, met a similar misfortune The result was that the visiting team se cured a touch. It was not converted. The standing of the league is appended Played, Won, Lost. Vancouver 1 1 0 Nanalino 1 1 Victoria 2 0

J B A. A. WON THE GAME

1. Free shot by Belyea for J. B. A. A. 2. Free shot by Belyea for J. B. A. A. 3. Free shot by Belyea for J. B. A. A. 4. Goal scored by Finlayson for J.B.A.A. 5. Goal scored by Peden for Fernwoods. 6. Free shot by Belyea for J. B. A. A. 7. Goal scored by Dalby for Fernwood 8. Free shot by Dalby for Fernwoods.

Half Time. 9. Goal scored by Peden for Fernwoods. 10-Goal scored by Dalby for Fernwoods. 11-Free shot by Peden for J. B. A. A. 12. Free shot by Peden for J. B. A. A. 13. Goal scored by Pettingell for J.B.A.A.

HOCKEY.

ROSSLAND CAMP. Last Week Ore Shipments Amounted to

this class of 'product.

Over Nine Thousand Tons. Rossland, Dec. 12 .- Concentrates produced at Le Roit No. 2 oil concentrator were shipped from the camp this week

for the first time. Sixty tons in all in connection with the, treatment of In connection with the establishment the White Bear concentrator, for

which an order was placed some week ago, an interesting point has arisen. The new mill will use water from Le Roi

chine; drills on a fine body of ore, and the mill started crushing; to-day. The prospects for another successful mill run are very bright. Ore shipments for the week were large

were: Le Roi, 5,760; Centre Star,

Blood is Worthless UNLESS CIRCULATED.

HEALTH, IS ASSURED BY THE NEW PROCESS OF CURING DISEASE.

TAX ON PROSPECTORS.

Increasing the license for prospectors for coal and oil from \$50 to \$100 is a typical example of Socialist-Conservative legislation. In a country like Fellow Tribesmen Nearly Killed Him British Columbia, whose wealth is for the most part hundreds of feet underground and requires an immense outlay of labor before it can even be demonstrated to exist, it would seem to be only the dictates of common sense that men who desire to take the risk of searching for it and bringing it to the light of day should at the

gruity in legislation that is remorkable only for its amazing foolishness, and one enquires with considerable interest on him to make a full confession. His congruity in legislation that is remorkable what grounds sensible men can justify tinued refusals angered them, and they themselves in resorting to it. Premier McBride's Defence.

Premier McBride defended it because before a prospector decides to bore for coal or oil he must be sure that he has a good thing, millions in fact, and it is only fair for the government to charge him something for the privilege of ax him something for the privilege of exploiting it.

Mr. Hawthornthwaite's Position ... From Mr. McEride we turn with even Those Who Have Been Listed Among-

opinion the prospector as a prospector charge of H. M. S. Shearwater last

should encourage. It is the speculator two of them affect editorial positions. who prevents industry who is the curse The latter two apply to the Victor oustrates the value of his and he realizes tor who should be discouraged, but you don't get at him by putting a \$100 tax cu prospectors. Then Mr. Hawthornthwaite says the government should guard its valuable coal and oil deposits and the \$200 fax will help to do that.

There's reasoning for you. Just foldollars worth of coal and oil hundreds of feet underground which it is necessary to guard. Therefore if any person at empts to touch it we'll fine him \$100. Now in the name of Now in the name of common sense, what use is coal or oil to the government or any person unless it is brought to the surface and placed on the market? This can only be done by labor and anything that hinders it being done is so much of a hindrance to labor. This \$100 tax or prospectors then is just one more burden dded to labor, and as such should never have the support of any person who prtends to be acting in the interests of the working man. But Mr. Hawthornthwaite says the prospector is a speculato and should be discouraged. So he does. cancellation is also made by the govern Well by and by we'll find out what ment of the appointment of F. R. McCl Socialism is. We should like to ask Mr. Russell, who occasionally presided in Hawthornthwaite one question. If the his brother's place. Mr. Russell got rospector is a spe fact the tax on prospectors is one of the most indefensible proposals ever put forward by any government, and in sup-perting it Mr. Haw hornthwaite has written himself down as a reactionary of the worst type .- Nanaimo Herald.

Terre Haute. "The company owns altogether eight groups of claims in the district of Aspen Grove. In one of these it has sunk a shaft 115 feet, with 106 feet cross-cut, and a lead 209 feet wide; and it expects to have the sale of our watches. We give our agents a free sample \$10 watch to take orders b free sample \$10 be pictured in contrast with a patient who able to go about. To-day I am a well

NARROW ESCAPE OF

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A KITKATLAH BRAVE

Because They Suspected Him of Practicing Sorcery.

There has been some trouble among the Indians at Kitkatlah, a village about 30 miles from Port Essington, during the past few weeks. It was caused by the J. B. A. A. WON THE GAME. The J. B. A. A. team vanquished the Fernwoods in the drill hall on Saturday night in a splendid game which aroused the greatest enthusiasm. It was the sec-ond of the city senior championship matches, and the first in Victoria of the provincial championships. From the start To charge such a person \$100 for a placed in a cell, where he lived for about license to do such work is an incon- five days on nothing but a stray biscuit began to use threats. As Watoboo still persisted that he had nothing to confess, his death was decided upon, but Steps were immediately taken to rescue the unfortunate Indian by the Indian

CRUISER'S OFFICERS

 RALPH SMITH, M. P., ENDORSED.
 4s the hardest worked and poorest paid worker in any country. As a prospector -and it is in that capacity alone that the law deals with him—he spends both labor and gets absolutely not
 "Lieut. H. B. Gell/brand is the first and gunnery officer. He was last em-ployed with the sloop Phoenix on the china staticn, and whilst there earned. a medal with clasp during the Boxer

The navigating officer to troubles. Lieut. G. D. Ward, late in charge of the cruiser Pelous undergoing refit on the Clyde. The other lieutenants are Lieutenants H. D. Maryatt and E. L. Whar. ton, the former from the Medusa and

dustry, but the kind of speculation that leads to work and industry is the kind have reference to the news staffs, and that all friends of the working man have reference to the news staffs, and The latter two apply to the Victoria of the century, who buys up coal lands Colonist and to the Vancouver World or oil lands or any kind of lands and from the editorial chairs, of which dces nothing until the industry of his Messrs, D. B. Bogle and C. H. Gibbons fellows on surrounding property dem- bave respectively retired. The vacancy

first menticued, is understood a large profit without prospecting a been filled by F. Carter-Cotton, M. P. F., single foot. That is the kind of specula- proprietor of the News-Advertiser. N. oprietor of the News-Advertiser. N. Schou, of the News-Advertiser staff. s also assisting editorially on nist. The vacancy on the World nas ot yet been filled. R. Bruce Bennet, who has been acting

as news editor of the Ledger ever since its issue in daily form by Dr. Reynolds, w it. The government has millions of has transferred to the News-Advertiser staff. His place as news editor on the Ledger has been taken by Lawrence Macrae of this city, for many years connected with the Colonist news staff and until lately night editor of that paper.

NEW POLICE MAGISTRATE.

A. Williams, Ex-M. P., Succeeds J. A. Russell of Vancouver.

Vancouver, Dec. 14 .- The city clerk and Adolphus Williams, ex-M. P. P., have been notified of the latter's appointment as police magistrate for Vancouver in the place of J. A. Russell, who has occupied the office for eight years. The ment of the appointment of F. R. McD. spector is a speculator, who can be s1,800 a year; the new appointee gets cribed as a worker? As a matter of \$1,600. Mr. Williams left this morning for California, Stipendiary Magistrate Alexander will act for five weeks till his return.

SPEECHLESS AND PARALYZED .- "I had valvular disease of the heart," writes Mrs. J. S. Goode, of Truro, N. S. "I suffered terribly and was often speechle LESSNESS .- The hopeless heart sickness and partially paralyzed. One dose of Dr. that settles on a man or woman whose Agnew's Cure for the Heart gave me renerves are shattered by disease can best lief, and before I finished one bottle I was has been in the "depths" and has been man." Sold by Jackson & Co. and Hall &